

Golden View PTO Newsletter



OCTOBER CALENDAR

- Oct 2 6:30-7:30pm PTO Mtg.
- Oct 8 6:30-7:30pm PTO Connect Mtg. in Library
- Oct 9-24 Fall Fundraiser
- Oct 9 3-9pm El Torito Fam. Night
- Oct 21 4-6 pm Skate Night
- Oct 30 Art Masters Assembly



Golden View is Going Green!

After this edition, the rest of the newsletters will be available online on our website or will be emailed out to families that gave us their email addresses. We will have a few hard copies available in the office for those families who don't have internet access



P.T.O. PRESIDENTS' MESSAGE

We are excited to be your new leaders this year and look forward to working together to make Golden View 'golden'. If you're looking for a way to get more involved at school or have some questions about the P.T.O., you're invited to attend an informal meeting on October 8 in the Golden View library. Come meet the P.T.O. board, offer suggestions and see where you can get 'plugged in'.

Kim Jarrah & Anastasia Halpin

Golden View P.T.O. Connect

Oct 8, 6:30-7:30 pm

- C ollaborating
- O utreach to families
- N ew ideas
- N etworking
- E nergizing members
- C reativity enhanced
- T eamwork

P.T.O. MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

We are pleased to announce the winners of our 2008-2009 "Go for the Gold PTO Membership Drive":



- GOLD** Mrs. Nash's class won gold with 17 of her students' families joining the PTO! They will be receiving a pizza party next Friday, Oct. 3.
- SILVER** Mrs. Burkett, Mrs. Neubert and Mrs. Gibson's classes won silver with 15 families joining the PTO and will have a class popsicle party next Friday, Oct. 3.
- BRONZE** Mrs. Earl, Mrs. Ostavarpour, Mrs. Cadiente/Conton, Mrs. Kraemer and Mrs. Perrigo's classes won bronze and their students will receive personalized Golden View pencils & a treat.

Thank you teachers and parents for helping make our PTO Membership Drive the most successful ever!

P.T.O. FUNDRAISING

SIGNATURE FALL FUNDRAISER

Our main fundraiser for the year will be our catalog sale from Oct 9-24. This year we will have much more than wrapping paper so we encourage families to use it for their holiday shopping. Details are on our website with a link to their online products. Students who sell 15 items or more will be invited to a special "Disco Party" at lunch time with a live DJ.



FAMILY PHOTO DAYS

We encourage Golden View families to take advantage of our reasonably priced park & beach family portraits offered by a local photographer, Carol Larsen. Dates are filling up so check out her website at www.carollarsen.com or our P.T.O. website for more information.



P.T.O. JOB BOARD

As you know, we have many opportunities, big and small, to volunteer here at Golden View. Below is a brief list of our current needs. Email: president@goldenviewpto.org

- Data Entry Secretary (enter information in PTO database-can volunteer for many or a few hours) -contact Tami Moore E-mail: VPMembership@goldenviewpto.org
- Assist with Fall Fundraising in October -Contact Patricia Hahn or Dana Prante VPFundraising@goldenviewpto.org
- Assist with Jog-a-thon in April, 2009 (Solicit donations from businesses in Fall- Help organize and run event in Spring) - Contact Dana or Patricia (see above)
- Help with admin tasks such as copying, filing, distributing items in teacher mail boxes
- Be a classroom Room Parent or Photo Parent (tell your teacher you're interested- Dana Prante and Gayle Exton are Room Parent Coordinators- contact chefgayle@aol.com)

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NEW PTO WEBSITE



www.goldenviewpto.org

We are proud to announce our very own website. We have our own fundraising links, calendar, meeting minutes, newsletters, event updates and general announcements all posted there for your convenience.

GOLDEN VIEW PTO - FUN, EFFICIENT & FRIENDLY!



E-SCRIP

You can support our school simply by registering your credit cards online at www.escrip.com. The link is on our website just remember to enter our school's group ID #6654533 since there is another Golden View Elementary in San Ramon, CA.

Here's How it Works:

1. You register any one or all of your existing grocery loyalty, debit and credit cards for use in the program.
2. Participating merchants will make contributions to Golden View, based on purchases made by you, just for using the cards you registered.

Contact Barbara Adams if you have any questions about e-Scrip at Barbara.adams@ngc.com