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PARENT ADVISORY BOARD (PAB) NEWSLETTER

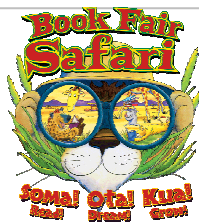
Keeping Parents and Students of Heritage Traditional Classroom and Digital Academy Informed!



2008 Pumpkin Contest: Congratulations to the following winners in the 2008 Pumpkin Growing Contest for grades 1 through 4:

Jonathan Sticka: Grew the biggest pumpkin
Austin Wahlrab: Carved the best Jack-o-Lantern

The April 2008 contest distributed seeds to 140 students who planted them in cups with instructions on how to grow the best pumpkins possible. Five contestants returned in October with pumpkins for judging. Jonathan's entry was the largest in combined horizontal and vertical circumferences at 9'3½". Each boy received Baskin-Robbins ice cream certificates and had their names listed on the bookplate for "Pumpkin Town," a book purchased for our library with funds from "San Diego Ag in the Classroom".



It's almost time for the Scholastic Book Fair!

Come join the Safari from November 13 – the 21st.

The Book Fair will be open during lunch and after school. Start your Christmas and holiday shopping early or simply jump into that great book you've always wanted to read. We also need volunteers to help setup, cleanup and work throughout the fair. Please contact Claudine Rumbawa at 760-739-9102 or crumbawa@cox.net.



Original Art is a program which captures your child's artwork to produce a memorable keepsake.

The school has opted to forego Original Art in the classrooms this year. However, Heritage parent, Ms. Christy Bartlett, is accepting orders for anyone who would like to submit their student's work and purchase a keepsake.

Artwork for grades K-6 will be coming home on Friday, October 24. Middle school students can also participate. Contact Ms. Bartlett at thedesertdiva@cox.net and she will provide special blank paper for you to create artwork at home.

Starting Wednesday, October 29, she will have a box in the office to collect orders which must be submitted by the start of school on Oct 31.



Ms. Anna Barton will begin teaching a fun new program

after school called ZUMBA, a Latin based exercise that combines high energy music with easy dance moves! A series of **free trial classes** will be offered from 3:00 – 3:30 p.m.:

K - 4th Grade: 12-03 and 12-10
5th – 8th Grade: 12-04 and 12-11

Regular classes will begin in January on Wed and Thurs from 2:45 to 3:45 pm. Fliers will be distributed in December with class prices and discounts for siblings.

7th & 8th Grade Artists . . .

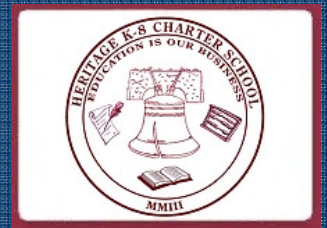
A design contest is underway for our new Heritage T-Shirts, premiering in January 2009. If you have an artistic flair, we'd love to see it! All designs should be submitted to the ASB by November 14th

Library News!

Sadly, our Winter Book Box disappeared during the library remodel this summer. We want to continue having seasonal books available to the students. So, if you have any books on Christmas, Holidays, winter or Valentine's Day, please donate them to the library. Our students would be very grateful!

Highlights:

- Pumpkin Contest
- Scholastic Book Fair
- Zumba Fitness Dance
- Family Fun Night
- Original Art
- T-shirt Design Contest
- Library News
- Keebler Kids Marathon
- Escondido 4-H
- Calendar of Events
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Heritage K-8 Charter School

"Education is our Business"





Join us for the Keebler Kids Marathon Mile on Saturday, January 24, 2009 at 8:00 a.m.

This non-competitive race was created for kids ages 12 and under, but everyone is welcome! Moms, dads, and big kids can join the fun on this 1-mile run/walk through LEGOLAND®.

Registered participants (except those registered as a companion) will receive: a medal, ticket to Legoland, movie ticket, goodie bag, event T-shirt and refreshments. The event stage will feature great entertainment and fun activities immediately after the kids races. Be sure to write in the name of our school on the registration form as Heritage receives \$2 from every entry fee! Contact Tammy for more details: tlckidsmom@yahoo.com.



Use this form to register!

Simply fill in the required information, cut along the dotted line and **turn it into the front office at school.**

Save \$3 off the Marathon Entry

Purchase any Keebler® or Cheez-It® cookie or cracker product at **Albertsons** and save \$3 on up to two full-price event entries. Offer not valid online.

Keebler® Kids Marathon Mile Entry Form Anyone participating in the event must register, including a parent accompanying a child. OK to photocopy. Nonrefundable. Event happens rain or shine. For official use only

You: School Name _____

Participant's First Name _____ Last Name _____ Age on 1/24/09 _____ Sex M F

T-Shirt Size (Check one box) Youth Size: 2-4 6-8 10-12 14-16 Adult Size: SM MED LRG XL

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Parent/Guardian Companion First/Last Name (if applicable) _____

Entry Fees: Check applicable box

- Child 12 & Under** (on or before 1/17/09) \$15 (\$20 after 1/17/09)
Fee includes T-shirt, medal, goodie bag, LEGOLAND and UltraStar pass, refreshments and is eligible for "Run for Your School" fundraising.
- Child 12 & Under AND (1) Parent/Guardian Companion** \$20 (\$30 after 1/17/09)
Only one adult/guardian per registered child allowed. Child fee includes all above. Parent/Guardian fee only includes a race number for accessing the race course with your child and does not include T-shirt and is not eligible for "Run for Your School" fundraising or any discount including Albertsons/Keebler UPC offer.
- Adult OR Child Age 13 & over** (on or before 1/17/09) \$15 (\$20 after 1/17/09)
Fee includes T-shirt and refreshments and is eligible for "Run for Your School" fundraising.
- Save Three!** (special savings from Keebler® and Albertsons) \$3
To save \$3 on up to two full-price entries, you must include both your Albertsons receipt and UPC for qualifying Keebler® products (see above) with your completed entry form and payment. Offer expires on 1/17/09. Not available for use with online registration.

Amount Due \$ _____

Waiver: (must be read and signed by parent or legal guardian)
In consideration of the foregoing, I for my child, myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I have against LEGOLAND California, LLC, In Motion, Inc., Carlsbad Marathon, its principals, the City of Carlsbad, The Keebler® Company, all sponsors and their representatives from any and all claims and damages, demand, actions whatsoever in any manner as a result of my child's participation in said event and agree to release the above-mentioned including, but not limited to, any risks in participating in an athletic event of this type. I attest and verify that my child is physically fit and has sufficiently trained for this event. Further, I hereby grant full permission to any and all of the foregoing to use my child's name, voice, and picture in any broadcast, telecast, advertising, promotion or other account of this event for any purpose whatsoever. I understand that the entry fee is nonrefundable, and the bib number is nontransferable.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Make check payable & mail to: Carlsbad Marathon, 6355 Corte del Abeto, Ste. C103, Carlsbad, CA 92011 **Questions?** Call 760.692.2900 or email info@inmotionevents.com

Important Dates:

Month	Date	Event
November	11	No school – Veterans Day
	22	Robotics Tournament: Grades 4 – 6 La Jolla, Preuss School, UCSD: 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
	26-28	No school – Thanksgiving Break
December	6	Robotics Tournament: Grades 4 – 6 Legoland, Carlsbad: 8:00 am to 5:30 p.m.
	9	Grades 4 – 9 Sounds of the Season Concert – 7:00 p.m. American Spirit Theater
	11	Grades K - 3 Sounds of the Season Concert – 7:00 p.m. American Spirit Theater
Dec 19 to January 5	No school – Winter break	

Gardening News:

Ms. Snead's class weeded, pruned, and cleaned the planter boxes. The Kindergarteners planted beans and will be making melodies with metal pipes during a "Sounds in the Garden" lesson. First through third graders made dozens of tiny terrariums with grass "meadows" and marble lakes. Soon we'll be making pine cone bird feeders and starting a composting project. Fourth graders recently completed a photosynthesis exploration with mushrooms, ferns, and aquatic plants.



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