

Bohannon Middle School PTSA MARCH 2007 E-Mail Update

Hello members of the PTSA. Here's what is new and coming up at our school.

Early Release Day

Friday, April 6, Students are released at 12:26 p.m.

Call for Volunteers!

Do you have **2 to 4 hours** that you can spare during a weekday this May? Can you take an **extended lunch break** during your workday? If you said, "YES!" – the bookfair committee needs you! Our next bookfair is scheduled to run for a week towards the end of May. Due to the popularity of our bookfairs, we need **more adult supervision** than in the past. Bookfairs help raise money for books and other materials the school library needs. They also put **GREAT** reading material in the hands of students, teachers, and parents. Bookfair hours during the day are usually from noon until 4:00 p.m. **EXTRA** help is needed during the lunch break (noon – 1:30) as well as after school (3:15 – 4:00), especially during the beginning of the week when the bookfair first opens. Ideally, we would like to schedule adults for 2-hour shifts. Please join us for this wonderful event, even if you're only available for a day. If 40 parents volunteered for one 2-hour shift, we would have 4 adults for each shift! Help us keep our bookfair a success - please volunteer today. You'll be so glad that you did! Contact Nikki Mendez, PTSA Bookfair Chairperson, today at 510-491-7325 or nlmendez@sbcglobal.net. Thank you!

Operation Mom

There are tens of thousands of U.S. soldiers serving overseas in the military, some from our area and that are former students in the San Lorenzo school district. The PTSA is collecting items in coordination with Operation Mom to send "A Touch of Home" to various soldiers from all branches of the military. Items being collected include food & treats (hard candy, gum, granola bars, packaged cookies, jerky, etc.), fun items (playing cards, short stories, word puzzles, etc.) and **travel size** personal hygiene items (small tooth paste, toothbrushes, socks, foot powder, sunscreen, etc.) A popular item is anything that makes their water taste better, like powdered crystal light, cool aid, etc. If you can donate anything, please have your student bring it to their first period class.

Bulldog Spirit Wear

Spirit wear is available for purchase in the main office. T-shirts are \$10, hooded sweatshirts are \$25 and sweatpants are \$15.

Next PTSA Meeting

Tuesday, March 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the library. Everyone is always invited to attend – students too J.