

Shu Ren International School
Weekly Announcements
November 4, 2009

Important Dates (details below):

Friday, November 6 - Staff Meeting, 3:00 pm dismissal for all students

Wednesday, November 11 - Veteran's Day, School Closed

Thursday, November 19 - Friday, November 20 - Parent/Teacher Conferences, No Classes

Thursday, November 26 - Friday, November 27 - Thanksgiving Break

From the School Administration:

1. Parent/Teacher conferences will be held on Thursday, November 19 and Friday, November 20. There will be no school during these two days, though childcare will be available during individual conferences. In coming days, we will post a sign-up sheet for the meetings.

2. Parent Education Event: Shu Ren parents may be interested in attending the following parent education event: From Chaos to Calm: Self Regulation for Children (and Parents), Tuesday November 10th, Raskob Learning Institute and Day School, 3520 Mountain Blvd., Oakland, CA 94619, 6:00-7:30pm. Please see the attached flyer for more details.

From the Parents Association:

Thanks to the parents who attended tonight's PA meeting. Below are Jacky's notes from the meeting:

1. Jie demonstrated Chinese character recognition and speech software. More information on these products will be available soon.
2. First fundraiser for PA : PA is selling the Shu Ren T-Shirts - look for details soon. If you have ideas for other fundraising ideas, please email Jacky.
3. Volunteer Opportunities:
 - a. We're still looking for PA Secretary & Treasurer - please email Jacky if interested
 - b. We need two parents to volunteer for Thursday night, November 5th Open House (**contact Jie ASAP if you're willing to do this)
 - c. Shu Ren Flyers - will be available from the office next week. Please pick up a few and post at libraries, community centers, parks, and / or child-friendly businesses.
4. Next PA Meeting is Wednesday, December 2nd

And a reminder: **Photos of School Events:** We have created a group site on Shutterfly where parents can upload photos and videos. Please bring your camera to school events and upload your photos to:

<http://shuren.shutterfly.com/>

The password for the site is: shuren1333. Please note the date that the photos are taken and other relevant details when you upload them. Shu Ren plans to produce a school yearbook to be available for purchase at the end of the school year and some of these photos will be used for that project.

Thank you.

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