



# *McKinley Elementary School*

*"We Believe All Students Can Achieve"*

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## ***SCHOOL BULLETIN***

September 26, 2011

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September 27  
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October 3 - 7  
October 4  
October 5

### **CALENDAR**

**Best of Me Assembly grades 3-5 Presented by Kaiser Soul Shoppe**  
**Parents Empowerment Council –**  
6:30 – 8:00pm, District Office  
**Fall Picture Day ☺**  
**Walk and Roll to School**  
**School Board Meeting – 7:00pm, City Hall**  
**PTO Meeting 6pm Library**  
**Walk and Roll to School Day ☺**

**REMINDER:** Every Wednesday is Early Dismissal.  
Kindergarten 8:10 – 11:40am, Grades 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>, 8:10am – 1:50pm



### **PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**

We are so happy that many of our McKinley Families are supporting our Volunteer Program and look forward to having your Volunteer Photograph in our Main Hallway soon! If you are interested in Volunteering and have not signed yet, please get a Volunteer Survey Form in the Main Hallway at our Volunteer Bulletin Board area. We thank each and every one of you! You help make McKinley the fantastic school it is! ☺

Thank you for attending Back to School Night to support your child's school experience at McKinley this school year. I enjoyed meeting all our McKinley families. Our wonderful students Yahkirah Nunn and Jenna Maldonado, under the direction of Girl Scout Troop Leader and PTO parent, Yvonne Nunn, presented our flag beautifully. What a wonderful show of patriotism and the perfect way to start our new school year! Please participate in our Walk and Roll to School Week, beginning October 3<sup>rd</sup>. This week is a great opportunity to walk or roll to school with your child, get some fresh air, stretch your legs, spend quality time with your child, and lead a healthy lifestyle.

A recipe for respect is to model the behavior you wish to see in your children. If you see the same behavior you have modeled, let your child know that you are proud of them for being respectful and encourage them to continue to demonstrate respect in the future. What a wonderful world you are creating for our children.

**GO EAGLES!**

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## **TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

Our phone system facilitates communication between schools and community. We check our voicemail often, so please leave a message if you happen to phone while we are away from our desks. McKinley's main phone number (510 618-4320) has easy voicemail options. Please make note of the numbers.

**Main number - 618-4320**

**Attendance line - 618-4321**

**Food Service - 618-4322**

## **CAUGHT BEING GOOD**

Congratulations to the following students who were caught being good: Sabrina Kho, Sienna Mares, Quintin Grant, Julian Martinez & Andrew Keegans.

## **UNIFORM WINNERS!**

Congratulations to these students, who fully participated in wearing their uniforms to school every day for this period! ☺

Kindergarten – Mrs. Mitchell and Ms. Luciano's students! 1<sup>st</sup> Grade – Mrs. Yee's students! 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Mrs. Gabriel's students! 5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Mrs. Jacob's students

Mrs. Marshall awards prizes for each of these participants. Please promote that your child wear a uniform to school every day to show their McKinley pride. Thank you ☺



## **TRAFFIC**

Each year we review the traffic rules for drivers bringing student to school.

Please be a positive role model for our children and drive safely and according to posted rules.

Right turns only are allowed when exiting the driveway onto E.14th St.

Parking directly in front of the school is allowed only when *dropping off* or *picking up* students. Cars parked without an occupant will be ticketed by the San Leandro police.

Drive slowly and carefully when arriving and leaving the school campus.

**Please make sure that your child is aware of their after school arrangements before he/she arrives at school.**

**It is often impossible to track down a student and give them a message during the school day.**

## **VOLUNTEER INFORMATION**

If you are interested in helping at school, please get a Volunteer Packet from the office. Before anyone may volunteer, a current TB clearance and Megan's Law clearance is required. Thank you!



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### Is Your Housing Uncertain or Unstable?

#### You can enroll in school even if you have:

- Uncertain housing
- A temporary address
- No permanent physical address

#### **You are guaranteed enrollment in school by the federal McKinney-Vento Act and California State law if you live:**

- In a **shelter** (family, domestic violence, or youth shelter or transitional living program)
- In a **motel, hotel**, or weekly rate housing
- In a house or apartment with more than one family because of **economic hardship** or loss
- In an **abandoned building**, in a **car**, at a **campground**, or on the street
- In **temporary foster care** or with an adult who is **not your parent or guardian**
- In **substandard housing** (without electricity, water or heat)
- With friends or family because you are a **runaway** or an **unaccompanied youth**

#### **To enroll in or attend school if you live under any of these conditions, you do NOT need to provide:**

- Proof of residency
- Immunization records or tuberculosis skin-test results
- School records
- Legal guardianship papers

#### **Students have the right to:**

- Participate fully in all school activities and programs for which you are eligible.
- Continue to attend the school in which you were last enrolled even if you have moved away from that school's attendance zone or district.
- Receive transportation from your current residence back to your school of origin.
- Qualify automatically for free and reduced price lunches and other district food programs.
- Contact the district liaison to resolve any disputes that arise during the enrollment process.

#### **For questions about enrolling in school or for assistance with school enrollment, contact:**

Your local school district liaison: **Ali Cannon**, Student Outreach Coordinator, 510-667-6214;  
[acannon@sanleandro.k12.ca.us](mailto:acannon@sanleandro.k12.ca.us)



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### ¿Tiene Usted una Vivienda Inestable?

#### **Matriculen a sus hijos en la escuela aunque tengan:**

- Una vivienda temporal
- Una dirección temporal
- Un domicilio no reconocido oficialmente

**De acuerdo a la Ley Federal McKinney-Vento y la Ley del Estado de California, a sus hijos se les garantiza matrícula escolar en una escuela, si residen en:**

- Un **refugio temporal** (para la familia, víctimas de violencia doméstica, jóvenes o en un programa de vivienda temporal)
- Un **motel, hotel**, o vivienda donde tiene que pagar semanalmente
- En una casa o apartamento en donde conviven dos o más familias, por **dificultades económicas** o fallecimiento de un familiar
- En una **edificio abandonado**, en un **vehículo estacionado**, en un **campamento**, o en la calle
- En un **hogar temporal** o con un adulto que **no es su padre o madre**
- En una **vivienda inadecuada** para vivir (sin electricidad, agua o calefacción)
- Con amigos o familiares porque abandonó su hogar o es un **joven que vive independientemente**

**Si viven bajo estas circunstancias y necesitan matricular a sus hijos en la escuela, NO es necesario que proporcionen inmediatamente la información siguiente:**

- Prueba de su domicilio
- Prueba de las vacunas o los resultados de la prueba de la tuberculina
- Expediente académico
- Documentación que los acredite como encargados del estudiante

**Los estudiantes tienen derecho a:**

- Participar en todas las actividades y programas de la escuela para los cuales son elegibles.
- Mantener a sus hijos en la escuela en que están matriculados aunque no vivan en el área que le pertenece a la escuela.
- Recibir servicios de transporte de su domicilio actual a la escuela.
- Calificar automáticamente para programas para que reciban alimentación a precio reducido o gratis, así como, otros programas de nutrición del Distrito.
- Comunicarse con la persona coordinadora del distrito, para que puedan resolver cualquier problema que surja durante el proceso de la matrícula escolar.

**Si tiene preguntas o necesitan ayuda relacionada con la matrícula escolar, comuníquese con:**

Su Coordinador local del Distrito Escolar para personas sin un hogar: **Ali Cannon**, 510-667-6214;  
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