

Celebrating 100 Years! 1909-2009

PUC E WEEKLY NEWS

March 19, 2009

See's Candy orders are due tomorrow.
Orders will be delivered before Easter.



PUC Elementary is thrilled to announce that **Ene Okon** will represent us at the finals of the Northern California Conference Spelling Bee on April 19 in Healdsburg. Ene successfully advanced from the regional finals this past week. Go Ene!

Next week is Spring Break. Lisa will be in the office intermittently and will check the phone messages if you need assistance.

HEAPS of coats and other miscellaneous clothing have been left at school. Check the hallway table.

Soapbox Derby car kits are for sale now at the school, at the College Ace Hardware and at Central Valley Builder's Supply. Kits are \$85.00 each and the price includes the race registration fee and a t-shirt. Start building now! Prizes will be awarded for car decoration in the following categories:

Pre-1950s
Transportation

Vintage

Movie

Post-1950s
Transportation

Second semester Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, April 8 and 9. School will be dismissed at noon on both days. Spring conferences are held at parent or teacher request and are scheduled by individual teachers. Watch for a request slip that will be sent home on Monday, March 30. If you do not receive the slip and would like a conference, call the office and leave a message for your student's teacher.

Cheryl Charles, Ph.D., will speak Wednesday, April 22, at 7:00 p.m. in Dauphinee Chapel. Dr. Charles has worked closely with Richard Louv, author of *Last Child in the Woods: Saving our Children from Nature-Deficit Disorder*. Presented by Pacific Union College.

OPEN HOUSE is a mere four weeks after the beginning of fourth quarter on Thursday, April 23. Look forward to the return of some favorites, i.e. fourth-grade dioramas, and the debut of some maiden projects (what's all that tinkering going on in the 7th grade?).

Next school year's calendar has been approved by the school board. School begins on Monday, August 24, 2009.

The lunch menu after Spring Break will begin with Week 1: Pizza, Ravioli, Haystacks and Potatoes

Upcoming Events:

Friday, March 20, End 3rd Quarter, Sees Candy Orders Due

Monday-Friday, March 23-27, Spring Break

Monday, March 30, Begin 4th Quarter!

Wednesday and Thursday, April 8 & 9, Minimum Days for Parent-Teacher Conferences

Sunday, May 3, Soapbox Derby, 11:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 13, Spring Music Program

Monday, May 25, NO SCHOOL in honor of Memorial Day