November 2, 2020 Welcome to the PTA e-news blast!

Welcome to our Edgewood PTA E-News! Typically, these will come out on Mondays and will provide you with the latest information, news and important events related to our Edgewood community

Important Dates

November 5 – Supply Pick up 9-5 November 11 – Veteran's Day – NO SCHOOL November 26-27 – Thanksgiving Break - NO SCHOOL

Online Bookfair Volunteer Opportunity

We're looking for a volunteer to run an Online BookFair for Edgewood benefitting the PTA! Do we have any takers? Anyone who is eager to get involved with Edgewood from the comfort of home, now is your chance! Please contact Caitlin (cgoppenheimer@gmail.com) for details.

Supply Pick up this week! Thursday, November 5- 9:00-5:00

Our supply pick up is scheduled for THIS THURSDAY (November 5) from 9:00-5:00. <u>All families</u> will have something to pick up!

Edgewood Family Directories have arrived!

Updated copies of our school directory have been printed. Pick one up on Thursday when you come get your supplies!

Edgewood Apparel - Orders due by Friday!

Please find attached an Edgewood Apparel form with instructions on how to order shirts or hoodies this year! Forms need to be received by Friday, November 6.

- * Fill out this form and mail it or email it back to me. (Forms can also be returned in person on Nov. 5th at the supply distribution date).
- * Payment must be included. Pay by check or Schoolpay! (No cash please!)

T-Shirts: https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/Edgewood-Tshirts-YouthAdultWomens-cut/Sbj0TaB

Youth Hoodies: https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/Edgewood-Pullover-Hoodies-Youth-Sizes/SbNe4AS

Adult Hoodies: https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/Edgewood-Pullover-Hoodies-Adult-sizes/SdSAoee

* *Scholarships are available!* Please contact the office if you are interested.

Parent Technology Training Session, November 5 Live webinar: Learn about navigating Seesaw and Clever

Parents, do you need tech help? Join 4J educators for a parent training session to get a better understanding of the technology your elementary school student is using for distance learning.

Thursday, Nov. 5, 5:30–6:30 p.m.

Link to join webinar: https://bit.ly/2JeNjSc

Passcode: 546577

During the live webinar, you will see a demonstration of Seesaw and Clever, learn how to find important information and support your student's learning, and have an opportunity to ask questions. Spanish and ASL interpretation will be provided.

Technology training webinars are also scheduled for parents of middle and high school students.

Learn more:

Technology Training Sessions: <u>4j.lane.edu/parent-technology-training-sessions</u> Technology Help for Parents and Students: <u>4j.lane.edu/technology/tech-help</u>

Educación tecnológica para padres, 5 de noviembre Webinar: Aprenda a navegar por Seesaw y Clever

Padres, ¿necesitan ayuda técnica para apoyar a su estudiante? Únase a los educadores de 4J en una sesión en línea para padres para comprender mejor la tecnología que su estudiante está usando para el aprendizaje a distancia en la escuela primaria.

jueves, 5 de noviembre, 5:30–6:30 p.m. Enlace al webinar: https://bit.ly/2JeNjSc

Contraseña (passcode): 546577

Durante la sesión, verá una demostración de Seesaw and Clever, aprenderá cómo encontrar información importante y apoyar el aprendizaje de su estudiante, y tendrá la oportunidad de hacer preguntas. Se proporcionará interpretación en español y lenguaje de señas.

También hay webinars programados para padres de estudiantes de secundaria y preparatoria.

Aprenda más:

Webinars de tecnología para padres: <u>4j.lane.edu/parent-technology-training-</u> sessions

Ayuda tecnológica para familias: 4j.lane.edu/technology/tech-help

Other Opportunities in our Community

Sign up for String Academy – now for ANY student in 3rd, 4th or 5th grade!

String Academy is a fun and exciting opportunity for your child to learn to play the violin, viola, or cello! The teachers are wonderful, and the Eugene-Springfield Youth Orchestras (ESYO) has developed an online program that will include fun and educational activities so that each student can learn to play violin, viola, cello or bass. And they provide the instruments!

Check out this video about the program! https://video.link/w/TCorb Online classes meet over Zoom starting Nov. 16th, from 7:30am-8:15am or 3:30-4:15 either M/W or TuTh. And they provide the instruments!

Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. *Income based scholarships available!* Deadline Nov. 9th

There are so many benefits to learning an instrument! Students gain self- confidence, learn responsibility, and experience the joy of making music. They will perform for each other and prepare videos for concerts.

Sign up here: https://esyorchestras.org/programs/string-academy-i/. String Academy opens the door to the joy of making music, with benefits that can last a lifetime!