

THE BROOMFIELD BULLETIN
ADMINISTRATION NEWSLETTER
DR. VANESSA EWING
WEEK OF: AUGUST 31ST 2009



Dear Families:

I hope you have a wonderful Labor Day weekend with your loved ones. As a few reminders, we will not have school Monday due to Labor Day, but **next Tuesday** is a big event day for our families. It is our first **out-of-uniform day** for students (with a \$1.00 donation to our Parent Advisory Council / PAC for additional events and programs for our children), Beth Epley will be here for an **assembly on Fairness**, and our first **PAC meeting** will be in our kindergarten classroom from 3:45-4:45. We look forward to a fun-filled Tuesday with our families and hope you can attend our special events for the day. **Next week please come to the front office foyer area to sign up for our first Parent / Teacher Individual Student Learning Plan conferences also.**

Best wishes for a wonderful weekend, Dr. Vanessa Ewing

Operations and Facilities Column:

A landscape border was added around the sandboxes to better contain the sand and to provide better traffic control in the area. Other completed projects include some website updates, marketing work and preparation for the September 9 open house. Enrollment and interest in the school continues strong, even after the start of school. The school thanks you for your many referrals.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions, concerns or suggestions you might have. I welcome your comments, positive and otherwise. A link to my email address can be found on the 'School' page of our website. Michael Greenberg

**Broomfield Academy Parent Advisory Council (PAC)
Meeting Agenda
09/08/09**

3:45-3:55	Introductions
3:55-4:05	Principal's Update
4:05-4:35	Review of Proposed Calendar for 2009-2010 School Year
4:35-4:45	Discussion of Ideas to Improve Communications and Parent Involvement
4:45	Close Meeting

School Updates:

October 16th and 19th - Staff Development Days. If parents are interested in childcare for Friday and Monday, please email Anica McFarlane at amcfarlane@broomfieldacademy.com to RSVP.

Presentations: Each year, as part of our community outreach effort, we make ourselves available to mom's groups, preschools or other groups of parents interested in learning how best to meet the social and emotional needs of young children. We will set aside some dates for these talks at Broomfield Academy as well. If you are aware of any groups (MOPS, MOMS, play groups, preschools, etc.) that might be interested in having a speaker or holding a meeting at Broomfield Academy, please let the front office know.

After Clubs and Programs:

Girl Scouts: Additional Leaders and Volunteers Needed Girls 5 (close to 5) and older may participate. **This year our regular meetings will take place on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month from 3:45-4:45. Information on Girl Scouts and a welcome lunch celebration will be held on September 17th from 12-1:30 as that is a minimal day at school due to conferences. All girls will need to be picked up at the Den at 1:30 or will be signed-in for Extended Day services.**

Broomfield Banner: Students in grades 2 and up may participate in this student-focused newspaper. Projects focus on writing short stories, poems, and other writing projects for the month. **All projects can be sent to Dr. Ewing for publication.**

You may go to the foyer area of the school for additional information and fliers regarding:

***Capoeira- Brazilian Martial Arts**

***Private music lessons**

***Dance Class**

Upcoming Events:

Monday, September 7th. Labor Day. No School / No Services

Tuesday, September 8th- Beth Epley Core Virtue assembly: Fairness in the morning. Parent Advisory Council (PAC) meeting at 3:45 in the north east Kindergarten room. Childcare is provided free of charge but you must RSVP and check your children into the Den for extended day care. Children can be out of uniform for the entire day with a \$1 donation to our PAC.

Wednesday, September 9th- 9-10 a.m. and 5-6 p.m. Open House Tours for prospective Broomfield Academy families. Please call to R.S.V.P. for tour dates at 303 469 6449.

Volunteer Information Meeting and Training- scheduled during our Individualized Student Learning Plan meetings on September 17th at 4 p.m. and at 11 a.m. on September 18th. You may also contact me to schedule a separate time for us to meet. I ask that parent volunteers chose one of these meeting dates to attend if possible. These meetings will last 30-45 minutes and will include a general overview of our school philosophy, our volunteer policies, and what you can expect from your volunteer experience. Parents interested in volunteering for our Junior Achievement program that teaches children about business will also receive information and training at the Volunteer Information Meeting.

Saturday, September 19th- Broomfield Days Parade Please call the front office if you would like to join us for this fun event or would like to volunteer to help with our school information booth. We will be decorating a float and our school will be a part of the parade.

Friday Family Fun Night- Friday, September 25th from 6-8 p.m. Please join us for our annual potluck and game night event and meet new and returning families. Suggested potluck items: Family Last Names A-I: bring a side dish; J-Q: bring a main dish; R-Z: bring a dessert. The school will provide drinks, napkins, plates, cups, and utensils. You may also bring your favorite outdoor games or board games to share.

Show your school spirit by putting a Broomfield Academy license plate frame on your vehicle.

Stop by the front office to pick one up...or two!

Broomfield Academy Enrollment Referral Program: Broomfield Academy families earn a \$500 academic tuition credit for each family they refer, and who subsequently attend the school for the majority of the academic school year. There is no limit to the number of credits each family can received. The \$500 credit, per family referred, is applied equally to all remaining payments or can be carried as a credit towards future charges and fees.