



TFS Bulletin

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Dear Parents,

It was great to see so many of you this week during parent-teacher conferences. Thank you for taking the time out of your busy schedules to come to school. Even though conferences are a short amount of time, they are a great one-on-one time when you and the teacher can focus on how your child is progressing, how his or her day is spent and on how things related to school are going at home. The home-school connection is very important for children. When they know that we communicate effectively they feel more comfortable here and they are much more likely to get the most from their school experience.

Speaking of the home-school connection, we will again be using Connect Ed our automated calling system which we can use to let you know about things like special events, late openings and school cancellations. We have entered all of your contact information into a data base so that at the press of a computer key all of you will receive the message from us within fifteen seconds. Early next week I will run a test of the system. If we have your most up-to-date contact information you will receive a recorded test message on Monday. If you don't receive a message it will be because your contact information has changed since you last gave it to us in which case you'll want to send in the updated information.

So, have a great weekend with your children and stand by for a recorded message from school on Monday.

Kathy



We have many items still left in the Lost and Found Box in the Entrance Hallway:

A green GAP baseball hat, a light blue Reebok windbreaker, Bob the Builder T-shirt, green Sonoma hooded sweatshirt, black Starter sweatshirt, royal blue and black Athletic Works windbreaker, Speed Racer lunchbox, Spiderman lunchbox, camouflage gloves, Hanes black hooded sweatshirt, gray and light blue FOX hooded sweatshirt.

Please try to remember to label all of your child's belongings with their name and classroom, so items can be returned when lost.

Thanks to **everyone** for your participation with the Box -Tops collection. We raised **\$785.00**, which will be used by the FFO to organize activities for the children and families of The Friendship School. Also, **Congratulations** to Mrs. Nowak's classroom for collecting the most Box-Tops out of the entire school. Please continue collecting your Box-Tops, the school will be collecting them again in February.

Important Dates

November 11th- Veteran's Day- NO SCHOOL

November 14th- Family Movie Night- 6:30pm "Curious George"

November 26th, 27th, 28th- Thanksgiving Break- NO SCHOOL

December 9th- School Picture Re-take Day

