



BROOKVALE PTA NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR

February 3 – March 3, 2014

New student enrollment online
at www.fremont.k12.ca.us

February 11, 2014

PTA meeting
7pm in the school library

February 14, 2014

Staff Development Day
school closed

February 17, 2014

Presidents' Day
school closed

February 24, 2014

Spring pictures

March 4, 2014

PF Changs' Dine-out Fund-
raiser

Brookvale PTA Board Needs Your Help!

Next year (2014-2015) the PTA board will be losing several volunteers who have been critical to our success in creating and sponsoring many of the PTA programs and events that our school enjoys. Michelle Soares and Brenda Godfrey will be graduating and moving on to Thorton Jr. High. We are so grateful for the time and energy and commitment these parents have given to Brookvale over the years, and we are actively looking for ways to continue our efforts after they have left.

We are looking for interested parents with a bit of time to step in and help fill the gaps so we can continue the wonderful programs next year. We need help with coordinating the Fall and Spring Carnivals, running Movie Nights, organizing the Spring Talent Show, and orchestrate F.A.M.E. We are in danger of losing these programs if we don't have volunteers to help out. No experience necessary, just interest and enthusiasm required! If you want more information, please email Sheryl at sheryla@mac.com or Priya at pri_mall@yahoo.com.

Nominating Committee

Brookvale PTA is looking for four volunteers (not current board members) to help nominate candidates for next year's board positions. We have several parents graduating, and need dedicated volunteers to help fill their shoes so we can continue our programs for next year. Please consider becoming involved! Email Sheryl at sheryla@mac.com for more info.

Congratulations, Advay!

Brookvale's own Advay Chaterjii was selected to represent the Musical Composition category for Reflections competition at the STATE LEVEL! This is an incredible accomplishment to have students from our school go this far two years in a row! Go Brookvale! Go Advay!

Save the Date: Movie Night, February 28

Look for a flyer coming home with details on our next movie night, Friday, February 28, 2014. We are still looking for a team of volunteers to help with concessions at Brookvale Movie Nights. If you are interested in helping, please email Mrs. Ashford at sheryla@mac.com.

PF Chang's Dine-out Fundraiser, March 4th

Join us for dinner at PF Chang's China Bistro at 43316 Christy St, Fremont, on March 4th. 20% of all sales will go to Brookvale PTA. Look for the flyer coming home in your Thursday folder the week before, or download it from www.Brookvalepta.com. Be sure to bring the flyer with you!

The next PTA meeting is
Tuesday, February 11

Please join us at our monthly PTA meetings to find out more ways that you can get involved. We meet the second Tuesday of every month at 7pm in the school library.

We are online! Visit
www.brookvalepta.com
to connect with us on
Yahoo! Groups
and **Facebook**

Founders Day

Nomination forms due before February 18th.

Brookvale will celebrate the PTA Founders day on March 11th. Look for the nomination forms in your Thursday folder. You can also access it from our website www.brookvalepta.com/events-and-programs/founders-day. Please use this form to nominate individuals who have gone above and beyond for our Brookvale students (The nominee should be recognized for outstanding service to children and youth and not for routine, assigned responsibilities or for retirement.) Please return the form to your child's teacher or to the office BEFORE February 28. The nomination committee will select the final awardees.

Spring Carnival, March 21st

Save the date for Brookvale's Spring Carnival, on Friday, March 21st. Bring family and friends! Proceeds will benefit Sixth Grade Science Camp.

Spring Talent Show

This year the talent show will be on Friday, April 11, 2014. We will have a day performance and an evening performance as in the past. Please start brainstorming for your performance ideas now! **We can only take 30 acts and the first 30 turned in will be the ones in the show.** We know this is really early but we want to make sure everyone understands the process, to avoid any confusion or disappointment. Forms will be available in February, and are due March 7th. Please be aware that you will be required to turn in **everything** at that time, or you may not be considered for the show.

We are still looking for additional volunteers to join our Spring Talent Show team. If you are interested, please contact Michelle Soares at chefyshell@yahoo.com.

Thank you!

Ice Cream Sales

Who says ice cream is just for summer? The PTA sells ice cream after school by the Multipurpose Room on Wednesdays and Fridays, and all proceeds go to support Brookvale. Small bills appreciated (no \$20s, thanks).

School Calendar Magnets

School calendar magnets are available in the school office (\$2 donation requested).

Teacher Appreciation Week Planning Committee

Teacher appreciation week is coming in May! We are looking for some fresh faces and new ideas. Please email Rebecca Christman at rlchristman@comcast.net if you would like to be a part of the planning committee. Thanks!

Auditor Needed

The Brookvale PTA is looking for a volunteer to help conduct our annual financial audit. Accounting background and attention to detail is helpful but not required. Please email Sheryl at sheryla@mac.com if you can assist. Thank you!

New Student Online Registration

New students who will be entering the Fremont Unified School District in the 2014-15 school year can begin the online registration process **February 3rd through March 3rd, 2014** at www.fremont.k12.ca.us.

Box Tops

Keep collecting those Box Tops! New contests will be coming soon.

Lucky Shares Cards

Lucky Supermarket Shares programs is an important source of income for the PTA. If you shop at our local Lucky's, and don't already have a Shares card, please consider picking one up in the school office, so you can participate in this fundraising program. Thank you!



Hope for rain! Do a rain dance!