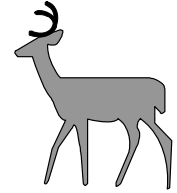


Deer Park Weekly Reminders



November 12, 2009

DEER PARK SPIRIT NIGHT AT MOE'S: Enjoy a fun night with your family at Moe's! Bring your friends and neighbors, too. Join us on Wednesday, November 18, 2009 from 4-8PM at Moe's (5005 Westone Plaza, Chantilly). Everyone who comes to Moe's between 4 and 8PM will count as a Deer Park Family. Moe's will donate 10% of every order to the Deer Park PTA! So come show your support for our school, have a great meal and lots of fun! If you have questions, please contact Tricia Warren at 703-830-1906.

YEARBOOK COVER DESIGN CONTEST: The Yearbook Cover Design Contest ends this week! All children can create a design using markers or colored pencils on 8 1/2 x 11 vertical paper. Use the school's theme: "Deer Park Elementary is Fired Up for Reading!" New this year! There will be a winner from each grade and their design goes in the yearbook!

GIANT GIFT CARDS: Don't forget to order your GIANT gift cards from the PTA! When Deer Park families purchase GIANT gift cards at face value, 5% goes directly to our school. GIANT gift cards can be used at GIANT, Super G, and Stop & Shop stores. Gift cards are available in \$25, \$50, and \$100 denominations. Order deadline is Monday, November 16 and cards can be picked up on Monday, November 23 from 5-6PM at Deer Park. Contact Kim Sherrock at 703-815-3377.

MARKET DAY: Thank you for supporting Market Day! All order forms and internet orders are due by November 17, 2009. All orders will be available for pick up on Monday, November 23, in the Deer Park Cafeteria from 5-6 PM. Questions? Please call or email Tricia Warren 703 830-1906, triciawarren1@verizon.net.

THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON: Deer Park's Thanksgiving Luncheon will be held on Thurs, Nov 19 from 10AM-2PM. To volunteer, contact Debbie Reuter at reuterwd@yahoo.com. Include your child's class information & we will schedule your volunteer time around their lunch schedule.

FCPS AUTOMATED ATTENDANCE SYSTEM: All FCPS schools started using the new Keep in Touch (KIT) Attendance system to automate attendance notification to parents the first week of school. In addition to notifying parents by phone, the KIT system will send email notifications for daily unverified or unexcused absences starting at 9:45AM. Calling or emailing Deer Park's attendance line (703-802-5011 or deerparkes.attendance@fcps.edu) when you know your child will be absent or late will prevent the system from calling or emailing parents. Keep in mind, the system calls for any unexcused absences, such as vacations, even if prearranged.