McKinley mini-messenger

wednesday to wednesday February 17-24

Thurs. 2/18	8:30am	ELAC Meeting - Auditorium				
Sun. 2/21	10am - 2pm	Picnic in the Park- McKinley Big Yard				
Mon. 2/22 Mon. 2/22 Mon. 2/22 Mon. 2/22	8:45am 10am 6pm 7:15pm	Parent Math Presentation Gr. TK-2 – Auditorium Parent Math Presentation Gr. 3-5 - Auditorium Encore Parent Math Presentation Gr. TK-2 – Room 205 Encore Parent Math Presentation Gr. 3-5 – Room 205				
Tues. 2/23	4pm	Governance Meeting - Room 105				
Tues. 2/23	6:30pm	AASG Black History Program - Auditorium				
COMING UP:		February 22-26: Jogathon Spirit Week				
		Friday, February 26: McKinley Jogathon				
Jue. 2/18	8:30am	Reunión de ELAC - Auditorio				
Dom. 2/21	10am - 2pm	Picnic en el Patio - Patio Grande de la Escuela				
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Mar. 2/23	4pm	Reunión de Governantes - Salon 106				
Mar. 2/23	6:30pm	AASG Concurso de Historia - Auditorio				
ACERCÁNDOSE:		22-26 de febrero: Semana de Espiritu de Jogathon				
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viernes, 26 de febrero: Jogathon de McKinley

Jogathon is coming! Friday, February 26th

Look inside for prize info, a sponsor sheet and a list of class run times!

El Jogathon de McKinley se Acerca! viernes, 26 de febrero

Busque el volante en esta carpeta de miércoles para información sobre premios, patrocinadores y una lista de las horas que estudiantes estan programados a correr.



Week of February 15

Dear Families:

As a reminder, if you haven't already done so, *please take a few moments to complete the online school climate survey.* We only have had about 30 parents take the survey so far. Your feedback is very much appreciated and will be used to set goals for our upcoming school year. Please see the link below:

http://survey.k12insight.com/k/RQsQQSYRsTSsPsPsP Facebook:

Special thanks to Liz (front office), Lily (community liaison), PTA and all of our parent volunteers for helping with our TK & K Round Up. I appreciate everyone working together to organize and facilitate this special event for our incoming TK & K families. Thank you for donating refreshments, decorating the auditorium, making packets and leading the school tours. Thank you for going the extra mile for our school community! I appreciate all your help and support! This is what makes McKinley such a special place!

<u>Our next Coffee With the Principal is February 16th at 8:45 am.</u> Our topic will be campus safety, dismissal procedures in TK/K & ideas for the spending of site SMMEF funds. Hope you can make this event as your input/feedback is important to us.

Hope you can make our annual <u>Family Science Night (organized by our very own Aimee Oyenoki) on February 17 at 6:30 pm</u> in our auditorium (the general PTA meeting will take place before this event at 6:00 pm). This is a wonderful opportunity to experience hands on science activities with your child. Hope to see you there!

I'm thrilled to be able to offer a parent math presentation (similar to our on-going literacy presentations) on February 22nd. Our 2 site math coaches, Ms. Cervantes & Ms. Kim, along with our district math coordinator, Rosa Serratore will be facilitating the presentation. Come by to learn more about the CA math standards and what to expect in your child's classroom. All presentations will be in the auditorium. We'll have a presentation in the morning and an encore presentation in the evening. Please see the times below:

ГК-grade 2	8:45 am-9:45 am & 6:00 pm-7:00 pm
Grades 3-5	10:00 am-11:00 am & 7:15 pm-8:15 pm

As a reminder, school will be closed on Monday, February 15th in observance of Presidents' Day. Enjoy your 3 day weekend! I'm headed to see my adorable little nephew, RJ, again in Cleveland! Looking forward to spending some quality time with him!

If you have a question or concern regarding your child's education, please make an appointment with your child's teacher. Teachers are always available to meet with you and discuss your child's progress and any concerns you may have.

Remember, every Friday is school spirit day. Be sure to wear your McKinley shirt or blue and gold to show your school spirit! Also, every Friday is "car free" Fridays. Support healthy living by walking, biking, scooting, skateboarding or roller skating to school.

Sincerely,

Susan Yakich Principal



McKINLEY JOGATHON Friday February 26, 2016

The McKinley Jogathon is a school fundraiser and fun day of physical activity that teaches kids what they can accomplish when they set a goal and train for it. Kids collect pledge donations from friends and family for each lap they run, and those funds directly support McKinley's science and technology needs and physical education.

See pledge sheet on reverse for more information



GRAND PRIZE: Limo Ride to Mulligan's Family Fun Center

The top 10 students who collect the most funds and two raffle winners who get their pledges in on time will join Coach Danny and Coach A.D. for lunch and a limo ride to Mulligan's Family Fun Center.



BUT WAIT, THERE'S MORE:

- ★ FABULOUS 2016 JOGATHON T-SHIRT for every McKinley student!
- ★ SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARDS for top runners in each grade!
- ★ POPSICLE PARTIES for every class in which 75% of the students raise \$15 or more!

Start training and get your sponsors today!

McKinley Elementary School 2016 Jogathon Sponsor Sheet

Student Name:		Teacher:	
	NOTE: only one child per sheet.		
Address & Phor	ne #:		Grade:

SPONSOR INFORMATION

- The 2016 Jogathon is scheduled for Friday, February 26th.
- Participants will walk, jog or run as many laps as they can around the track within 30 minutes.
- You may pledge by the lap or a one-time donation. Your tax-deductible donation supports McKinley's science, technology, PE and classroom needs.
- After the event, a notice will be sent home informing you of the total number of laps your student completed, allowing you to start the collection of your donations. In order to be eligible for prizes, all donations, along with this form, must be returned to school by Thursday, March 10th, 2016.
- <u>Please return this sponsor sheet</u> with your collected donations. Additional sheets in office.
- Please email questions to Kate Knight at jogathon@mckinleypta.com

SPONSOR NAME	PLEDGE PER LAP	ONE-TIME PLEDGE	LAPS COMPLETED	PLEDGE TO BE COLLECTED	DATE COLLECTED	AMOUNT COLLECTED
Example:	\$3.00		15	\$45.00		\$45.00
Neighbor Betty						
Example:		\$40.00		\$40.00		\$40.00
Grandpa John						

TOTAL CHECKS: \$	+	TOTAL CASH: \$	=	TOTAL COLLECTED \$ _
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Please make checks payable to McKinley PTA. For tax purposes, our Tax ID# is 95-6208338 Now your sponsors can contribute online! www.mckinleyevents.com



Hey Kids! Here's how you can help!

Before Jog-a-thon:

1) Get Sponsors!

Ask friends and family to support your school by pledging money for each lap you run, or by pledging a flat rate for your participation.

2) Get Healthy!

Eat right, get good sleep, and exercise to build up your strength.

The day of Jog-a-thon:

1) Get Ready!

Eat a healthy breakfast, wear good running clothes and shoes, wear your team color and bring a container of water.

2) Get Moving!

When it's your class' turn, do your best! Run, jog or walk all the laps you can in 30 minutes.

After Jog-a-thon:



1) Collect Pledges!

Let everyone know how many laps you did and collect pledges. Checks should be made payable to McKinley PTA. Remember to turn them in <u>by March 10th</u>.

2) Say Thanks!

Always remember to thank the people who support you!

Schedule

8:35-9:15	Galasso, Galvan, Marks, McCraw/King	11:15-12:0	0 Cervantes, Portner, Mr. S
9:15-10:00	Curry, Moore, Plasencia	1:15-2:00	Dempsey, Le
10:05-11:30	Borenstein, Herman, Pre-K	2:00-2:45	Edwards, Kim, Talbott
10:30-11:15	Kirven, Marshall, Snow, Treuenfels		

find out more or donate online at: www.McKinleyEvents.com



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INCLUDES TRAINING SESSIONS AND LOCAL LEAGUE GAMES.

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