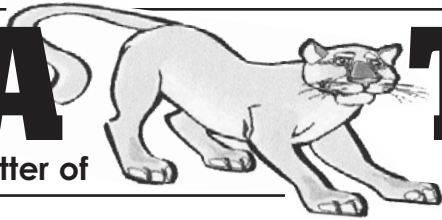


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Sept. 18-Sept. 22

September 18 — Turn in Gift Wrap/Value Book sales

September 19 —

September 20 — Assembly

September 21 —

September 22 — Wear blue

Sept. 25-Sept. 29

September 25 —

September 26 —
Fundraiser/Dining Out night at *Islands*, Carmel Mountain Road

September 27 — No classes for students • Professional Growth Day

September 28 —

September 29 —Wear blue

Mark Your Calendars!

Monday, Oct. 2 • Picture Day
Monday, Oct. 2 through Friday, Oct. 6 • Scholastic Book Fair
Friday, Oct. 27 • Halloween Party (5 p.m.-8 p.m.)

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Artists Get Creative!

Submissions for the PTA's Reflections program, in the categories of photography, visual arts, literature, music, dance choreography, and film/production, should be given to teachers no later than October 20. "My Favorite Place" is the theme. Flyers will be distributed with the Friday packets, and entry forms will be available in the school office.

Help wrap up PTA Fundraiser

Students are selling gift wrap and Values coupon books through Sept. 18 to raise funds for PTA-supported school activities. We need volunteers to collate the fundraising orders on Fri. morning, Sept. 22, and to deliver the products in October after they arrive at school. If you can help out, please contact Elaine Wilson at jwilson@san.rr.com or 672-1259.

Rolling Hills Foundation treasurer needed ASAP!

Please contact Pam Logemann at 672-0898 or plogeman@san.rr.com.

Students benefit when you are involved

Did you know that students generally have better grades, higher test scores and improved self-esteem when their parents are involved with their schools? One great way to get involved is to join the PTA. Membership costs \$8 per person; envelopes are available in the school office. For info., contact Mark Stadler at rhptaprez@earthlink.net or 672-1481.

Eat out, raise funds for Rolling Hills — AND bring flyer!

Join us for dinner at Islands on Tuesday, September 26 (5-8 p.m.), but be **SURE** to bring the special flyer that will go home with students on September 21-22. Islands will donate 20% of your food and beverage purchase back to the PTA. We hope to see you there!

The Halloween party can't happen without YOU!

Do you like to have fun? Can you share a couple hours before, during or after the PTA's Halloween Party? If so, please contact Gary Andrews at 672-4515 or tgoandrews@sbc-global.net. We need help with planning and preparations, activities, and clean-up.

Love to sing?

Chorus registration forms have been sent home with all students in grades 3-5. If your child is interested, please send in the registration form by Friday, September 22, 2006. Chorus begins Friday, October 6, from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please contact Cheryl Quackenbush at 672-3400, x3126, or cherylq@san.rr.com.

Keep art alive at Rolling Hills

We need volunteers — artists and non-artists alike — willing to help out with the Foundation's Arts Attacks Program! All volunteers will get training, and it's a great way to get to know the staff and the students. For information or to volunteer, please contact Kim Stadler at 672-1481 or Sondra Newton at 672-3400.

Students: Show your true colors!

Wear blue on Fridays in September, in honor of our character value — *Trustworthiness*.

Thank you, Puma Fund supporters

The response to the PTA's new Puma Fund has been wonderful. To date, contributions total more than \$2,000, about one-tenth of what the PTA needs to carry out the programs adopted at the September 7 Association meeting. Thank you very much! We will continue to send home information about our fundraisers to all Rolling Hills families in case you wish to participate.