

Parker Core Knowledge Charter School

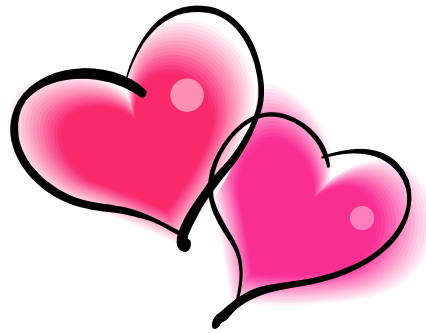
February 11, 2010



FROM THE DIRECTOR

Thank you to all parents for participating in conferences this past week, and for completing the annual parent surveys. Your partnership with us is so important to the success of the students and the school.

Today is a fun day here at school, with valentine parties, a middle school social and a long weekend coming up! Enjoy your 4-day weekend!



February

11 th	Operating Council Meeting	6:30 P.M.
12 th	Teacher Comp Day	no school
15 th	Presidents' Day	no school
16 th & 17 th	3 rd Grade Reading CSAPs	
18 th	PTO Meeting	8:00 A.M.
25 th	5 th Grade Ski Trip	
25 th	Anti-Bullying Parent Education	TBD

GENERAL SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

🍏 **PCKCS Student Goes To State Spelling Bee** - Last night, Janae Barrus, (7th grade), came in fifth place in the Douglas County Spelling Bee. She will advance to the Colorado State Spelling Bee to be held on March 6, 2010. We are incredibly proud of her as this is an amazing accomplishment! Congratulations, Janae!

🍏 **Need Candid Photos For The Yearbook!!** We are looking for your BEST GROUP photos to include in the yearbook. Please indicate the grade/class and submit them on a CD to Sara at the front desk. The deadline is March 1st, 2010. We will not be able to accept any photos after this date. THANKS for your help!

🍏 **Haiti Fundraisers Update** - So far, the “buttons” and the “raffle” has brought in about \$1500.00! In addition, two families contributed matching funds adding another \$550.00. Wow! We haven’t counted the coins yet so there is still time to dump more coins into the container in our front lobby. Thanks for all of your support!



🍏 **BoxTop and Soup Label Contest Continues!** – We are holding our BoxTop and Soup Label Contest during the first three weeks of February. Again we will have weekly prizes for the class that brings in the most BoxTops and Soup Labels each week and an overall winner.

Week 3 Feb 15th - Cupcakes
Overall Winner - Dress Down Day and Cookies!

Bring your labels/boxtops in a baggie, labeled with your teacher’s name. Please go to the PTO link to see a list of participating items. We raised \$674 in the last contest! When we reach \$1000, the entire school will get a dress down day!

🍏 **6th – 8th Calendar Contest** - The 6th grade art classes have been working on their entries for the annual calendar contest put on by the Douglas County District Attorney. All 6th – 8th grade students are invited to participate. Prizes include a laptop, an ipod touch, \$100 gift certificates and more! Entries are due by March 12th to Mrs. Ackerman.



Download an information sheet here [\(info sheet\)](#), or check with Mrs. Ackerman for details.

Thank You

To Syd Cymbala and her incredible volunteers for the teacher dinner on Tuesday night. They put that together in record time and it was delicious!

To Melissa Edwards, Becky McKenna and Pamela Pearson for there help in the lunchroom these past two weeks.

April 23rd & 24th



Dinner shows will be on Friday, April 23rd and Saturday, April 24th at 5 P.M.; the matinee performance will be at 12:00 P.M. on Saturday, April 24th.

Ticket prices are \$18 for adults and \$12 for children for the dinner shows. Dinner shows include a pasta meal, dessert and coffee. Matinee prices are \$12 for adults and \$8 for children and includes dessert and coffee only.

Tables will seat 8 people and 25 tables are available for each performance. The length of the show could run up to three hours so please plan accordingly.

Tickets will be available for purchase beginning 6:00 A.M. on Monday, March 1st. Details to follow.

Disney's Beauty and the Beast

Is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI).

All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI.

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