

CALENDAR

JANUARY

Date Change

PTA Board Meeting
Wednesday, Jan 17
6:30 - 8:30pm, Library

Wedgwood School Tour
Tuesday, Jan 23
9:15 - 10:30am

Wedgwood School Tour
Wednesday, Jan 24
1:00 - 2:30pm

PTA Family Night
Tuesday, Jan 30
7 - 8:00pm, Library

Wedgwood School Tour
Wednesday, Jan 31
1:00 - 2:30pm

FEBRUARY

Day Between Semesters
Friday, Feb 2
NO SCHOOL

Wedgwood School Tour
Tuesday, Feb 6
9:15 - 10:30am

Two-Hour Early Dismissal
Wednesday, Feb 7
1:05pm

Wedgwood School Tour
Thursday, Feb 8
9:15 - 10:30am

Wedgwood's! School! Tours! Needs! You!!

We! all! know! that! Wedgwood! is! a! great! school! and! a! wonderful! environment! for! our! children!! The! PTA! needs! you! to! welcome! potentially! new! families! and! tell! your! story!! There! are! 5! more! tours! scheduled! and! we! need! 4! volunteers! per! tour!! The! tours! last! approximately! an! hour! and! a! half!! The! schedule! is! as! follows!:



January!23!-!9:15-10:30am!
January!24!-!1:00-2:30pm!
January!31!-!1:00-2:30pm!
February!6!-!9:15-10:30am!
February!8!-!9:15-10:30am!



This! is! a! fun! and! rewarding! opportunity! for! you! to! show! your! Wedgwood! pride!! Don't! worry! if! you! are! new! to! the! school,! all! your! questions! will! be! answered!! What! a! great! way! to! learn! more! about! Wedgwood!!!

For! more! information,! please! contact! Nicole! Potts! @!
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Supporting Our School; Supporting Our Children

Wow! You have given \$48,100 to the Wedgwood Pledge Drive. We only have \$1,900 to go to reach our goal of raising \$50,000. How about a bit of class competition to end the Pledge Drive? Right now 43% of Wedgwood families have donated. It doesn't matter how much you donate—just that you do. In the next week, we will tally the percentage of families who have donated in each class. Do you think the seasoned fifth-grade families have a higher percentage of people who donate? Instead of victory coming with experience, maybe the winners would be those families new to the school. Or maybe the champions are in a class between. Make sure to donate this week and then see which grade gets bragging rights.

Absentee ballots are being mailed out today for the very important school levy -- don't forget to vote!



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VOLUNTEER!

Do you have great ideas or skills to share? We want you!

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2006-2007**

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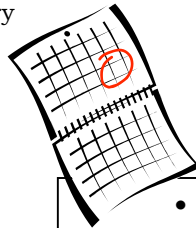
Chinese New Year Celebration is Nearing

We are gearing up for the second big New Year's celebration of 2007! Many Asian ethnic groups celebrate the lunar New Year on Sunday, February 18th but the PTA wanted to share the celebration with everyone so the big party is scheduled for Thursday, February 15th from 6:00 – 8:00pm in the Wedgwood cafeteria.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the Chinese as well as other ethnic origins to get together to celebrate and also for the whole Wedgwood community to share the culture and festivity. We are hoping this will be a great party with delicious foods (provided by Wedgwood families), performance, games, art exhibits, tour videos, door prizes and other activities. Be sure to tune for more details.

We urgently need volunteers to help plan, organize and set up the party. We also need families to bring their favorite ethnic dish. Please call me at (206) 417-8905 or email yfalink@yahoo.com if you can help. The more, the merrier! Any other ethnic groups (Vietnamese, or...) that also observe the lunar calendar New Year?

Let's get together to bring in a great Year of the Pig for all.
Robert Yuan - VP/Membership



Mark Your Calendar

- Seattle Symphony is performing a series of FREE community concerts this month:
 - Tuesday, January 23rd @ 7pm
South Park Community Center 8319 8TH Ave. So.
 - Wednesday, January 24th @ 7:30 pm
Langston Hughes Arts Center 104 17th Ave. So.
 - Thursday, January 25th @ 7:30pm
West Seattle High School 3000 California Ave. SW
 - Friday, January 26th @ Noon
Seattle City Hall 600 4th Ave.
- January 30th: PTA Family Night on Internet Safety with Jill Sells. Please take note this is a night for ADULTS ONLY! Come learn practical media tips and hear about the effects it can have on our children.
- February 8th: Summer Opportunity Showcase at the Bush School. Learn of opportunities this summer for your 9 – 19 year old. This event is held in the new gymnasium from 5 – 8pm.