



RIVERGOLD PARENT NEWS

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Newsletter #3 Sept. 12-16, 2011

School Calendar

Tuesday, Sept. 13
Good News Club begins,
bring back sign up yellow
flier if you want to join.
Grades 1-8 2:30 –3:45

Thursday, Sept. 15
PTA Meeting Everyone
Welcome! 7 pm Lounge

Friday, Sept. 16
Sports games at Cg 12:15

Saturday, Sept. 17
Mountain Heritage Day &
Parade, Oakhurst. Watch
for our Band students and
Cheer them on!

Friday, Sept. 23
Benefit Concert for Mrs.
Coulombe at Rivergold
6-10 pm Great Music,
Food, Raffle, Family Fun!
\$5.00 per person, under 5
free. Everyone Welcome,
bring a blanket or chair.

UPCOMING

Picture Make-up's Oct. 5

**Talent Show Slips Due by
Oct. 5**

Hawk Festival Fri. Oct. 7

Fall Break Oct. 17-21

**Parent Conferences Oct. 24-
28 Minimum Days**

**RIVERGOLD SCHOOL:
BUILDING A CARING
COMMUNITY
OF SUCCESSFUL LEARNERS**

Rivergold Families...

If you have not had a chance to visit Rivergold School on Friday you really need to.....Science Friday is a TREAT. Lynn Reimer and her Science students working with students from other grade levels is a sight to see!

Parents should know, Rivergold's API improved again...based upon last Spring's California Assessment Results, our API is 826, a growth of 7 points. Way to go HAWKS!

I have noticed more parents arriving to school earlier this year to ensure their students have an opportunity to have Perfect Attendance....your diligence has not gone un-noticed. A big THANK YOU to parents for following the directions when entering Rivergold's driveway!

Music parents are already aware, but I wanted to acknowledge what kind of impact Randy Hyatt, the Band Director from Yosemite High School, has had on our Advanced Band class....all reports are students are having a blast while also being challenged to exceed their expectations.

The Rivergold Talent Show is coming....permission forms have been sent home and they are to be returned no later than October 5th. The Talent Show gets bigger and better every year, don't miss out. Forms are accepted in the office now through Oct. 5. (see back)

CAFETERIA INFORMATION

Parents: the 2010-2011 Applications for the National School Lunch will expire on September 14, 2011. If qualified families wish to participate for 2011-2012, they need to submit an application. Applications are available at the school and on-line on the school's website. After submitting an application, they should wait 10 days to allow for processing and notification.

ABSENCE LINE

Be sure to call the absence line at 658-7566 option 1 anytime your child is not in attendance at school. A note to Ms. Sherri in the office or the teacher will also work to take your child off of the unverified absent list. Thank you in advance for taking care of your child's absences.

**"Turning Dreams
Into Reality"
Principal's Corner**

RIVERGOLD'S ANNUAL CARNIVAL
MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!

Rivergold Hawk Festival & Silent Auction
Friday, October 7, 2011 5:00-9:00pm

Yes, the annual Hawk Festival and Silent Auction are right around the corner. This is a great family and community event that helps raise money for our students here at Rivergold. If you would like to volunteer at one of the game booths and haven't yet signed up, please see your child's teacher. Each time slot is just 30 minutes. If you have any additional time to spare help is also needed with set-up, clean-up, and wristband sales. Please contact Jennifer Bodine at 641-6345 or jbodine95@yahoo.com.

*****NEW THIS YEAR*****

Crafter's Corner

This year at the Hawk Festival we will be having a Crafter's Corner. We are looking for local crafters interested in selling their homemade creations. Tables are available for \$25.00 and will be set-up in the MPR along with the silent auction. For more information or to reserve your spot at our Crafters Corner, please contact Hawk Festival Coordinator, Jennifer Bodine at 641-6345

Rivergold Talent Show is Thursday, December 1, 2011

Permission Slips Due Wednesday, October 5, 2011

Auditions held Tues. Nov. 8 (K-3) & Thurs. Nov. 10 (4-8 & Multi-age groups)

What's your talent, Rivergold students?? Alone or with friends, make a plan, get it together, and fill out the permission slip. Be the first to request your song choice! Turn it in now before you forget! Pick up forms or leave yours off in the office!

