



# Bubb Bulletin

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## **BUBB MISSION**

Our mission is to become a Community of Learners where all students believe they will achieve high academic performance and attain lifelong learning skills.

## **ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

The end of the second trimester is fast approaching. Sometime between February 23 and March 11 students will take benchmark tests in language arts and math. Therefore, it is imperative that you continue to monitor your child's homework and nightly reading requirement. These benchmark tests inform us of student progress toward mastery of the curriculum they have been taught. Their success is dependent upon **OUR** (student, parent, teacher) collaborative team efforts. The majority of students did very well on the first trimester benchmarks and we look forward to even more success this trimester!

## **Family Math**

Answers to last week's problems-1. 8 shows 2. 2200 bags

1. If each of the trained seals at Hartford Aquarium learns three new tricks every month how many months do you think it would take a seal to learn seventeen tricks?
2. A vacation in Hawaii costs \$675. What information is needed to know the cost of the vacation per day?

## **NEW THIS YEAR**

Bubb is pleased to offer Spring pictures. Every child will be photographed on March 12. Proofs and order form will be sent home shortly afterward. This is a school fundraiser.

## **Lights, Camera...Auction! Take 5**

The success of the MVEF Monte Carlo Night and Silent Auction depends on the quantity and quality of donations received! Donation Forms, Merchant Letters, and Donation Ideas are available in each school office AND on the website [www.mvef.org](http://www.mvef.org) so you can print at home! You can actually submit an Auction Donation Form online! The deadline for Donation Forms and donations is Friday, February 27<sup>th</sup> to be included in the Auction Catalog.

Look for volunteers selling MVEF Monte Carlo Night Raffle Tickets at your school! Tickets \$5 each or 5 for \$20. 1st Prize: 32" Flat Screen Vizio TV, 2nd Prize: 1-Night. Garden Court Hotel, 3rd. prize: Apple iPod Touch. Good Luck!

## **Lost and Found**

Last day to claim items is on February 13<sup>th</sup>. Any remaining will be donated that day.

## **"Understanding Girls, Communication and Conflict"**

"Insight into the Hidden Culture of Girls" with author/educator Rachel Simmons. The widely popular parent education evening last month will be available for viewing on **KMVT Comcast Channel 15** throughout **February on Fridays at 5:00 PM**, [www.kmvt15.org](http://www.kmvt15.org)

## **PTA Meeting – Tuesday, Feb 24 at 6:30pm**

Our featured speaker will be Kim Thompson, MVWSD Math Specialist and former Bubb teacher discussing the district-wide effort to improve math instruction.

## **Traffic Safety Person Appreciation Week – Feb 23-27**

Please join us in thanking the folks who serve as crossing guards to help keep our kids safe. The crossing guard at the front of the school on Hans is a paid employee, Marcia Havens. On Barbara Avenue, the parents who volunteer for morning crossing guard duty are Teri Evans, Niki Theil, Natalie Johnson, Kris Peterson, and Joleen Wilkening. During the week of Feb 23-27, please take a moment to give a special thank you to your crossing guard.

## **Calendar of Events!**

### **February**

- 4 MVEF Board Meeting in the District Office Portable #4 7:00 p.m.
- 11 Site Council meeting 5pm staff room
- 16-20 WINTER BREAK – NO SCHOOL**
- 24 PTA meeting @ 6:30 p.m.

### **March**

- 2 Celebrate Reading and Dr. Seuss's birthday
- 4 MVEF Board Meeting in the District Office Board Room 7:00 p.m.
- 10 ELAC meeting 8:30 am Staff room
- 12 Spring Picture Day
- 13 End of 2<sup>nd</sup> trimester Minimum Day
- 13 Family Movie Night (WALL-E)
- 21 MVEF Monte Carlo Night & Silent Auction, The Computer History Museum, 1401 N Shoreline Blvd., Mountain View 7:00 –11:00 p.m.