

The Sakamoto Scoop

September 2018ep Newsletter

CALENDAR

9/3 Labor Day—No School
9/4 Back to School Night
9/11 PTO Meeting 7pm
9/12 Walk n Roll to School
9/12 Koffee Klatch Parent Mtg, 9am
9/13 Hispanic Parent Mtg, 9am
9/20 School Site Council, 4pm
9/20 Ice Cream Social, 6:30pm
9/24-10/5 Parent Conferences, Adjusted Dismissal
9/25 Fall BBQ @ lunchtime
9/25 School Picture Day
9/28 Family Movie Night, 6:30
10/8—No School, Staff PD

PTO News!

PTO Fundraising kicks off this month with Pennies for PTO, special events, Samurai Savings and our Walk a Thon pledges! Be on the look out for flyers and news from the PTO and check out the website at www.sakamotopto.com

NEWS & EVENTS

Back To School Night is here! This annual tradition is an opportunity to meet your child's teacher, visit the classroom and learn about your child's school year, expectations, instruction, and school wide practices and culture. Our parent community is very important to us so we hope you can attend! Remember that this is for parents and adult family members only.

When: September 4, 2018

Time: 6:00 for Kindergarten families
6:30 principal's message
7:00 Presentation #1 in classrooms
7:30 Presentation #2 (for parents of siblings)

Goal Setting Conferences: Teachers will start meeting with parents this month for goal setting. These conferences provide diagnostic data to parents about their child's readiness for the grade level, and give an opportunity for teachers, parents, and students to set goals together for the year.

Every Student Succeeding: Congratulations to Joey Drake, who will be receiving the Every Student Succeeding Award from the state Association of California School Administrators. Joey is representing all of Santa Clara County!

PARENT GROUPS

Parent group meetings will be starting up this month and you are encouraged to attend! Parent groups are held to bring together like-minded parents to collaborate and discuss issues, topics, events, and ideas related to your child's education.

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO): All parents are members and welcome!

Koffee Klatch: A meeting space for parents of African American, African, and Bi-Racial children. Meets 1x/month

Hispanic Parent Group: Meets 1x/month. Plans and organizes Dia De Los Muertos.

School Site Council: Elected group that oversees the implementation of the school's safety and achievement plans.

