

Upcoming Events

Oct. 10- 16: Book Fair Week
Oct. 12: Technology Club
Oct. 16: Fall Festival
Oct. 18: Picture Retake Day
Oct. 19: Technology Club
Oct. 24 – 28: Red Ribbon Week
Oct. 28: 1st Quarter Ends
Oct. 31: 2nd Quarter Begins
Oct. 31 – Nov. 4 Student Council Campaign
Nov. 3 Visitors Day
Nov. 8 Election Day
Nov. 9-10 Parent – Teacher Conferences for 1st Quarter
Nov. 18: Minimum Day
Nov. 21 – 25: Thanksgiving Vacation
Dec. 4: CCC Volleyball Tournament
Dec. 8: Christmas Musical @ 7pm
Dec. 16: Minimum Day
Dec. 19 – Jan. 6: Christmas Vacation
Jan. 9: School Resumes

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Mr. Minder, You will be missed at Miramonte!

Change is never easy. This week will unfortunately be the last week that Mr. Minder will be working at Miramonte Christian School. After faithfully serving our Miramonte family for 17 years, Rick Minder is an institution at this campus. Children whom he has mentored are now parents of present Miramonte students. He has touched many lives and for sure he will be missed. Mr. Minder's last day working here is Sunday, October 16th, which is Fall Festival at Miramonte. You are all encouraged to take the time to share your appreciation to him.

The School Board and Administration are quickly working to hire someone to take over Mr. Minder's responsibilities.

Fall Festival – Sunday, October 16th

On Sunday, October 16 from noon to 3pm, Miramonte's campus is transformed to a community family event. You are invited to bring your whole family, friends and neighbors. There will be food, games, an antique car show, and an annual baking contest. Make plans to be there! If you can help, please contact your student's classroom teacher.

Book Fair and Read-A-Thon

The Scholastic Book Fair will be from October 10th - 16th. We look forward to all the marvelous books to read. You can order early by going online at www.scholastic.com/miramonteschool.

Our Read-A-Thon, however, has already started. Each student is to have their parents sign each day the reading log noting how many minutes they have read. These reading logs need to be turned in each Friday to your child's classroom teacher. The total minutes will be added to our count. The goal is 100,000 minutes of reading for the whole school. The Read-A-Thon ends October 21st. The class with the most minutes read will get to choose a wacky stunt for our principal to perform.

Who Can You Refer to our Visitors Day?

Miramonte's Visitor's Day is Thursday, November 3rd. It will be from 8:00 am to noon. This day is for students entering Kindergarten to Grade 5 in the upcoming school year 2016-2017. Students entering Grades 6-8 may visit the class any Wednesday or Thursday with prior notice.

Please send us the names and contact information of friends, relatives, and neighbors who have school-age children (from 3 year olds to 8th grade). We will invite them to discover our dynamic Christian educational program. Please let us know as soon as possible.

Walk-A-Thon Was a Success

The 6th Annual Walk-A-Thon was great time for all our students. We are so proud of all of those students that push themselves to walk the most they could to help raise funds to help our school. The money collected from this event will be used to pay for new carpet in classrooms, technology, and to add to the classrooms funds. Please, don't forget to turn in your pledge sheets and money if you didn't yet.

A big thank you to the Home and School team lead by Rose Shimizu and Karen Mock. They did a fantastic job organizing this remarkable event. We are blessed to have parent volunteers at Miramonte.

Hot Lunch this week

Tuesday, Oct. 11: Pizza Hot Lunch – upper grade fundraiser

Friday, Oct. 14: Hot Lunch (3rd grade fundraiser) – Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Bread, & Dessert \$5.

Sports Notes:

Tue. Oct. 11 – 3:30-5:00 pm 7th Gr Girls Volleyball Practice

Tue. Oct. 11 – 4:30 pm 8th Gr. VB Team vs Hillbrook 7th @ Campbell Community Ctr. - Main Gym

Wed. Oct. 12 – 3:30-5:00 pm Coed Volleyball Try-Outs.

Thu. Oct. 13 – 3:30-5:00 pm 8th Gr. Girls Volleyball Practice

Thu. Oct. 13 – 4:30 pm 7th Gr. VB Team vs TMS at TMS

Technology Club started last Wednesday, October 5th

Miramonte's Technology Club started last week. Each Wednesday, from 3:30 – 4:30 PM, the club meets in the computer lab to enjoy learning more about technology and using it in different ways. Club members are involved in the Adventist Robotics League and participate in the spring regional challenge in Sacramento. Besides that, the club will explore other technologies and go on a few field trips through the year. The last meeting will be on Wednesday, April 19th. Membership is closed at this point. Any adults who wish to help in one way or another, should contact Mr. Koubong, our club sponsor.

Picture Re-Take Day

We will let you know as soon as we are informed when your pictures will arrive. We will have Picture ReTake Day on October 18th for those of you who want to redo your photos.

Sweet Tomatoes Fundraiser

On Sunday, October 23rd, the 8th Grade Class will be hosting a brunch fundraiser at the Sweet Tomatoes location in Sunnyvale, 1210 Kifer Rd., Sunnyvale, CA 94086 from 9-11 am. Please see the attached flyer for more information. The funds raised from this event will go toward the eighth grade class gift which will be presented to school at graduation in June.

Univ. of Santa Clara Volleyball Outing Cancelled

The previously advertised volleyball outing to the University of Santa Clara women's volleyball game on Thursday, October 27 has been cancelled due to scheduling conflicts. We are sorry for the inconvenience.

Week of Prayer

Pastors Mark Ishikawa, Shane Kwon, and Jon Henderson teamed up to encourage our students to have a life with Christ. The students loved the talks and we were blessed at Miramonte with an inspiring week of prayer.

Readers Wanted!!!

Our classes are looking for parents, grandparents, and other adults that would be willing to read to their classes during their regular library time on Wednesday, October 12th. Anyone interested please call the office to sign up.

OBPP in Kindergarten

"In kindergarten class, Olweus Bullying Prevention Program (OBPP) is introduced at their developmental level. We hold our class meeting every other Friday to discuss basic topics and skills that the OBPP encourages us to learn. In the month of September, the students learned how to express feelings of their own in appropriately way and practiced recognizing feelings of others by observing facial expressions and body language cues. This month, the students are practicing to respond to others' feelings with compassion. We created a "talking Stick" (a dowel with a sill face) to practice sharing their feelings and finding ways they can be kind to others." *Kumiko Hite, Kindergarten Teacher.*

Miramonte School Mission: Miramonte Christian School provides a Christ-centered, whole child education by building upon the strengths of our diverse cultures, learning styles, and spiritual backgrounds to create compassionate citizens, discerning leaders, and purpose-empowered individuals.



MIRAMONTE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

FALL FESTIVAL

1175 ALTAMEAD DRIVE, LOS ALTOS, CA

FEATURING: CLASSIC CAR SHOW

FAMILY FUN, FOOD, AND GAMES

YOU'RE INVITED!

10/16/16 12 - 3 PM

Our FunRaisers



JOIN US FOR A FUN-RAISER AND RAISE MONEY FOR

Miramonte Christian School
Enjoy a great Sunday brunch and
help the Class of 2017 raise money for their class gift

40% DONATION

**Weekend Breakfast: Sweet Tomatoes will donate 40% of sales generated
by your organization during breakfast hours - 9:00 am - 11:00 am**

Stores that are open on Saturday for breakfast will offer this on Saturday & Sunday

20% DONATION

for Weekend Breakfast if less than 30 guests attend



DATE:
Sunday, October 23, 2016

TIME:
Guests to arrive between
9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

AT THIS SWEET TOMATOES LOCATION:

Sunnyvale
1210 Kifer Rd.
Sunnyvale, CA 94086-5324



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For directions visit sweettomatoes.com

Purchase a meal and a beverage* and enjoy a great meal and help a great organization!

The FunRaiser must be held by Monday, November 7, 2016 to receive the above promotion

Disclaimer: *1. All participants must purchase a beverage with their meal in order to receive credit towards the organization. 2. Under no circumstances are flyers to be handed out in the restaurant, parking lot or vicinity. Failure to comply will result in a voided contract. 3. Coupons or discounts will not be honored in conjunction with any approved Fun-Raisers. 4. Must present this flyer at time of purchase. 5. Your receipt will be kept and stapled to this form in order to add up the event's sales.

HOUSEHOLD GUIDELINES: 1. For the safety of our guests, no horseplay, running or climbing at any time, please. 2. Please accompany small children when visiting food bars. 3. It is very much appreciated when a supervisory person is present at a table of children.

Sweet Tomatoes. 
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