

Phoebe Hearst Elementary School Foundation News

November 2011

Greetings All Hearst Families!

We hope all students at Hearst have adjusted to the school year and are enjoying their experiences in school. The Foundation members have already begun the planning of the annual auction and dinner! We hope all the parents and extended families at Hearst make a point to come to the event. It is a fun and memorable night, raising money for the various programs/contributions that the Foundation provides at Hearst. All new parents are encouraged to come and see what it is all about!

Music Program – Open House

During the month of **December**, all parents are welcome to come view their child's music class. It is something to see! The kindergarten and 1st grade classrooms have been learning a few songs and dance movements in Spanish. It is amazing to see the progress they have made and how excited they are to see their music teacher, Miss Rebeca, each Thursday.

The 2nd and 3rd graders have been experiencing a world of Cuban/African/Brazilian drumming. The teachers and students are having so much fun. In less than two months, the kids have learned a tremendous amount in terms of rhythm, beat, tempo, and working together as one cohesive unit.

The 4th and 5th grade students that are in the choral program are learning songs from Zimbabwe and South Africa! All students are learning the technicalities of vocal music, while singing in different languages. It is incredible to hear and most impressive. Come listen if you can!

Please try and stop in during your child's regularly scheduled music lesson in December. This is not a recital, but simply an opportunity for parents to see what is taking place at Hearst for music!

Music Schedule:

Kindergarten Classrooms (Thursdays):

Hyde – 8:40am – 9:15am
Manigold – 11:00am – 11:35am
Baker – 12:25pm – 1:00pm

1st Grade Classrooms (Thursdays):

Evins – 8:00am – 8:35am
Fernandez – 9:20am – 9:55am
Vieu – 10:20am – 10:55am

2nd & 3rd Grade (in Auditorium- Thursdays):

Lunsford - 8:00am – 8:30am
Borman – 8:30am – 9:00am
Sullivan – 9:00am – 9:30am
Varas – 9:30am – 10:00am
Pascoe – 10:20am – 10:55am
Grindstaff – 10:55am – 11:25am
McNeil – 11:25am – 11:55am
Applbaum – 12:40pm – 1:10pm
Jander – 1:10pm – 1:40pm

4th and 5th Grade Chorus:

The choral teachers, Piwai & Nomsa, come on Tuesdays and Fridays. Please check with your child's teacher for classroom location and times.

Technology/Media Committee

The first meeting took place last month! If you would like to join in, please contact the Foundation.

Save the Date!
Annual Dinner & Auction
March 24, 2012

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