



Carmeletter

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El Carmelo PTA Newsletter

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El Carmelo Calendar

Most current PTA calendar can be found at www.elcarmelo.paloaltopta.org

January

- January 13: Lego Night – 6pm
- January 14: Carmeletter published
- January 17: Palo Alto Community Service Day
- January 17: No School – Martin Luther King
- January 21: No School – Local Holiday
- January 24-January 27: Book Exchange
- January 25: Character Assembly
- January 28: Final Day for 2010 PiE donations

Happy New Year!

February

- February 2: PTA Board Meeting – 8:45am – 9:45am
- February 3: Carmeletter submissions due
- February 3: Bingo Night - 6pm – 8pm
- February 7: Coffee with the Principal - 8:25am – 8:25am
- February 8: PTA General Mtg. (elect Nom. Comm.)- 8:30am – 9:30am
- February 17: No School, staff development
- February 18: No School, Lincoln's Birthday
- February 21: No School, Washington's Birthday
- February 22: Character Assembly: Responsibility
- February 26: Pancake Breakfast- 8:30am – 10:30am

March

- March 2: PTA Exec. Board Mtg- 8:45am – 9:45am
- March 3: Carmeletter submissions due
- March 6: Math/Science Exploration - 2pm – 4pm
- March 7: Coffee with the Principal - 8:25am – 8:25am
- March 8-10: PAUSD MARS Tests grades 3, 5
- March 11: Carmeletter Published

Principal's Letter



Dear El Carmelo families,

We all know how important reading is to our children's success in school. We also hope for our kids that they will have that warm feeling about books that we often have (if you are holding this newsletter in your hands, I'm guessing that you have at times experienced that sense of being absorbed in reading something – though maybe not this article per se). How can we help our child develop successful reading strategies and at the same time promote that love of reading we want them to experience?

One first step that many educators recommend to parents is to review your child's interests. With kids, it's never a waste of time to ask the question: "What do you like?" because at certain ages it's always changing and expanding. Sit down with your child at regular intervals and find out from them what their current interests are. This will help you connect her to books that you find. Also, find out what genre your child is interested in. Do they prefer non-fiction to fiction, action stories, books about science, etc.?

Another step is to know what your child's reading level is in order to help them find "just right books". A "just right book" is one that is not too hard and not too easy. (Too hard includes too hard to comprehend, not just too hard to decode the words). It should be a book that will move your child's reading skills forward without frustrating him. Your child's classroom teacher can help with this and probably will bring this up a progress report meeting. Don't hesitate to ask for help from your teacher or the school librarian, Leslie Bell, in order to have a clear idea of appropriate reading level.

A third idea is to take your daughter or son on excursions to the library. Let them explore and touch books to develop their own sense of what they like to read. When you leave the library, make sure that YOU check out something for yourself, so your child sees you modeling that love of learning that you want her to have.

As we start the new year 2011, let's make reading a visible and joyful part of our own lives as a model for our kids. Let's talk to our kids about what we (and they) are reading.

Happy New Year,

Chuck Merritt
Principal

PTA Co-Presidents' Letter



Welcome back from Winter Break!

For those of you who need to ease back into the "grind," you're going to be okay. There are two 3-day weekends in January and a 4-day weekend in February. Too confusing? Go to the **El Carmelo PTA's Google calendar:** <http://www.elcarmelo.paloaltopta.org/>.

If you're heading to the snow these long weekends, don't forget that the PTA Council offers a great service to families who don't want to spend \$\$\$ on snow clothes that your kids will outgrow by the summer: **PTA Snow Clothing Rental:** <http://paloaltopta.org/wardrobe.shtml>.

Susy (big hat lady) and
Karole (sunglass lady).

For those of us who don't like being stuck in traffic, long lines to get on a lift, and frostbitten body parts, there's a phenomenal event happening: the **Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service!!!** On Monday,

January 17th, families and individuals from across the city are celebrating this meaningful holiday with a fun and important day of community service: www.CityofPaloAlto.org/dayofservice. JOIN!!!

Your run-of-the-mill co-prez's,
Karole Goldie (karolegoldie@gmail.com) & Susy Kim (susykim@gmail.com)

El Carmelo Book Exchange Coming Soon

The annual El Carmelo Book Exchange will be held January 24th through January 28th. It's fun – and easy too. Here's how it works. On Monday through Thursday (1/24 – 1/27), students should bring gently used books at any reading level to their classrooms. Volunteer parents will sort the books on each morning. On Friday, January 28, each classroom will have a box of books for children to choose "new" books. Each student will receive one "new" book for every book donated, up to five books. And **every** student, even those who do not donate, will be able to choose at least one "new" book.

Please consider donating your family's outgrown children's books, especially titles for our 4th and 5th graders, so that every El Carmelo student will be able to take home at least one book. Books remaining after the book exchange will be available for teachers to enhance their classroom libraries and then donated to a worthy cause.

To volunteer to help with book sorting, or to donate books, please contact Maria Derrick (wesderrick@mindspring.com). HAPPY READING!

Teacher Spotlight: Ms. Fonteyn



By now, many of you have no doubt noticed the friendly new face in Room 10. Leanne Fonteyn joined the El Carmelo staff as a 2nd grade teacher at the beginning of the school year. Ms. Fonteyn grew up in the Bay Area; she was born and raised in San Jose, and attended Saint Francis High School in Mountain View and Santa Clara University where she earned her B.A. in English and Theatre/Dance. She spent several years in Los Angeles as a member of a critically acclaimed theatre ensemble, and choreographed four award-winning musicals. After enduring and recuperating from a few knee surgeries, she became a substitute teacher with Los Angeles Unified School District. After receiving her teaching credential and M.S. in Education from Mount Saint Mary's College, she enjoyed seven years as a Kindergarten teacher at Canfield Elementary School Los Angeles. She moved back to Northern California in 2008, and married her husband Rob in February of 2009. She spent last school year substitute teaching in the area (some of you may remember her filling in for your children's teachers!), and is thrilled to be here at El Carmelo this year.

When asked why she decided to become a teacher, Ms. Fonteyn said with a laugh, "I come from a long line of teachers. It's in my blood." Her mother was a music teacher and choral director. Students, colleagues, and parents are all delighted she decided to follow that call into teaching. Fellow 2nd grade teacher Mrs. Kinnaman commented, "Ms. Fonteyn brings a great fresh sense of enthusiasm; she's an excellent complement to the second grade team. Double thumbs up in all areas!" Mr. Merritt added, "Ms. Fonteyn brings a variety of valuable experiences with her to our school community. Her years of teaching with Los Angeles Unified gives her knowledge of and practice in the context of the high standards and diversity of a school like El Carmelo. Ms. Fonteyn's experience in theater makes her one of the most collaborative and creative teachers I know. I am very happy that she is a part of our team."

When she's not busy teaching, Ms. Fonteyn enjoys singing, dancing, and reading. She shares her love of the arts with her class daily with lots of singing, poetry, and creative movement.

A belated, but very hearty welcome to El Carmelo, Ms. Fonteyn!

10% Goes Back to Schools is Back

Safeway and eScrip have teamed up again for 10% Goes Back to Schools – January Edition! Use your Safeway Club Card to purchase over 2000 participating items (marked with a yellow School Bus tag) now through January 25 at Safeway, and 10% of the purchase price will be donated to El Carmelo. If you are already an eScrip member, your contribution will be made automatically. If you aren't an eScrip member, either follow the instructions printed on your cash register receipts between January 29th and February 28th OR drop off your receipt in the 10% Goes Back to Schools envelope in the main office by February 28. Questions? Contact *Maria Derrick* (wesderrick@mindspring.com) or *Julia Jacobsen* (juliacjacobsen@gmail.com).

Math Instruction at El Carmelo

As you know, last year the Palo Alto School District adopted a new math curriculum. The teachers at El Carmelo School are now in their second year with the Everyday Math Program, and are finding that the familiarity with the lessons and routines are resulting in much more fluid and successful lessons for both the students and the teachers.

In addition to the EDM program, all classroom teachers are supplementing the math instruction with other mini-lessons, activities, and games when they feel it is necessary to meet the needs of your child.

Specialized small group instruction is also occurring at El Carmelo thanks to our three Math Specialists, David Ketchum, Yi-Mei Chang, and Stephanie Youngquist. Yi-Mei and Stephanie have both been assisting El Carmelo students for a number of years, and are currently working with 4th and 5th graders. David is a credentialed teacher and recently joined our staff to work with grades K-3.

All three specialists are working with small groups of students to reinforce or extend math concepts covered in the classroom. While each teacher may use these support resources differently, generally speaking the groupings are fluid. If a student isn't working with a math support specialist now, they may be at some point during the year. In addition, know that if your child is NOT working with the specialists, they are benefiting from more directed, small-group instruction from their classroom teacher.

Another way we are supporting all levels of math students is through "Fact Academy." Fact Academy is a brand-new program at El Carmelo for 2nd and 3rd grade students to work on their basic fact mastery. Each afterschool class period (2:30-3 p.m.) will provide time for fact practice tests, strategy review/mini-lessons, and fun games and activities designed to help students master their basic addition and subtraction facts. Participation is by invitation only, based on classroom teacher recommendation. In this "pilot phase," Fact Academy will meet twice a week – Tuesdays for addition and Thursdays for subtraction. Mrs. Kinnaman will be teaching this class.

If you are interested in learning more about our math curriculum in PAUSD, be sure to check out the curriculum links on the pausd.org website (Parents curriculum elementary math resources).

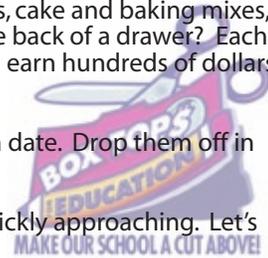
Katie Kinnaman and Robert Siu,
Math Lead Teachers

Box Tops for Education

Have you ever noticed the Box Tops for Education labels on products you use regularly like various cereals, juices, cake and baking mixes, frozen foods, snacks, Ziploc bags, and MANY more? Do you have a collection of them stuck in an envelope in the back of a drawer? Each label is worth 10¢ when it is redeemed from Boxtops for Education. Working together, El Carmelo families could earn hundreds of dollars (or more) for our school! It's easy!

Clip the Boxtops for Education label from participating products, making sure each label contains the expiration date. Drop them off in the collection envelopes in each classroom, or in the envelope in the main office.

Box Tops for Education is a year-round program, but the last deadline for receiving a check this school year is quickly approaching. Let's see which classroom can bring in the most labels by **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18!**



El Carmelo Auction

AUCTION DATE: Saturday, March 26, 2011

AUCTION DONATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 4, 2011

THE AUCTION CHALLENGE: Our goal is to get more families involved in the whole process. Ask a friend what she or he is donating. Generate ideas together. Challenge each other to make a donation. Then, plan to go to the auction together!

SIMPLE, QUICK INSPIRATION:

- Gift certificate for a favorite restaurant or spa
- Gift basket (spa, chocolate, coffee and tea, wine, books for kids or adults)
- Event tickets
- Deliver a homemade specialty food or sweet treat
- Cash (helps underwrite items for the live auction)

CHALLENGING, SATISFYING, FUN IDEAS:

- Host an evening for adults (dinner, wine tasting, game night, theme party)
- Host a family movie or game night
- Teach or offer a skill for kids or adults (cooking lessons, gardening, music lessons, dance lessons)
- Host a gathering for kids (art, flashlight tag, knitting, horseback riding, etc.)

Use the DONATION FORM found at: www.elcarmelo.paloaltopta.org/auction/familydonationform.html
Or fill out a copy available in the school office.

Don't let the deadline pass you by!

AUCTION DONATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 4, 2011

For Questions please contact:

Amy Love, Auction Chair

650-862-2801, aloveinchile@yahoo.com

(And just for fun, follow the continuing struggles of two unlikely prom dates at: www.plastirondack.com)

Save Money and Paper – Read the Carmeletter Online

The *Carmeletter* is published every few weeks throughout the school year, both on-line and in hard copy. Want to save paper and still remain up-to-date with El Carmelo news? Get it on-line only. If you're interested, send a quick e-mail to *Maria Derrick* at wesderrick@mindspring.com.

Carmeletter Submission Deadline, Purpose and Guidelines

Submission Deadline for next issue: **2pm Thursday January 6, 2011**

The purpose of the *Carmeletter* is to communicate a wide range of school-related information to the El Carmelo community. Most of what is published in the *Carmeletter* is ultimately posted on the PTA Web Site. All members of the El Carmelo community can take advantage of the *Carmeletter* to publish information relating to school activities. No advertisements or commercial promotions are permitted. The only fundraisers permitted to advertise are those run by El Carmelo PTA or PiE. We have decided not to include photos of students because of the permission waivers needed for minors. Only children's first names may be included.

Submission Guidelines:

-.doc format: all text submissions should be in a .doc format (note: if you are using Word 2007, please save your document as a "Word 97-2003 ".doc" document before sending. Please no ".docx" files).

-Pictures: submit pictures in separate ".jpg" file(s)

-Graphics: submit graphics in separate ".pdf" file(s)

-Submissions should be 500 words or fewer

A HUGE 'Thank you' to the volunteers for the events listed below:

... Thank you to *Rashmi Hunt* for providing coffee and other goodies for the informative, cozy "Coffee with Chuck" every month. Join us in the library the 1st Monday of every month!

... Thank you to the students in the Leadership Club and club advisors *Ms. Chris Nosek* and *Ms. Kendall Wilson* for organizing a fun Pajama Day last month.

... Thank you to *Pei Cao*, *Kathleen Ford*, and *Marni Novick* for helping with last month's Hearing Screening.

... Thank you to all the parents who donated their time and resources to the PTA in 2010. Because of you, the PTA continued to build a safe and welcoming community, supporting the teachers and children. We're looking forward to another fun year with so many involved and committed El Carmelo families in 2011.

... Thank you to *Jen Wiener* for spearheading the Holiday Toy Drive benefiting InnVision.

... Thank you to *Jeanette Cheng*, VP of Fundraising, for organizing the Amazon School Rewards program and to all parents who shopped on Amazon through the special link available on both El Carmelo PAUSD website and El Carmelo PTA website. El Carmelo PTA earned over \$600 so far. **Let's all remember to keep shopping on Amazon through the links on the El Carmelo PAUSD and PTA websites!!!**



PALO ALTO COMMUNITY SERVICE DAY

On Monday, January 17th, families and individuals from across the city are celebrating the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. holiday with a fun and important day of community service.

JOIN US!

To learn more visit: www.CityofPaloAlto.org/dayofservice

How to get engaged?

Community Service on Lytton Plaza

The City of Palo Alto in collaboration with Youth Community Service (YCS) will provide opportunities to donate food and clothing and to participate in a volunteer project on Lytton Plaza (Emerson Street at University Avenue). Join us! Bring the whole family between noon and 3pm. There will be music and fun for all – and more importantly, this will be a chance to do something to help others. To get involved come to Lytton Plaza on Monday January 17th between noon and 3pm.

Sign-up for a Community Service Project

The Palo Alto Jewish Community Center is organizing a day of service in Palo Alto on MLK Day. More than 25 local volunteer opportunities will be available at this event, with activities ranging from habitat restoration, making cat toys and dog biscuits for homeless pets, visiting senior citizens, serving meals at a shelter, working on crafts for hospitalized children and helping with the creation of a library in Botswana. To get involved visit www.paloaltojcc.org

Other ways to serve

Participating in organized events like Martin Luther King Day of Service or Mitzvah Day is a great way to get started and learn about ongoing ways to serve and build connections in our communities. For some additional ideas and resources to enable you to serve on your own schedule, on Monday January 17, or whenever you can make time as an individual or family, a neighborhood, club, classroom, workplace or congregation please visit www.youthcommunityservice.org



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PTA Wardrobe and Snow Clothing Rentals

Wed. 2-5pm and Sat. 10am-1pm. Closed school holidays.

The Palo Alto Council of PTAs operates the PTA Wardrobe and Snow Clothing Rental service. The Wardrobe provides new and gently used clothing in all sizes at no charge to families in PAUSD. Donations are welcome during open hours: clean, gently used clothing and books; new underwear and socks are especially appreciated. To support this service, the Snow Clothing Rental allows individuals and families to rent entire outfits (jacket, pants, snow boots, scarves, etc.) for the snow, \$15 for children, \$20 for adults.

The PTA Wardrobe is located in a portable at Jordan Middle School, 750 N. California Avenue, enter from Middlefield Road and the wardrobe will be right in front of you.

Info: paloaltopta.org/wardrobe.shtml, 858-0654.

JLS Connections Program Information Meetings

Wed. Jan. 5, 6:30pm, JLS Cafetorium and Wed. Feb. 9, 6:30pm, District Office, 25 Churchill. Connections is a learning community of students, teachers, and parents where hearts and minds are inspired through challenging and innovative teaching practices, including project-based and hands-on learning, differentiated instruction, and leadership development. The JLS Connections Program is open to all PAUSD 2011 incoming 6th graders, through lottery in the Spring. The two Connections' information meetings are for all interested parents and current 5th grade children. Connections' teachers and current and former students will be available to answer questions. Info: jls.pausd.org/connections/index.html.

Medaka no Gakko Summer Program

June 20-July 8, 2011, Mon.-Fri, 8:45am-12:30pm, Palo Alto Buddhist Temple, 2751 Louis Road, Palo Alto. Registration begins mid-January for Medaka no Gakko, a Japanese cultural summer program for children who have completed kindergarten through fifth grade. The parent cooperative program features arts and crafts, music, literature, cooking, social studies and language. Classroom activities are enriched by demonstrations and performances by artists and community members. For more information, visit www.medakanogakko.org or email medakanogakkopalto@gmail.com.

Martin Luther King Day of Service

Mon. Jan. 17. Community Service on Lytton Plaza – The City of Palo Alto in collaboration with Youth Community Service (YCS) will provide opportunities to donate food and clothing and to participate in a volunteer project on Lytton Plaza. Bring the whole family between noon and 3pm. There will be music and fun for all – and more importantly, this will be a chance to do something to help others. The Palo Alto Jewish Community Center is organizing a day of service, with more than 25 local volunteer opportunities, ranging from habitat restoration, making cat toys and dog biscuits for homeless pets, visiting senior citizens, serving meals at a shelter, working on crafts for hospitalized children and helping with the creation of a library in Botswana. Details: www.paloaltojcc.org/mitzvah
Info: www.CityofPaloAlto.org/dayofservice

Family Science Night and PiE Benefit

Palo Alto Junior Museum & Zoo. Wed., Jan. 26, 6 - 8 p.m. Join the science teachers of the Junior Museum and Zoo for an after-hours, special night of family learning and fun, and help support your schools! Enjoy live animal encounters, dynamic science activities, and a healthy snack. Requested donation: \$5, or more, per person. All proceeds benefit PiE, Partners in Education.

Primary Math World Contest Team Tryouts

Wed. Feb. 9 or Thurs. Feb. 10, 7-8:15pm, Quinlan Community Center, Cupertino Rm, 10185 North Stelling Road, Cupertino. Cupertino Union School District and City of Cupertino Parks and Recreation Afterschool Enrichment Program Present: 2011 Primary Math World Team Tryouts for Grades 7 and under. Tryout to join USA-Silicon Valley team to compete in an International Math Contest in Hong Kong in July 2011. Online Registration: reg4fun.cupertino.org/econnect (Activity #44065 for Wed; or Activity #44066 for Thurs). Info: www.mathedge.org, 408-725-2680, or mathedge@gmail.com.

JMZ Science Enrichment Classes

The Palo Alto Jr. Museum and Zoo offers challenging, hands-on after school science classes for inquisitive K-5th graders as well as preschoolers. The small class size of 10 students maximum allows every child to participate directly. New winter classes begin the week of Jan. 24, including "Zoology" for Kinders, "Zoo Keepers" for 1st-5th graders, and "Animal Detectives", "Science of Toys" and "Kitchen Chemistry" for preschoolers. A second session of winter classes will begin mid-February. Classes are listed in the "Kids" and "Preschool" sections of the Enjoy! catalog or at enjoyonline.cityofpaloalto.org.

Community Events for the PAUSD Area – January 14, 2011

Music and Arts

Registration for Winter Children's Fine Art Classes Has Begun

Junior Museum and Zoo and the Palo Alto Art Center. The Children's Fine Art program. Ages of 18 months to 18 years. Winter classes include Musical Clay, Ceramics Open Studio, Clay for Preschooler and Parent, Everything Adobe, Pastels, Classical Watercolor, Young Master Drawing, Kinderclay: Food and Gardens, Fashion Design and Illustration, Expressive Painting, Digital Art For Kinders, Classical Watercolor, and more. To enroll: www.cityofpaloalto.org/enjoy or call 329-2366. To join the Children's Fine Art email list: LeeAnne.Campbell@cityofpaloalto.org.

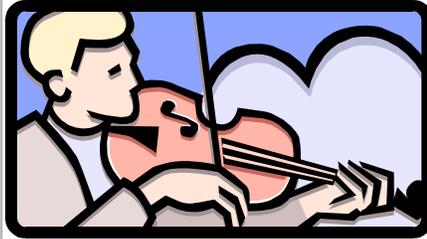
TheatreWorks Drama School Saturday Classes

Sat. Mornings, March 5-26, 10am-1pm, Drama School Classroom, 1390 Willow Road, Menlo Park. Students K-6 learn stage combat, improvisation, music theatre, storytelling, self discovery, and have fun. Taught by experienced teaching artists. Tuition: \$200. Register online: www.theatreworks.org/learn, or call: 463-7146.

CSMA Stanford Lively Arts Informance

Vertavo String Quartet

Tues., Jan. 25, 6pm. Hailing from Norway, the dynamic Vertavo String Quartet are as well know for their collaborations with acclaimed artists such as Leif Ove Adnes as for their mastery of standard and contemporary repertoire. No charge. 230 San Antonio Circle, Mountain View.



Palo Alto Children's Theatre: Mainstage Season Performances

Palo Alto Children's Theatre, 1305 Middlefield, Palo Alto.
Ferdinand the Bull, Jan. 25- Feb. 13,
Metamorphosis - A New Play
Development by Betsy Franco,
March 3-12, *Charlotte's Web*, Mar 31 -
Apr. 9, *Lord of the Flies*, May 19 - 28.
Auditions are for children 8 years of
age through high school, unless
otherwise noted. Info:
[www.cityofpaloalto.org/depts/csd/
activities_and_recreation/
attractions/childrens_theatre](http://www.cityofpaloalto.org/depts/csd/activities_and_recreation/attractions/childrens_theatre)

Special Events Concert: The Bay of Hope

Bay Area Youth Orchestra Festival
Featuring PYO and several other bay
area youth orchestras. Sun., Jan. 16,
at 3pm. Davies Symphony Hall, San
Francisco. Tickets are \$30 to \$60.
For tickets and information,
[www.sfsymphony.org/season/
Event.aspx?eventid=46110](http://www.sfsymphony.org/season/Event.aspx?eventid=46110)

CSMA World Harmony Chorus Concert

Friends & Family Concert. Mon., Jan.
24. 7:30pm. Be inspired to sing
when you experience the magic of
this CSMA Chorus sharing songs
from around the world. No Charge.
230 San Antonio Circle, Mountain
View, CA.

Parent Education

Speaking in Tongues

Spanish Immersion Parents Association of Palo Alto (SIPAPA) presents "Speaking in Tongues", a documentary which follows four diverse kids on a journey to become bilingual. The film premiered in 2009 and received the Audience Award for Best Documentary Feature at the San Francisco International Film Festival, Thurs., Jan.27, 7pm, Jordan Middle School Cafetorium. Admission is free. For more information: www.sipapa.org.

Parent Ed Class: Homework 911

Wed. Jan. 12, 6-7:30pm, Morrissey-Compton Educational Center, 2555 Park Blvd., Suite 1, Palo Alto. Does your child spend more time getting started on homework than actually doing it? How involved should parents be helping their child with homework? Learn how to minimize homework stress and help your child develop systems to organize homework, assignments and materials. Registration: www.morrissey-compton.org or moco_admin@earthlink.net, Info: Sue Garber, 322-5910.

Bike Lights Required for Night Riding

As the days grow shorter, increasing numbers of students are bike commuting from afterschool activities at dusk or in the dark. Unlit bicycles are nearly invisible to drivers at night. It is both illegal and very unsafe to bicycle at night without proper lights and reflectors. Also, proper lighting, reflective clothing and accessories to increase visibility make great holiday gifts for bicycle commuters. Details: palylink.paloaltopta.org/enews/bikelights.pdf
Info about safe school commutes: saferoutes.paloaltopta.org

Sports Opportunities for Kids

For current sports opportunities, visit:
info.paloalto.pta.org/sports.shtml

Community Kiosk

A bi-weekly publication of the Palo Alto Council of PTAs. The mention of any business or service does not imply an endorsement by the Palo Alto Council of PTAs or the Palo Alto Unified School District. Only short announcements of not-for-profit events of interest to PAUSD elementary school families are considered for publication. Submissions may be edited for clarity or space. PTA Council President: Terry Godfrey. Kiosk Editor: Karen Karpen
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