



SFCS Weekly Bulletin

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SFCS JOG-A-THON SUCCESS

Huge thanks to all who supported the SFCS Jog-a-thon! To date, just over \$8,000 has been raised which exceeds our goal of \$7,000. **If you haven't already done so, please send all pledge money into the office.** Congratulations to Ms. Contreras' class for collecting the most money and earning a popcorn party!

PARTYLITE FUNDRAISER FOR SFCS

Partylite Fundraiser order form packets for the scented candles were sent home before the break and are available in the office. The candles make great holiday gifts, and 25% of all sales will go to SFCS. **Orders and money are due by Wednesday, December 5th.**

SPA DAY FUNDRAISER AT THE BUG

A Spa Day and Dinner Fundraiser for SFCS will be held on Saturday, December 8th at the Yosemite Bug Rustic Mountain Resort. The event includes activities for all ages. Please see attached flyer for details.

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Thanks to all who attended parent/teacher conferences. **If you were not able to attend, please contact your child's teacher to set up a meeting to review the report card.**

SPIRIT WEAR SALE BENEFITS SFCS

Get your SFCS t-shirts and sweatshirts now! **Orders are due by this Friday, November 30th. Please contact the office if you need an order form.** Purchased items will be received before Winter Break. Proceeds support our school. Show that Colts pride!

SHIFTING BOUNDARIES CURRICULUM, GR. 5-8

A one-week unit using the "Shifting Boundaries" curriculum will be taught to grade 5-8 students by a Mariposa Alliance representative the week of December 10th. The curriculum addresses personal space, respectful boundaries, and how to seek support from school staff. **Parents/guardians are invited to review the curriculum from November 26-December 7 in the school office.** Parents/guardians may opt students out of one or more lessons.

SAVOURYS TOFFEE TORTE FUNDRAISER

Thanks to all who purchased delicious tortes from Savourys! The fundraiser earned \$615 for SFCS. Huge thanks to Mirriam Platto and Savourys for the generous support!

TOY AND FOOD DRIVE

SFCS is holding a Toy & Food Drive led by the 7th and 8th grade class from December 3rd-14th. Please donate nonperishable foods items and new, unwrapped toys. Food will be donated to the local Manna House and toys will be given to the Mariposa County Sheriff's Department Kops for Kids toy drive. **If you can assist with transporting food to the Manna House, please contact the office.** Thank you!

OLD SCHOOL HOUSE LIGHTING CEREMONY

The Catheys Valley Historical Society is sponsoring this year's Old School House Tree Lighting Ceremony on Sunday, December 2nd at Catheys Valley Park from 4:00-5:30PM. Help us carry on the tradition dating back to 1879 as we gather to celebrate the season with holiday cheer and caroling. The event will include a community potluck this year, so please bring a dish to share if you can. **If your family plans to attend, please call Caroline Korn at 966-6753.**

MCUSD MIDDLE SCHOOL FEASIBILITY SURVEY

MCUSD is using a survey to gather community input to assess the feasibility of reopening a middle school in Mariposa County. All are welcome to participate in the online survey through November 29th using this link: <http://bit.ly/MiddleSchoolFeasibilityStudy>. Please note that SFCS will continue serving students through grade 8.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- **Tues., 11/27: SFCS Board Mtg., 4PM**
- **Fri., 11/30: Spirit Wear Orders Due**
- **Sun., 12/2: Old Schoolhouse Tree Lighting, 4PM**
- **Wed., 12/5: Partylite Fundraiser Orders Due**
- **Sat., 12/8: Yosemite Bug Spa Day Fundraiser**
- **Wed., 12/19: Winter Program, 6PM**
- **Thurs., 12/20: Dismissal at 12:30**
- **12/21-1/7: Winter Break, No School**



SFCS Home School Enrichment: Week of November 26, 2018

Core Virtues for November: Gratitude and Generosity

26 Monday:

TK/K 11:40-2pm Lunch and Rotations: Garden, Spanish and PE

27 Tuesday:

5th/6th 11:40-3:15 Lunch, Garden, Tech, and PE
5th-8th 12:35-3:05 Music Classes: Band, New Instruments, Violin & Guitar
Please let me know if you are interested.

28 Wednesday:

3rd/4th 11:40-3:15 Lunch, Rotations: Garden, Spanish, PE Rotation

29 Thursday:

7th/8th 11:40-3:15 Lunch and Rotations: Garden, Tech and P.E.
1st-8th 12:35-1:05 Piano Classes, please contact me if you are interested.
TK/K 1:50-2:20 Music Class
1st/2nd 2:35-3:00 Music Class

30 Friday:

1st/2nd 11:40-3:15 Lunch and Rotations: Garden, Spanish and PE

Coming Up:

Tuesday, December 4th **Maker Day at the Old School House, 10:30-12:30**
Friday, December 7th **Core Virtues Assembly and Fun Friday**

SFCS Links to Blogs, Web Sites and Curricular Connections:

Subscribing to classroom blogs and websites is a great way to get ideas from what is happening at school.

- [The Home School Blog](#)
- [Mrs. Stillwell's TK/K's Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Mrs. Baumann's 1st and 2nd grades' Website and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Ms. Starchman's 3rd and 4th grades' Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Ms. Miranda's 5th and 6th grades' Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Ms. Contreras's 7th and 8th grades' Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [The SFCS Garden Blog](#) - all grade levels
- [The SFCS Tech Blog](#) - all grade levels & [5-8th Grade Tech Exploration](#)



Spa Day & Dinner Fundraiser

benefiting Sierra Foothill Charter School

Saturday, December 8th
at the Yosemite Bug Rustic Mountain Resort

Activities for all ages! Enjoy one or all of them, no reservations required.

All proceeds donated to Sierra Foothill Charter School

3pm - 9pm: Yosemite Health Spa, day access - \$12

3:30pm - 5:30pm: Crafts & fun for the kids - \$5

4pm - 9pm: Bentonite clay mask, champagne & health spa access - \$24

6pm - 9pm: Dinner at the June Bug Cafe with live music by Jim Savarino

(Order dinner from the menu; kids - \$7, adults - \$11- \$24)

7pm - 9pm: Campfire sing-a-long, s'mores & more! - \$5