

HAWKEYE



Dear Hacienda families,

Welcome back from what I hope was a fabulous Fall Break! This time of year is one of my favorites. There are pumpkins on every corner, the Fall colors are glorious, and we have so

many special things to look forward to.

One of those special events on the horizon is Fall Festival. Scheduled for Friday, October 28th, from 5:30 to 9:00. I hope that each of you come out for a fun filled event with games, a haunted house, good eats, and lots of great company!

The following week after Fall Festival is conference week. From October 31st - November 4th school will be dismissed 120 minutes earlier than usual. Because dismissal time falls right at the end of lunch, for consistency sake, 1st-5th grade will all be dismissed at 1:00. Kindergarten will be dismissed 5 minutes earlier at 12:55.

Finally, on Monday, October 31st, we will celebrate Halloween, Hacienda style. Due to the early dismissal time, the events will be adjusted. This year, we are bringing back our special Halloween Sing-along, with songs written by former Hacienda teacher Kathy Haydel, and led by our own Monica Ulrich and Danielle Thompson, in the cafeteria. The sing-alongs are scheduled for 9:00 and 10:00 am. Teachers may choose to have a classroom celebration during the day, not to exceed one hour.

This year, the staff has agreed that we will not have a Halloween parade. However, students may come to school wearing their appropriate costumes (no bulky, boxy costumes, no blood or gore, and nothing that obstructs vision). In other words, costumes must be appropriate to wear to school, and allow students enough mobility to work in the classroom. Students may wear costumes for the entire day, however, if they would prefer to bring a change of clothing in their back packs, that's fine too. Please consider not having your child wear face make up as it is often hot and can become uncomfortable throughout the day.

Enjoy the season, everyone!

Kind regards,

Carmen Loy
Hacienda Principal



Fall Festival is almost here!

HACIENDA FALL FESTIVAL 2016 Get ready for one of Hacienda's biggest community events, and don't forget to sign up for a shift to help make it a success!

Save the date: Friday, October 28TH, 5:30 - 9:00 p.m.!
BY MICHELLE SCRIPPOCH

Now is a great time to step in and be a shadow to the event chair ladies. We'll need new leaders for next year. C'mon and learn the ropes. Contact Michelle Scrippoch or Melissa Belur at HaciendaFallFestival@gmail.com.

VOLUNTEERS

We welcome and appreciate all volunteers. To make this event run smoothly, we ask that **ALL Hacienda families volunteer for at least ONE shift.** 5th grade students may volunteer for game shifts along with their parent or guardian. Alumni, friends and extended family are welcome to volunteer as well. High school and middle school students may volunteer and earn community

service hours. Go to our online volunteer sign up to select your volunteer slot. **Sign Up ONLINE** at <http://tinyurl.com/FF10-28-2016> for the best shift/slot selections.

Game booths will be closed if there aren't enough volunteers. Remember to check in at the volunteer booth when you arrive at the festival.

Bonus: Volunteer Contest! Each student in the class with the most volunteer participation will earn **10 FREE game tickets!**

DONATE ITEMS

COOKIES ~ BROWNIES ~ CUPCAKES ~ BAKED GOODS ~ CAKES ~ BOTTLED WATER ~ SODA

There will be an old fashioned cake walk and a bake sale too. Baked goods >5

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Welcome to Hacienda's New Classroom Teachers!

GALAXY SMITH – SCIENCE

Galaxy is our new Science teacher. She comes to us from teaching high school Biology and Environmental Science at Downtown College Prep Charter School. Galaxy attended UC Santa Cruz for her undergraduate degree, and Southern Oregon University for graduate school. She loves farming, talking to chickens, cooking and riding her bike, making her a perfect fit for Hacienda! Her favorite thing about Hacienda is the eagerness of the students to learn about the world around them. She enjoys the deep and complex discussions she's able to have with the students about our place in nature.



TYNELIA YOUNG – FOURTH GRADE

Mrs. Young is our new 4th grade teacher. She comes to us from Los Angeles Unified School District, where she also taught 4th grade. Mrs. Young attended Cal State, Dominguez Hills for her undergraduate degree, and National University for her

Master's degree. She is a wife and mommy to 2 young children, and loves to bake, scrapbook, and do outdoor activities. So far, Mrs. Young likes everything about Hacienda! She loves all that HIPS does for the students and school, and most of all, her super sweet, amazing 4th grade students.



MAGGIE MCFARLAN – KINDERGARTEN

Ms. McFarlan is one of our new kindergarten teachers. She comes to us from Antioch Unified School District, where she also taught kindergarten, but she also has experience teaching 2nd grade. Ms. McFarlan earned her Bachelor's degree, teaching credential and Master's degree from Saint Mary's College of California in Moraga. She has been too busy planning her upcoming wedding to indulge in hobbies lately, but enjoys ziplining, and makes it a point to do so on every vacation. Ms. McFarlan's favorite thing about Hacienda is the science program. She loves the outdoor classroom, the crawfishing, all of the animal

visits, and looks forward to Thursday (kindergarten science day) each week.



MARILYN BURGESS – KINDERGARTEN

Mrs. Burgess is our other new kindergarten teacher this year. She comes to Hacienda having traveled the world teaching. Mrs. Burgess has taught in Thailand, Brazil, China, and Mexico, to name a few. She earned her teaching credential from San Francisco State University, and her Master's Degree from University of Massachusetts Lowell. Hacienda is happy to have Mrs. Burgess on the staff, helping to build the base of learning for our youngest students in kindergarten.



— BY MARY STOTTEMEYER



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Mark Your Calendar

Mark Your Calendar dates are collected two weeks in advance of publication. Submit dates for publication by email to newsletterhacienda@gmail.com. Entries may be edited for length and/or clarity.

OCTOBER 17

Last day of Science Camp Fundraiser: Charleston Wrap – all grade levels.

OCTOBER 18

HIPS Meeting: 6:30 p.m. Free childcare.

OCTOBER 26

Farm Stand: 3:00-3:45 p.m. Outside the science lab. CASH ONLY.

OCTOBER 28

Last day of Animal Adoptions! The beloved Hacienda tradition of “adopting” an animal. See Science Lab Notes for details.

Fall Festival: 5:30-9:00 p.m.

OCTOBER 31

Halloween Sing-a-long. See Musical Notes section for additional details.

OCTOBER 31 - NOVEMBER 4

Minimum Days - EARLY RELEASE

NOVEMBER 3

Next Outdoor Workday will be on Thursday, November 3. It's an early release day so come join us if you can in between conferences!

• 1:30-2:45 = Work Time

• 2:45-3:45 = Crayfishing

• 3:45-4:00 = Cleanup

Additional details in Science Lab Notes.

HIPS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE RESULTS: Wow!!! Great Job, Everyone!!



The 2016-2017 HIPS Membership Drive was a huge success! Thanks to the support of the Hacienda community, we were able to raise \$89,948 in support of our wonderful school. That is over \$4,000 more than last year's record-breaking Drive. It just goes to show how much Hacienda families value all the wonderful programs that our students are fortunate to enjoy. Please accept a heartfelt “Thank You” to all the families and staff that joined HIPS this year. Your support makes all the difference for our kids!!

Here are some interesting stats from this year's Drive:

- 503 families joined, allowing us to reach 86% participation – the highest on record
- 33 teachers and staff members joined
- Platinum Donors (\$1,000+): 17 families

- (last year 16)
- Gold Donors (\$500): 31 families (last year 47)
- Silver Donors (\$400): 25 families (last year 10)
- Bronze Donors (\$300): 73 families (last year 79)
- Level 1-4 Donors (\$1-\$299): 357 families (last year 344)
- 78 Donors used the PayPal option
- Here are the class contest results:
- Congratulations to Mr. Hayes' & Ms. Friedman's classes – they both achieved 100% participation!! They are the top classes, and winners of pizza parties. They enjoyed their pizza and popsicles on Sep. 30. Awesome job everyone!!
- We had 15 classes with at least 75% participation! The following classes will be treated to all-natural fruit popsicle parties:

McFarlan	Wickersham
Hamilton	Unze
Dolan	Foshay
McClure	Ravizza
Hoogerwerf	Miner
Selfridge	Seymour
Young	Bjornjeld
Masterson	

- The “Top Teachers” who joined HIPS themselves & had the highest participation will receive gift cards of their choice. The winners are:

Friedman	Hayes
Unze	Foshay

Young
Selfridge

Hamilton
Bjornjeld

A sincere “Thank You” to our “Top Teachers” & all the teachers and staff for supporting this year's Drive!

Our Membership Drive Committee will continue to work hard setting up popsicle parties, preparing the HIPS Directory, distributing “thank you” gifts, organizing crayfishing parties, and finishing up the final details to close out the Drive. Special thanks to Keith Flemming for creating the amazing large mural near the front office!

Thanks again to the Hacienda Community for coming together in support of our school!

Best Regards,
Michelle Crespin
Membership Drive Chairperson



Science Lab Notes

BY MS. GALAXY SMITH,
SCIENCE RESOURCE TEACHER

NEWS FROM THE HACIENDA HOMESTEAD

Chickens!

As the day length grows shorter, and the nights grow colder, the hens will begin to lay less eggs. A hen lays one egg for every 14 hours of daylight she experiences. This is why some large scale egg layers put lights in their coops- to extend the laying season into the Fall and Winter. The Fall Equinox doesn't mean we will no longer get eggs, it just means we will be getting less eggs. You might also notice large amounts of feathers on the floor of the chicken coop. This is due to molting, which occurs in the Fall. When a hen molts, her egg production decreases.



FRESH EGGS FROM THE HACIENDA HOMESTEAD *We love our chickens and their eggs!*

Honey!

You may not know, but we harvest honey from our hives only ONCE a year! Queen bees are starting to decrease their larva production around this time and will begin using their own honey and pollen reserves built up from over the Spring and Summer. This is why it is so important not to overharvest honey from our bees. If you are craving more delicious golden honey then make sure you stop by our Farm Stands for this month: October 12th & October 26th. Get

your honey before we run out for the year!



HACIENDA HARVESTED HONEY *Come get your honey before we run out for the year!*

Herbs & Veggies & Bean Teepees!

We planted some seedlings that you may have noticed on your walk in to school. There are three beds planted with herbs, kale, cauliflower, Brussel sprouts and several varieties of cabbage. If you are interested in getting some tasty produce, stop by our next farm stand where we will be selling herb & kale bundles for \$2.

A new secret hideaway has been added to our Hacienda Homestead- a bean teepee! We are trying something new by planting crawling bean plants at the base of several poles and wire to create a woven tapestry of leaves, vines and of course- tasty beans! Keep an eye on it as you walk past the chickens to see it's progress!



SECRET HIDEAWAY *The beginnings of our bean teepee!*

“ADOPT” YOUR FAVORITE HACIENDA ANIMAL

The science lab is happy to have Look for the blue animal adoption letter that came home in your family folder in mid-September. Help support our science program, including the cost of feeding, housing, and caring for Hacienda's many animals, by “adopting” a favorite critter today. The animals stay at school, but students in K-5th grade who donate **ANY portion of the cost to care for an animal** enjoy special holding sessions, a photo with their adopted animal, their name on the animals' tank and on a poster in the science lab. Thanks for your support!

COME HELP AT HACIENDA OUTDOOR WORKDAY: THURSDAY NOVEMBER 3, 2016 - EARLY RELEASE DAY!

Join in what makes science at Hacienda so special! We need lots of help preparing the soil in our garden beds, weeding and doing general maintenance in our outdoor classroom. Alumni students needing volunteer hours are welcome. Here is the schedule for the day:

- 1:30-2:45 = Work time
- 2:45-3:45 = Crayfishing
- 3:45-4:00 = Cleanup

- All children must bring a supervising adult to work alongside them.
- Come to work for as long or as short as you like. We recommend younger students come for just an hour. See timeframes above.
- Wear sunscreen and work clothes that can get dirty.

MARVELOUS WORKDAY WORKERS!

Thanks to our awesome Hacienda volunteers who helped to get the Outdoor Classroom and garden beds ready for the year at our workday on September 18!

Heather S.	Tiernan C.	Pishia D.
Samuel S.	Mi Jin C.	Mikaela D.
Wayne T.	Dylan G.	Amelia L.
Lydia T.	Ian G.	Marjene L.
Hannah T.	Yulia V.	Nicolas C.
Rebecca R.	Mikhail V.	Laurent C.
Joshua R.	Sergey V.	Neil R.
Gabrielle R.	Khang N.	Andrew R.
Lieke V.	Francis T.	Sean R.
Frank C.	Rajendra M.	Tara R.
Todd G.	Roua M.	David O.
Riley G.	Yukki W.	Gabriel C.
Ed D.	Lur D.	Chris C.
Zachary D.	Lia D.	
Debbie C.	Francis D.	

graders are using their senses, while Third, Fourth, and Fifth graders are being “soil scientists”, using scientific testing methods to assess the soil texture and soil health of our garden soil. Specifically, Third graders are conducting a drainage test to test how well our garden soil “holds” water, Fourth graders are conducting a “ball” test and a “jar” test to help understand the types of particles in soil (sand, silt, and clay), and Fifth graders are assessing the soil health by testing the pH of the soil. When you have the chance, please thank your classroom Sprouts Docent(s) and Helpers for all their efforts.

Let’s not forget what it takes to get the “Sprouts” program “kickstarted”. Lesson #1 could not have been delivered without the hardworking Outdoor Workday Volunteers, who “turned” the garden beds and added sand, silt, and compost to the soil to ensure the beds have the correct composition and nutrients for our winter garden vegetables. **Thank You!!!**

Lesson #2, commencing late October and completed by the end of November, is all about planting the gardens. Students are sowing seeds, and/or planting seedlings according to garden plans. By the time January rolls around, our gardens will be in full gear.

GARDEN RULES

We appreciate your support to remind your children about the rules of the garden beds. They can help by:

- Looking with their eyes, and smelling with their noses, NOT by touching the plants or digging in the soil. The Sprouts program relies on these gardens to be ready for each of the lessons. All students will have opportunities to touch and taste during the lessons.
- Sitting on the edge of the garden beds, NOT by standing or walking on them. Accidental stepping into the garden beds damages delicate plants, and compacts the soil.

Also, please remind them that the gardens belong to all the students of Hacienda, to be enjoyed and explored by all. Please help to protect these special gardens of Hacienda.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Do you have an hour of time to assist with Sprouts projects behind the scenes during the month of October at home or on campus? The core team is

looking for assistance with a variety of tasks, such as: preparing bins and presentation boards for Lesson #2, turning a few garden beds that didn’t get done at the Outdoor Workdays, packaging seeds that were harvested in May by the students in small bags for the Hacienda on-campus “farmers stand”, replacing pages in garden journals, editing training videos, or marking garden beds for the upcoming planting lesson. If “yes”, please contact Heather (hsten@me.com). We appreciate any assistance to ensure the Hacienda gardening program is sustainable this year and for many future years!

THIS MONTH’S GARDENING TIP

October is a good time to trim woody or overgrown perennials and remove diseased leaves. Leaves and plant debris under plants should be removed to reduce the amount of insect and disease threat during winter. If you haven’t started your Winter garden, it is not too late, you still have October to get a few things planted. Some can still be planted by seed, but others should be planted by transplanting seedlings as it is getting close to the time when the temperatures are getting colder. Consider planting seeds and seedlings similar to what you see at Hacienda, such as, peas, lettuces, kale, radishes, dill, turnips, kohlrabi, beets, Bok Choy, garlic, cilantro, spinach, mustard greens, turnips, and artichoke (from transplant).

To find out more about what seeds to plant in the Fall for Winter/Spring harvest, here is the link to the Santa Clara County Master Gardeners “Cool Season” Vegetable Planting Chart: <http://mgsantaclara.ucanr.edu/garden-help/vegetables/vegetable-planting-chart/>

Let’s Sprout!!

Hacienda’s “Sprouts” Coordination Team:
 Heather Stenshamn (“Sprouts” Co-Coordinator),
 Lieke Vlasveld-Coppoolse (“Sprouts” Co-Coordinator),
 Audra Deckert (Science Program Assistant)

Sprouts Corner



LESSON #1 IS IN PROGRESS AND LESSON #2 IS RAPIDLY APPROACHING!

A huge Congratulations and Thank You goes out to all the Docents and Helpers who delivered “Lesson #1” to our students! And, a special “Thank You” goes out to all the teachers who are supporting the program by giving the students the time to interact with the gardens. All grades are engaging or have already engaged with their first Sprouts lesson learning about the building block of the plant lifecycle...**The Soil!** To assess the soil composition and texture, Kindergartners, First, and Second

Musical Notes

BY MONICA ULRICH,
MUSIC TEACHER

COMPOSITION OF THE MONTH

October's composition is "Maple Leaf Rag" by Scott Joplin. Scott Joplin was an African-American composer and pianist. Joplin achieved fame for his ragtime compositions and was dubbed the "King of Ragtime Writers". Listen to "Maple Leaf Rag" at Maple Leaf Rag Played by Scott Joplin at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pMAAtL7n_-rc.

HALLOWEEN

This year Halloween falls on a Monday and it is also an early release day due to parent-teacher conferences. We will not be having a school-wide parade, but students are invited to come to school in a Hacienda-approved Halloween costume and wear it for the day. Students will be participating in a Halloween sing-along that morning in the cafeteria

THANK YOU!

Thank you to the Scripoch family (Gina & Tommy) and the Quinn family (Evangeline) who were enormously generous in purchasing quite a few items from our music room wish list at <http://tinyurl.com/lynq935>.



VIDEO EDITING!

We still need a parent to edit video for the 2nd grade holiday chorus, the 3rd grade chorus, and the 5th grade musical in order to offer DVD's for parents to buy of the performance. Please contact Mrs. Thompson or Ms. Ulrich if you can help. Thank you!



HACIENDA HALLOWEEN CHARACTERS

Here is a list (and spelling) of the Halloween characters students learn about in music class. These characters all have stories and songs, most woven with musical themes. Students may like to write about them or create their own at home.

1. Esmeralda – a witch who is a wonderful friend and fantastic cook; she is famous for her brew.
2. Bones – a skeleton who is afraid of everything
3. Bathoven – a bat who plays a grand piano; named after Ludwig van Beethoven.
4. Frankfooter – a jazzy monster invented by a mad scientist who is always trying to invent the perfect monster. He sings "scat" jazz and loves to dance even though he has two left feet.
5. Count Bachula – Count Dracula's baby brother who plays a pipe organ and has a bit of a temper; named after Johann Sebastian Bach.
6. Ghosty Girls – a jazz singing trio from New York City. Frankfooter loves the Ghosty Girls.

7. Invisible Stan – the one man band who comes from the islands. He sings/plays calypso music. He plays an instrument from each family: violin, clarinet, trumpet, and steel drum.
8. Spinelope – a spider who lives in the corner of Esmeralda's dining room and spins spooky, spidery splendors.
9. Jackie Jack-o-Lantern – a boogie-woogie pumpkin who sits on Esmeralda's porch
10. Maestro Spookowski – a scarecrow who is the conductor of the crow chorus
11. Dr. Frankelhammerstein – a mad scientist always trying to create the perfect monster. He loves Rodgers & Hammerstein musicals. His favorite musical is Oklahoma and his favorite song is "Oh, What a Beautiful Morning."
12. Giuseppe Vulturio – an opera-singing vulture from Italy
13. Mimi Mummy – ballet dancing mummy who's a little ballet and a little bit rock and roll.
14. Scary Potter – a pot of flowers that is turned into scary flowers after Harry does a disco dance
15. The Butler – grouchy neighbor of Esmeralda who only smiles when he hears a fugue
16. Hermeownie – ragtime kitty cat that attends "Dogwarts." She was placed (with sorting hat) into the House of Ragtime.
17. Impresario – an Italian manager of an opera company who discovers Giuseppe on a farm



Cornerstone Corner

Project Cornerstone uses books to teach kids tools to deal with bullying behaviors, while learning positive interpersonal skills.

BY CATHERINE LAVIN

Join *In and Play* by Cheri J. Meiners. The second book of our Kindergarten Cornerstone series teaches children about getting along with each other, making friends, and playing together. Students learn how classmates and friends play with each other by discussing rules, being a good sport, and cooperating with others..



To support this lesson at home, you can play a game and act out the following as simple role-plays or a simple discussion.

Ask your child to tell you ways to ask other children to play. Answers may include the following:

- Saying, “Hi” and smiling.
- Asking, “What are you doing?”
- Asking, “Can I play too?”

In addition, your child can share ways to deal with disappointment if a friend says that they don’t want to play:

- Wait and ask to play later when there is a break or a new game

starts.

- Find another friend to play with.

- Ask an adult to intervene.

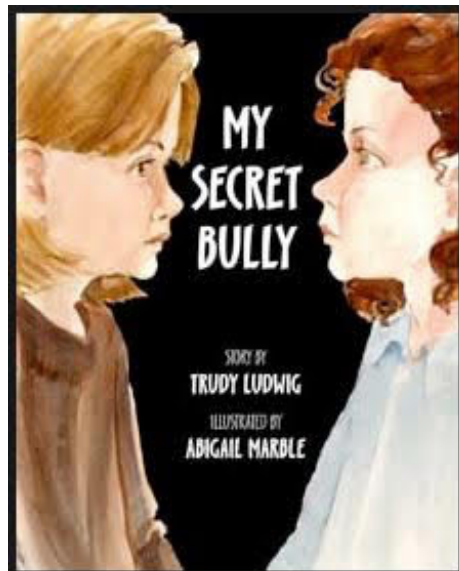
Here are some ways to practice ways to include others by inviting them to play and cooperating with each other.

- Asking, “Would you like to play?”
- Asking, “Do you want a turn?”
- Saying, “This is fun, why don’t you play with us too.”

Students will also discuss how to play and get along in a group. Sometimes things don’t go smoothly and it’s important for kids to understand that losing in a game, not getting a turn, or being picked last are part of playing with others. The students will also practice ways to help kids who are having a bad day by being kind, using words to express feelings, listening to each other and solving problems together. Showing respect helps others be your friend.

These lessons are important for all ages and we can have meaningful conversations at home about how to play, or to not play with others at school.

The second **Cornerstone** book for grades 1-5 is *My Secret Bully*, by Trudy Ludwig. This is the story



of Monica and Katie, close friends since kindergarten. Monica loves being around Katie when she’s nice, but there are times when Katie can be just plain mean. In the story, positive family relationships help Monica reclaim her power and positive sense of self.

The author describes Katie as a “secret bully”. She targets Monica with **relational and social aggression**. This form of peer abuse can be hard for adults to spot. It occurs among friends (both boys and girls) who use their social power to manipulate, humiliate and exclude.

Continue this conversation at home!

- Watch a video reading of *My Secret Bully* with your child: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6xHT__W4rf8
- Be a thoughtful listener.
- Have a family discussion about friendships.
- Share the qualities you look for in a friend.
- Share your ideas for choosing friendships that make you feel good
- about you.
- Ask:
 - What is a “Frien-emy” (a friend who is acting like an enemy)? Who are caring adults in your world?
 - What is positive self-talk? Help your child identify their strengths!
 - Discuss concerns about peer relationships with your child’s teacher.
 - Help create a plan for safety and support at school as your child builds friendships with caring peers.

Curious about what happens next for Katie? Read *Confessions of a Former Bully*, by Trudy Ludwig.

Want to learn more about Project Cornerstone at Hacienda, and how you can be a part of this fabulous program? Contact Catherine Lavin at catlavin@sbcglobal.net

FALL FESTIVAL

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should be brought to the cafeteria by 5:00 pm Fri Oct.28th . Cases of water or soda (any juices donated should be in cans please - no boxes or pouches) are needed as well; drop off details will come home soon.

PRE-ORDER TICKETS

Ticket order forms will be sent home soon for Will Call Pick Up. Pre-sale tickets will be sold on-campus before and after school in front of the library Monday Oct. 24th through Thursday Oct. 27nd. The back of the order form will list the food and game ticket prices to help you plan your ticket buying.

- Food tickets are \$1 (no pre-sale discount).
- The pre-sale price for game/activity tickets is 4 for \$1 Monday through Thursday.
- Game/activity tickets bought at Fall Festival will be 3 for \$1.

A FEW REMINDERS....

- Game booths and activities close at 9pm.
- Be sure to get a punch card at the game booths. Players will receive punches according to each game's rules. When your playing is done, go to the redemption center for fun prizes.
- Bring a flashlight. There will be plenty of light on campus but a flashlight will be handy on your way back to your car.

COME HAVE A GREAT TIME!

There will be so many fun activities this year, including a giant inflatable slide, bounce houses, High Striker, face painting, haunted house, cake and pumpkin walk, the bake sale and the ever-popular glow booth and photo booth. Also, we are looking forward to having a delicious plate of homemade Hispanic food courtesy of our SELAC families! It's going to be awesome! Come early and stay for the whole event!

VOLUNTEER! Sign Up ONLINE at <http://tinyurl.com/FF10-28-2016>

Volunteer Spotlight



Thank you to our volunteers for helping to make Hacienda an amazing community

BY DIANA WILSON

Hacienda community is so lucky to have such amazing volunteers...

- Amazing Dedicated Teachers
- Membership Drive Michelle and her phenomenal posse
- Movie Night organizer Cathy and her amazing volunteers
- Scholastic Book Fair dynamic duo Susan & Chris and their fantastic fair helpers
- Uniform Sales sensation Noreen and her fabulous assistants

THANK YOU for helping to make Hacienda an amazing community!!

TRAFFIC & SAFETY CREW ROCKS!!!

Our Traffic & Safety Crew are the smiling faces greeting children every morning. Meet Cathy, Bill, and Phil and thank them at our Drop Off Circle. We are lucky to have the amazing trio who keep our kids safe and

traffic moving. They need your help! Volunteer as often as you like, one day a week/month or more. To sign up for a volunteer shift: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090948A9AB2CA2F58-morning>



Want to learn more about volunteer opportunities? Contact Diana Wilson, our HIPS VP of Volunteer Recruitment, at HIPSVolunteerVP@gmail.com.