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San Carlos Preschool Newsletter

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THANKSGIVING BASKETS

- 1 box of stuffing mix
- 1 can of chicken broth
- 1 box of instant potatoes
- 1 package of gravy
- 2 cans of sweet potatoes/yams
- 1 package of marshmallows
- 4 cans of corn or green beans
- 1 can of cranberry sauce
- 1 box of Jell-O
- 2 cans of fruit
- 1 box of cake mix 1 can of icing

NOTE FROM THE OFFICE

Before we know it, Thanksgiving will be here. Let us celebrate the spirit of giving, by not only giving thanks for the many blessings we have received, but by sharing our abundance with those in need.

Along with San Carlos United Methodist Church we will help fill Thanksgiving baskets for families at Jefferson Elementary School. The basket will be filled with the basics for a traditional Thanksgiving dinner.

You may choose to purchase everything needed for one basket, selected items from the list below, or you may wish to make a monetary donation and we will do the shopping for you.

In order to make sure the Thanksgiving Baskets arrive at the school in time for distribution before the school closes for the holiday, donations must be received in the preschool office by Friday, November 14th.

Please check the expiration dates on the items.



Cindy and Valerie were an integral part of the behind-the-scenes planning, solicitation of donations, making and bundling tickets, preparing games, bid sheets, ticket sales and planning all the small details. They are amazing!

Thanks to the SCUMP staff for spooking up the campus and working the event!

Thanks to all the volunteers who worked hard to prepare and organize the event! They did a tremendous job contacting companies to get donations, designing and making signs, selling tickets, and putting the baskets together. They spent many volunteer hours organizing everything down to the last detail. We owe them a BIG thank you!

We had an astonishing amount of volunteers to help run the event. Without them, the event couldn't have taken place. Thanks to the Boy Scouts and leaders from Troop 959, Girl Scout Troop 4907, Alumni, United Women of Faith and church members.

Special thanks to:

Thank you to all families that donated to their child's classroom basket and for donating water, soda, chips and candy. In addition to all of this the following families made donations of items for the silent auction:

Joyner Family & Friends (donating over \$1,400 in merchandise for the silent auction)

Brunetto Family
Mers Family
Velazquez Family
Nenaber Family
Mei Family
D'Arrigo Family
Coba Family
Brown Family (Alumni)
Davila Family (Alumni)
Yoakum Family (Alumni)
Straw Family
DesRochers Family (Alumni)
Murphy Family (Church members)
Storer Family

THANK YOU

Business Donations

Businesses that helped make Halloween Happening a success!

- Amazing Co.
- Belmont Park
- Mingei Museum
- Crumbl Cookie – Santee
- Wheel of Fortune
- Foster's Freeze
- Been n Bun
- San Diego Air & Space Museum
- San Diego Natural History Museum
- Camp Bow Wow – El Cajon
- Filippi's Pizza – Santee
- Kroc Center
- Lamplighters Community Theatre
- Costco – La Mesa
- Chick-fil-A Grossmont
- Museum of Making Music
- Stronghold Jiu Jitsu
- Ceramicafe – La Mesa
- Johnny B's Burgers
- The San Diego Zoo / Safari Park
- Harbor Tour / Flagship Cruises
- Suds n Pups – San Carlos
- San Carlos United Methodist Church
- Shirts On Tap
- Trader Joe's Grossmont
- Hera Hub
- Urbane Cafe
- Oriental Trading Co.
- San Diego Automotive Museum
- TaylorMade Golf
- San Diego Ballet
- Tell Tail Veterinary Urgent Care
- In-N-Out Burger
- San Diego Museum of Art
- San Diego Ice Arena
- The San Diego Gulls
- Yoakum's Auto Detail
- Seaworld
- Sesame Place
- Sugared by Janee
- So Slay hair salon
- Sunkissed spray tans
- Crossfit ATR
- Viva Pilates Studio
- Total Wine & More - Mission Valley
- Kendra Scott Jewelry - Mission Valley
- Cheers Deli
- Diane Straw Photography
- Raising Cane's
- Kahoots Pet Store - La Mesa
- Oasis Dentistry / Dr. Viet Le
- My Donation Match Escondido
- California Surf Museum
- Oceanside Museum of Art
- Emerald Isle Golf Course
- Mona Lisa Italian Restaurant - Downtown
- Tanya Velazquez Photography
- Regal Movie Theatres
- Chipotle
- Airtrack Park
- Children's Museum of Discovery
- Aqua Pros Swim School
- Japanese Friendship Garden
- Art with Larisse
- The Old Globe
- Belly Up
- The USS Midway
- Fleet Science Center
- Geppetto's - Fashion Valley
- Birch Aquarium
- City Cruises

Scholastic Book Orders

School Calendar

Monthly Themes

Forest Animals

Manners

Healthy Foods

Thanksgiving Feasts

What we are thankful for

NOVEMBER

3rd - Tuition and October lunch and EDC

statements emailed.

5th - School t-shirt day

10th - No School / SDUSD Non-Instructional Day

11th No School / Veterans Day

13th - School t-shirt day

14th - Payments are due

14th - Food Drive Ends

18th - Preschool Board Meeting

20th & 21st - Thanksgiving Feasts

24th - 28th - No School Thanksgiving vacation.

Need to do some holiday shopping? Only 8 Fridays till Christmas!

Extended Day Care

(drop-in care) is open from

7:00 AM - 5:00 PM.

You don't need to give any advance notice.

You are only charged \$10 per hour

for the hours your child is here.

Note: Lunch is 12-12:30

Nap is 1:00-3:00 PM



San Carlos Preschool Window Decals

Pick up your **FREE** San Carlos Preschool window decal in the preschool office!

We're so grateful for our amazing SCUMP community and thank you for your continued support!

LOOKING AHEAD TO DECEMBER

1st - Tuition and November lunch and EDC

statements emailed

12th - Payments are due

22nd - January 4th - Winter Vacation. No school

or EDC.

School resumes on Monday, January 5th.

Parents' Morning Out

San Carlos United Methodist Church is offering Parents Morning Out in the church nursery

Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

This program is designed for toddlers 18 months to 36 months.

Little ones get used to a routine and participate in enriching activities, including stories, crafts, and free play led by experienced child-care workers.

The class is limited to 10 children