

**NEW HAMPSHIRE ESTATES ELEMENTARY
PRINCIPALS'S POST**

Jane S. Litchko, Principal

WEEK OF OCTOBER 19 – OCTOBER 24, 2009

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19:

- Mark Jaster – Mime – Cultural Art Program

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20:

- Coffee with Jennifer Delorge and Linkages – 8:30-10:00 AM in the all purpose room – “Mental Health”

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21:

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22:

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23:

- PTA Bingo - 6:30-8:30 PM at Oak View

*** IMPORTANT DATES:

- **NO SCHOOL:**

- **Monday, Nov. 2nd** – report card prep day for teachers and election day

- **EARLY DISMISSAL DAYS FOR PARENT CONFERENCES:**

Please be sure to mark your calendars and talk to your child/children about coming home early **12:30 PM** on the following days:

- **Wednesday, NOV. 11TH** –PARENT CONFERENCE DAY - (Conferences will be held from 1:00-8:00 PM. – Your child’s teacher will contact you to set up a time.)

- **NO SCHOOL -3 year old Head Start, AM and PM PRE- K Students and All Day Head Start Please do not put these students on the morning bus.**
- **K-2 and STUDENTS DISMISSED AT 12:30 pm**

- **Thursday, NOV. 12TH** –

- **NO SCHOOL - 3 year old Head Start, AM and PM PRE- K Students and All Day Head Start. Please do not put these students on the morning bus.**
- **K-2 STUDENTS DISMISSED AT 12:30 pm**

- **EARLY DISMISSAL DAY - Wednesday, November 25 – Thanksgiving Break:** Please be sure to mark your calendars and talk to your child/children about coming home early **12:30 PM**

- **3 year old Head Start and AM PRE- K Students dismissed at 10:30 AM**
- **NO SCHOOL - PM PRE- K Students**
- **K-2 and All Day Head Start STUDENTS DISMISSED AT 12:30 pm**

Please make sure that you let babysitters and/or anyone who watches your child after school; know about these early dismissal days. If you normally pick up your child, please do so no later than **12:30 PM**. If your child’s plans for that day are different than his/her normal way to get home, please notify the teacher ASAP.

*** PTA NEWS: NHE/OV PTA is hosting two social events in October.

BINGO!! 6:30 p.m. Friday, October 23rd is BINGO NIGHT at Oak View ES. This is a fun, family-focused event that is an important fundraiser for both schools. We have prizes ranging from books to toys to grocery gift certificates to Starbucks cards! But even more important -- leave the cooking to us! We will have delicious home-made Latin American specialties, fresh baked goods, fruit and pizza. There is something for everyone.

Please contact Jennifer Hinrichs if you are able to bake or donate something to the Bingo Night (baked goods, drinks, prize etc.) 301-587-6009 or jenhpta@rcn.com.

Monday, October 26th is RESTAURANT NIGHT at El Golfo. Come join other NHE and OV families any time after 6 p.m. A percentage of each bill goes to NHE and OV. El Golfo has been a long-time supporter of our schools and the restaurant is very family/kid-friendly. We look forward to seeing at one or both events!

***WRITING SAMPLE: Our writing sample this week comes from Head Start/Pre-K.