## The Navigator Way...







Fall Fundraising is HERE!! The fundraising *starts Nov. 5th and goes thru Nov. 19th.* The funds raised will help us support the school by helping to provide school assemblies, bus transportation, field trips, and much more.

If you'd like to check out some of the items that will be available, please go to www.nwfundraising.com. Under Fundraising Catalogs, click the catalog with the lady holding the gift. Catalogs and order forms will come out in your child's Friday envelope.

Invite your family members, your co-workers, your neighbors, and friends to participate and help support Emerald Park!!



I would like to take this time to say a

#### SPECIAL THANK YOU TO JANE UYETA

Without her time and effort in organizing the volunteers, this event would not have happened. I would like to also give a huge thank you to all of the volunteers that stepped forward to help out with the book fair. Your willingness to donate your time is what allows this event to happen. - Laura Kerr

And we'd all like to say **THANK YOU LAURA KERR** for your years of dedication to the book fair and to Emerald Park. Your leadership of the book fair has raised thousands of dollars for the Emerald Park library and students. We appreciate all the time this year and the years past.

Since timing of the printing of this newsletter coincides with the running of the book fair, please look to our next issue regarding the successful results of this years book fair.

#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Nov. 1st—Skate Night (Auburn)
- Nov. 5th thru Nov. 19th— Fall Fundraising
- Nov. 15th—General Membership Meeting
- Nov. 15th—Craft Fair



2012 Craft Fair— November 15th

# TABLE PRICE REDUCTION

Sign up for a table NOW to sell your crafts and showcase your business.

Silver— \$15 for a table Gold—\$25 includes table at event, individual membership in PTSA, and an ad in the December issue of this newsletter.

To sign up for a table, please contact Karen Sims, via email at karensims001@yahoo.com or 253-856-7933.



### **REMEMBER TO VOTE!!**

For more information on voting please go to:

http://www.sos.wa.gov/elections/

or to view the Washington voter's pamphlet go to:

https://wei.sos.wa.gov/agency/osos/en/press and research/ PreviousElections/2012/Pages/voters pamphlet counties.aspx



Thank you to

# HEATHER SCHEER

For orchestrating the Staff Appreciation Dinners during Goal Setting/Book Fair week. Yummy!



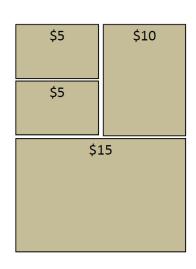
## **NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING**

Have something you need to advertise? This newsletter is received in over 400 local homes monthly! Newsletter Advertising is open to EP PTSA Members only.

#### Prices:

\$5 for 1/8 page \$10 for 1/4 page \$15 for 1/2 page

To advertise in upcoming editions, contact Diane at dhanratty@sleepcountry or 206-419-9633





## wednesday, NOV. 21ST - 7:05 PM AT SHOWARE CENTER IN KENT

SEATTLE THUNDERBIRDS VS. KOOTENAY ICE



THE FULL AMOUNT GOES BACK TO SUPPORTING SPORTS AT YOUR SCHOOL!

Tickets must be purchased before Nov. 19th deadline.







THUNDERBIRDS HOCKEY







For all the work she put into a VERY successful Pizza Night and Bake Sale.

Thank you to all her volunteers and to Jamba Juice and One for Books for all the support.

## SUPERMALL'S MAGICAL NIGHT OF GIVING SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH

6:30PM-10:30PM

A great night of shopping and holiday fun combined with a great opportunity to raise money for Emerald Park.

Tickets are \$5 and all the proceeds go to our school.

This special evening features:

- One night only special sales
- Santa's official arrival & parade
- Over \$20,000 in door prizes
- Holiday entertainment and more

This is a great opportunity to kick enjoy the holiday spirit and support our school. For tickets, contact Karen Simms at



# ------ YES! İ WANT TO JOİN PTSA! ------

Name(s)	
2nd Name (for family membership)	
Phone E-mail	
Address	
	Teacher
	Teacher
MY MEMBERSHIP FEES ARE ENCLOSED WITH THIS FO	RM:
\$10 Individual Member \$18 Family (two adult	ts in same household)
\$20 I am unable to volunteer my time, so please put m	ne on the "No Call" list but I want to support our school.
Please fill out this form and return to school with your chile	d along with a check to <b>EMERALD PARK ELEMENTARY PTSA.</b>

Ask Grandma and Grandpa to join! Ask our business leaders/owners! Ask your neighbor! Let's get everyone involved in supporting our kids.

## Family Fitness and Nutrition Night

Date: November 8th, 2012

Time: 5:00pm-7:00pm

Location: MultiCare Covington
17700 SE 272nd Street

Covington, WA



Join the American Heart Association

and **Hermanson Company** for fun filled night of health education! Learn tricks and tips to help your family get active, eat nutritiously, and improve their cardiovascular health! Hosted at **MultiCare Covington**, you can ask nutrition and fitness questions to local representatives from MultiCare,

American Heart Association, Covington Parks and Recreation and the Auburn YMCA.

All families are welcome! Be sure to dress in comfortable clothes because you will be getting active at the YMCA booth! Healthy snacks and water will be provided by local partners.



Heart Walk.





## MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

What an amazing start to the 2012-2013 school year! We want to thank those of you who have chosen to support our school through joining PTSA.

Now is the time to join if you haven't! National PTA is showing you their thanks by giving you a \$10 off card to Office Max. Emerald Park PTA is including a PTSA discount card with your membership that you can use at future PTSA events. Don't miss out! Fill out the attached membership form and return it to school!

If you have any questions in regards to your membership please contact Kaylee Hansen (253)854-3496 or <a href="mailto:kayleekyle@hotmail.com">kayleekyle@hotmail.com</a>.

## UPCOMING POP-CORN SALE DATES:

- ♦ November 9th
- ♦ December 7th
- ♦ January 4th
- ♦ February 1st

You can still purchase bags for \$0.50 each on the day of each sale in the cafeteria or purchase 3 bags for \$1.

Example: pay \$1 for Oct / Nov / Dec



Don't forget to bring in your Box Top & Campbell Soup labels. You can put them in the labeled box in the Commons or send them in your white child's EP envelope.





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## UPCOMING SMENCIL SALE DATES:

- ⇒ November 16th
- ⇒ January 18th
- ⇒ March 22nd
- $\Rightarrow$  May 17th

A variety of flavors each for \$1

Sold BEFORE school in the cafeteria





## FALL CLOTHING DRIVE—STARTS SOON!

You can drop off your donations in the <u>Common's Room</u> from *Nov. 26th—Dec. 7th* 

All donations will go to helping our local Kent Area Council PTSA families. Please start setting aside your new or gently used items for our local families in need. *Donations needed:* 

<u>New</u> Socks Underwear



Gently Used
Coats/Shoes
Gloves/Scarves
Sweatshirts/Jeans
School Supplies
Plastic hangers

Any questions please email: Lorrie Kiminki at plkiminki@gmail.com.

IF YOUR FAMILY NEEDS THE SERVICES OF THE CLOTHING BANK, PLEASE COME INTO THE EMERALD PARK OFFICE TO SIGN UP.

# Visit the Emerald Park PTSA website at: epptsa.weebly.com

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