



Evergreen Academy Newsletter

February 6, 2015

Principal's Message

Dear Evergreen Families,

With enrollment season in full swing, we are always so excited to have families bring in their registration documents for next school year. Our enrollment theme is all things super heroes! What is your Evergreen Super Power? Fantastic photos of continuing students are beginning to decorate the front office and t-shirts are on the way!

You have probably seen the buzz about the new coding program that is beginning in Mrs. Holck's technology class. Every student in EVERY grade will have a trimester of coding as part of the technology curriculum. Robotics is currently being taught in the 5th grade class with great success and enthusiasm by students.

Our international students will be leaving us next Friday. We have enjoyed hosting them and will certainly miss the friendships that have been formed. Classes celebrated Chinese New Year yesterday led by the families of these students. Photos will be on our Twitter and Facebook page soon. We hope this program will continue to grow in the years to come at Evergreen.

Have a wonderful weekend and thank you for your continued support of all things Evergreen!

Warmly,

Mrs. Theresa Chase



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February	
6	Ski School
9	Last Day to Turn in Jump Rope for Heart Donations
9-12	Class/Grade Spelling Bees, Grades 1-5
10	100 th Day of School
13	Class/Grade Spelling Bee Winners Announced
13	Subway Orders Sent Home
13	Valentine's Day Celebrations
16	President's Day, School Closed, No Camp Offered
17-20	Mid-Winter Break, Camp Offered
24	OPT Pottery Night Order Forms Due
27	Subway Orders Due
27	Pizza Order Sent Home
27	School Spelling Bee

Jump Rope for Heart Donations Due

The deadline for returning donations for our Jump Rope for Heart fundraiser has been extended to Monday, February 9th. Thank you to everyone who participated in this event. Our school is proud to support the American Heart Association!

Don't Forget...

Tuition and payments for extended care and transportation are due the first day of the month. All other invoices are due upon receipt.

Report Student Absences

If your child will be absent from school for any reason, please notify our administrative team by 8:30 a.m. on the day of his or her absence. You may contact our administrative staff at 425-488-8000 or you may email Deborah Kaye at deborah.kaye@nkcinc.com. If contacting us via email, please copy your child's teacher. Thank you.

Student Pick-Up Lines

Evergreen Academy students may be picked up from school in the afternoon starting at 3:00 p.m. for preschool, 3:10 p.m. for kindergarten, 3:20 p.m. for grades 1-2 and 3:30 p.m. for grades 3-6. Please do not enter your child's pick-up line prior to the appropriate time so that we may keep our student pick-up lines moving smoothly. Thank you.

School Spelling Bee

During the week of February 9th through 12th, Evergreen Academy students in grades 1-5 will have the chance to show off their awesome spelling skills during the first round of competition in our annual School Spelling Bee. Winners of our classroom bees will advance to our final Spelling Bee on February 27th. The winner of this bee will represent our school at the Regional Spelling Bee, which will be held at Town Hall in Seattle on March 29th. Our School Spelling Bees are part of the competition leading up to the Scripps National Spelling Bee; the nation's largest and longest running educational promotion. The purpose of the Scripps National Spelling Bee is to help students improve their spelling, increase their vocabularies, learn concepts, and develop correct English usage that will help them throughout their lives. Evergreen Academy is proud to be a part of this distinguished tradition.

Mark Your Calendars for our OPT Pottery Night

Mark your calendars and plan to attend our OPT Pottery Painting Night on Wednesday, March 11th from 5:30-7:00 p.m. in the gym. Participants may choose from the following items to paint, all provided by Creatively Yours-Crossroads, Bellevue: 6"x6" tile, 12 oz. mug, sunflower shaped dish, and an egg figurine. Pottery order forms for this event will go home with students today and are due with payment on February 24th. Painted items will be glazed and returned to school approximately ten days following the event.

Our Pottery Painting Night event offers creative artists a great opportunity to make some unique and personalized gifts for family and friends while supporting our Evergreen Academy OPT at the same time. Please plan to join us for this fun family event!

Mid-Winter Break Camp

Ahoy Mate! It's pirate week at Evergreen Academy during our mid-winter break camp! From February 17th through 20th, our campers will have the opportunity to create pirate costumes, and pirate ships, enjoy root beer floats, draw treasure maps, construct treasure boxes and hunt for hidden treasure. We will have four full days of pirate pandemonium! Registration forms for our mid-winter break camp will go home with students today and are due with payment on February 13th. Mid-winter break camp hours are 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. with before camp care available from 7 to 9 a.m. and after camp care available from 3 to 6:30 p.m. If you have any questions about this camp, please contact Michelle Coster at 425-488-8000 or via email at michelle.coster@nkcinc.com.