

Adopt A Class

"You can't live a perfect day without doing something for someone who will never be able to repay you."



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Activity #2 Letter to the kids.....

It sounds as if all of you have had an awesome time writing letters to your kids. We have heard that some of you have purchased decorated stationery to write your responding letters. Great idea.

The Adopters from Geo. S Bush have taken copies of the letters that they had received & the corresponding letters that they had written to their kids and posted them in their lunchroom for all to enjoy.

Roosevelt High School class of 1966 & friends had a pizza party for their kids as they delivered their letters to the classroom. The pizza's were from a restaurant that is located across from the school and operates out of an old gas fashion gas station. One of the volunteers had brought their 1957 Ford Fairlane for the kids to sit in and have their pictures taken. Both the kids and Adopters had a wonderful time.

The next activity should be just as much fun as the first two.

Please contact you teacher soon to plan the classroom party and to also schedule a time for the volunteers to take their kids to the Book Fair to purchase their books. If possible, please have the classroom party after the Book Fair shopping trip. The book fair is December 4, 5, 6 & 7th. You will be receiving letters from the kids w/their book requests the week of November 6th.

FOOD DRIVE

James John is participating in a neighborhood collaborative food drive for 225 families that is being coordinated by Chrsti Winters, Family Intervention Specialist.

They are in need of non-perishable items such as canned foods, bags of potatoes, cereal, coffee, etc. Items can be delivered to James John School.

They need the donations by *Friday December 8th* so they can assemble the food boxes the week of December 11th.

They can accept many forms of donations (food, gift cards, money) and can provide receipts for tax purposes upon request.

You can reach Christi at (503) 916-5867 or (503) 704-7655.



HARVEST FESTIVAL at James John School
November 2nd 6:00 - 8:00
Dinner available: \$2 per person or \$5 per family plus a can of food

THANK YOU, THANK YOU

Wayne and I would like to thank all of you for all of the extra things that you are doing at James John.

***Fred Meyer** for their gold member donation to the SUN concert series.

***Clear Channel** for the Screamland & movie tickets that they were able to provide to their classroom.

***Advantage Sales** for the several basket of goodies that were donated to the Harvest Festival auction.

***Unitus Community Credit Union** for sponsoring an AAC article in the November Portland Gift Giving guide of the Portland Business Journal.

Port of Portland Adopters volunteering for a reading session .