



Pathways Academy News

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Letter to Parents

Dear Parents,

Welcome back!

Winter break always seems to fly by and leave us tired and needing a vacation from our vacation! Hopefully everyone has recovered by now!

The last two weeks have been “back to normal” for students and staff here at Pathways! Almost everyone came back in good spirits and ready to work.

As some of you have noticed, our elementary classroom underwent some renovation over winter break and has doubled in size! (We had the wall between the elementary room and the old foreign language room removed). Ms. Gwendolyn has been working hard and her classroom looks fantastic! Feel free to take a look someday!

We have some fun activities planned for 2011—more details to come!

-Will

PS—Don’t forget, NO SCHOOL ON MONDAY, January 17 in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. day. See you on Tuesday, January 18!

First Field Trip of 2011

Monday, January 10, the Pathways community enjoyed the Popejoy presentation of “Coyote’s Dance”. The performance, which featured dancing and storytelling was followed by lunch at the Student Union Building (SUB). The students were all wonderfully behaved and thoroughly enjoyed both events. We have other Popejoy events scheduled throughout 2011—everyone is looking forward to this!



UPCOMING DATES OF INTEREST:

- Monday, January 17—NO SCHOOL—Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- Tuesday, January 25—4pm, Board meeting

Wicked Ticket Winners— CONGRATULATIONS!!

Congratulations to Alice (holder of ticket # 249) for winning the Wicked Tickets! Thank you to everyone who participated!

A Special “Thank You!”

Thanks to all families who took the time to sell raffle tickets—your energy and enthusiasm for helping to fund Pathways is incredible! In addition, a very special “Thank You” to Tammy Kaiser (Ian’s Mom) who organized the raffle and created terrific tickets, flyers and emails for us! Thanks to the efforts of everyone involved, Pathways Academy made almost \$800! Way to go!!

United Way

As many of you may know, United Way supports Pathways Academy by providing us with a community fund grant . This year, our grant allowed us to provide counseling/transition services as well as numerous scholarships. Many of you may also be aware that you (and family/friends across the US) can designate a United Way donation directly to Pathways Academy. Even if you choose not to designate a donation to Pathways, we encourage everyone to donate to the Community Fund which allows United Way to fund important organizations such as ours. For those of you with workplace campaigns, great! If your workplace does not participate in a campaign, we invite you to participate in OUR workplace campaign. See Ms. Jan or Mr. Will for further information.

To request an item be added to our newsletter, please contact Will Wintermute (pathwaysacademy3@gmail.com)



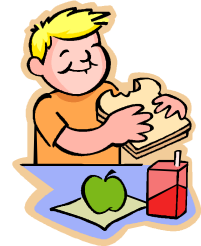
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School Calendar—2011

Mon, Jan 17 NO SCHOOL—Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr, Day
Thu, Feb 4 End of 2nd Quarter
Mon, Feb 21 NO SCHOOL—President’s Day
Thu, Mar 10 End of 3rd Mid Quarter
Mon, Mar 14—Sun Mar 20 SPRING BREAK—NO SCHOOL
Thu, Apr 28 End of 3rd Quarter
Thu, May 26 1/2 Day—Students released at 12:00p
Mon, May 30—Sun, Jun 12 SUMMER BREAK—NO SCHOOL
Mon, Jun 13— Back to school!



Lunch Menu

Mon, 1/17: NO SCHOOL
Tues, 1/18: Sloppy Joes & Chips
Wed, 1/19: Taquito’s & Beans
Thurs, 1/20: Ziti
Mon, 1/24: Tacos/Burritos
Tues, 1/25: Fish Sandwiches
Wed, 1/26: Chicken Nuggets
Thurs, 1/27: Tuna Casserole

All menu items can be made vegetarian