

RONALD MCNAIR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA E-WEEKLY

Week Ending November 13, 2009

SPAGHETTI DINNER AT RONALD MCNAIR

CALENDAR

Looking Ahead

11/22 Girls on The Run Race
11/25 Early Release Day 12:55PM
11/26 Thanksgiving Break Begins
12/3 Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night
12/4 Make a Gift Night 6:30PM

NEWS

Spaghetti Dinner IS TONIGHT at RONALD MCNAIR (Yes, the venue has been changed! **The Spaghetti Dinner will be held at Ronald McNair!**)

Don't cook tonight. Come to RONALD MCNAIR for our annual McNair PTA Spaghetti Dinner. Adults are \$5; children are \$3 and children under 2 eat FREE. Don't miss one of the most fun and delicious events of the year!

Volunteers Needed!

We could use your help or your middle or high school age kids to help children make crafts at Make a Gift Night this December 4th. Please contact Suzanne Colby at zanco1by@gmail.com or Maria Branham at maria_r_branham@mcpsmd.org if you can help with this event.

Original Art Work

Orders were due at the end of last week. PLEASE return the magnets to school with your child if you are not interested in purchasing them.

Preparing Tomorrow's Adults

Have you joined McNair's PTA? Studies show that students perform better in school when parents are involved. A membership form is attached or you can pick one up in the school office. Fill out the form, attach payment and send into

school in backpacks. Questions? Contact Regina McCutcheon at rjmccutch@yahoo.com or 301-515-0688.

Girls on the Run 5k Fun Run Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed for stuffing goody bags, staffing water stations, goody bag pick-up, course marshalling, Running Buddies and more. GOTR of Montgomery County is registered with the Montgomery County Volunteer Center and students will earn SSL hours. If you have time to give on race day, November 22nd or before, please contact Korin Wilson at korin22@comcast.net

Box Tops for Education

Thanks to all the parents and students who have been clipping Box Tops! We've already collected over \$500 this school year. Congratulations to Ms. Shorter's 4th Grade class for clipping the most Box Tops for Education in October. Next month, your child's class could be the big winner, so keep clipping.

Campbell's Labels for Education

Don't forget the "Campbell's Labels for Education" program. As the weather gets cooler, think about opening cans of soup to have with your meals. And don't forget to clip and save the UPC from that soup can – if it's Campbell's Soup! Please continue to clip, save, and send in your UPCs from Campbell's soups, meals, Pepperidge Farm breads and cookies. Keep eating those goldfish!!

Montgomery College Programs

Montgomery College Youth Programs is offering a special one-day enrichment program at Montgomery College for Gifted and Talented Students in grades 4&5. It will be from 8:30AM to 2:50PM on November 14th at the TakomaPark/Silver Spring Campus. Contact 240-567-7917 or www.montgomerycollege.edu/youth for more information.

Don't Forget!

Every time you choose to eat at Glory Days Grill from now until May 1st between the hours of 5 and 9PM, 15% (excluding alcohol) of your bill will be donated to Ronald McNair. Bring a copy of the restaurant receipt (NOT a credit card receipt) and send it to school with your child to give to their teacher or drop in the PTA box in the Main Office. YOU choose the nights that are right for YOU over the school year! This offer includes Take Out too.

E-WEEKLY Deadline

Please submit information for the PTA E-Weekly to Jane Rothschilds at drothschilds@comcast.net, Corresponding Secretary, by 5PM on Wednesday for inclusion in the newsletter.