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Cherrywood Elementary School

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Cherrywood Parents and Students,

October has been and continues to be a month of celebration and fun! We are looking forward to our upcoming Family Fall Festival on Friday, October 27th from 5-7 PM. There will be trunk-r-treating, food, games, a pumpkin patch, and community partners helping us celebrate Fall. We hope to see all Cherrywood families there in costume ready to celebrate!!

Tomorrow morning, October 19th, we will be hosting our third Principal's Coffee of the year on Zoom at 8:45 AM. Come and join us as we talk about preparing for our upcoming Parent Teacher Conferences in November. We hope to see you on Zoom!

This Friday, we will be hosting our second schoolwide assembly of the year. Folklorico Dancers will be sharing about the traditional dances of Mexico as we wrap up our month long celebration of Hispanic Heritage month. Thank you to all students who made paper flowers and lumieres during our schoolwide craft sessions last week that are decorating our MPR as we welcome the Folklorico Dancers to Cherrywood. This assembly is made possible with a grant from District 4 SJ City Council member David Cohen.

Next week, we will be celebrating Red Ribbon Week as we talk about making healthy choices for our bodies. Please look out for more information about spirit days for next week as we celebrate being a school where we make healthy choices for ourselves.

Partners in Learning,
Mrs. Choy

UPCOMING EVENTS

10/19
Principal's Coffee @ 8:45 AM
Zoom ID 870 5454 4672
Passcode COFFEE23
Great Shakeout

10/20
Folklorico Dance Assembly @ 8:30 and 9:15 AM

10/23-27
Red Ribbon Week

10/24
SSC Meeting (in-person) @ 5 PM @ FIS
HSC Meeting @ 6:30 PM (Zoom) @ 6 PM

10/27
Fall Family Festival 5-7 PM

10/31
Halloween Parade

11/1
No School - Staff PD Day

HOME AND SCHOOL CLUB NEWS

Dining for Dollars | Thursday, October 26 @ Rubio's

Don't forget to take a day off cooking on Thursday, October 26 and order lunch/dinner at Rubio's (1078 E Brokaw Rd). 30% of funds will be used for HSC events such as Fall Festival and Children's Day.

Fall Festival | October 27 @ 5pm to 7pm

Join us for an evening of fun! There is an activity for everyone - pumpkin patch (while supplies last), trunk or treat, pumpkin decorating, games, photo booth, and more. Kid related businesses and resources booths will be on site for families to check out. Food and snacks will be available for purchase, including a snack booth hosted by our fifth graders fundraising for 2024 Science Camp. Wear your costumes. Check out [flyers](#) here for details.

JoJo Learning Virtual Book Fair | Oct 20 to Nov 3

JoJo learning is partnering with HSC to provide an opportunity for Cherrywood families to purchase Chinese books online. There will be an in-person display of these physical books at the Fall Festival on October 27 (Friday). Check out [flyer](#) here for details.



LEGENDS OF MID-AUTUMN

We're thrilled to express our heartfelt gratitude for the outstanding performance by our students in the Mid Autumn Play! A big shout-out to the Rabbit and Jade cast for their remarkable dedication. We also extend our sincere appreciation to the incredible Mid-Autumn Committee and Ann Chiu, media clerk, for making this play a reality!

Rabbit Cast | Diya B., Eric G., Raymond G., Carson K., Kimberly L., Joshua L., Kaito V., Yifan W., and Emily Z.

Jade Cast | Mylo D., Sarah G., Thuy-Linh P., Leopold L., Alyssa L., Janessa Q., Rebecca W., Vinnie T., Chelsea T., Om S., and Austin Z.



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LOST & FOUND

Please Check Often and Take What is Yours.

DROP-OFF TIP

USE YOUR BLINKERS

The car behind you cannot predict your intentions. **Blinkers** signal your next move & ensure safe driving!

QUICK LINKS

- [Enrollment Online Portal](#)
- [Student Nutrition Services](#)
- [When to keep ill students home](#)
- [COVID-19 Guidelines](#)
- [BUSD Is Hiring!](#)
- [Cherrywood HSC](#)
- [Volunteer Application Form](#)
- [Right At School](#)

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