

PTO UPDATE

I scream, You scream, We all scream for . . . JUICE BARS!?! This **Friday** we will be kicking off the after school sale of frozen juice bars for \$1each. The proceeds will go towards paying for the 5th grade Outdoor Education Class this coming spring. After this week, the Juice Bar sales will be held after school on **Wednesdays**.

Speaking of Outdoor Ed - 5th GRADE PARENTS, please look for a LETTER OF VITAL IMPORTANCE that will be sent home this Friday regarding Outdoor Ed and the upcoming fundraisers to help pay for it.

- **Student Store**-will be opening **Tuesday**, next week in the multi-purpose room during lunch recess. Come check us out for your school supply needs. Students will be able to put their name in a drawing for a chance to win \$2.00 worth of school supplies.
- **French Patisserie**-on-going cake and tart sale will start **Thursday, January 20th** at 1:45 to 3:15 p.m. Pre-orders are not required for this sale. Come pick up your dessert for your next get together, family meal or for that special dinner and support your school programs at the same time.
- **Halloween Pictures**-are here. We apologize for the delay. We encountered many technical and processing problems. Thank you for your patience. Your picture/s will go home with your child. If you think you placed an order and did not receive your picture, call Gloria (355-1235) or Ofelia (738-0313) and we'll be more than happy to check in to it.
- **Escrip**-Looking for escrip parents. There are just over 200 families signed up on escrip and there are about 468 Wednesday packets that go out a week. Hmmmm! We are current bring in about \$700 dollars a month on 200 families. Just think if we could have 400 families signed up on escrip. Please see attached flier for details on how to sign up and participating business.



- **Holiday Drive**-Thank you to everyone who donated financially to the Pacifica Resource Center's "Sponsor-A-Family" program. The Center would like to thank the Ortega School community for their generosity and for participating in this good cause.
- **Birthday Celebration**-Thank you to Ms. Bewley's, Mrs. Axtell's, Ms. Gonzalez's, and Mr. Hartman's class for providing the cupcakes for the November and December birthdays and for helping with the celebration. The next Birthday Celebration will be held on Wednesday, January 26. Thank you.



ON MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE FOLLOWING JOBS PLEASE CONTACT GEMMA COBB @ 355-9545 OR KRISTI FOSTER @ 355-3311

- **Student Store**- Tuesday at lunch recess.
- **French Patisserie**-Thursday 1.30-3.30 (any Thursday or for any length of time will help) Beginning 1/20
- **Escrip Coordinator**-This position would be a board position. This position would be to over see the Escrip accounts and ensure new business is coming in. The job requires just a few hours a week.
- **Eleanor in our school office** would like help Mon-Fri 12-1.30 to answer phones and other duties. If you are available any of these days during the week at this time to help out our fabulous office lady Eleanor please call Gemma or Kristi.

Thank you to all our families currently donating time here at our school. Your efforts will continue to show in our school & children.

On behalf of the PTO Board we would like to welcome Karri Franco & Christine Harvey-Andersen on board, joining Gloria Fare as Activities Coordinators. Thank you ladies & Welcome to the PTO Board family.

Please refer to Mr. Rogers newsletter for any additional school dates & holidays.