

CCE News – October 2013

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Reminder: Running Club is cancelled today
Happy Halloween!

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Parent University Lecture Series 2013-14

INK YOUR CALENDARS!

Mike Riera, PhD, author, renowned speaker and educator on developing the Whole Child, and guest on Oprah, The View, CBS News and The Today Show
(see attached flier)

Dec. 6th, Friday, 7pm at DHS, Brunelle Theatre FREE Admission. Doors open at 6:30pm.

For more info and to view past lectures go to <http://dctv.davismedia.org/dpu>

Presented by DCWPEC

Questions? Email davisparented@gmail.com

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Yesterday we delivered little orange Trick or Treat for UNICEF boxes to all students. Please feel free to participate or not. If you would rather not, either throw the little orange box in the recycling, or bring it to the office and we will reuse it. Participation is totally voluntary. Enjoy your Halloween!

Thanks,

Jennie Moylan, Kristin Weeks-Norton, and Alison Bardsley

Co-coordinators Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF

CCE News

10/29/13

Chavez Climate Committee meets TODAY - October 29th - All are welcome to attend!

The Chavez Climate Committee will meet TODAY at 3:30 p.m. in Room 20 and all parents, guardians, and staff are welcome to attend and bring their ideas, questions, and concerns. Our monthly meetings are a great way to meet other adults at Chavez and interact with the committee's leadership team and Principal Beck. We welcome all levels of involvement, so feel free to come to as many or as few meetings as your schedule allows. Your perspective and experience at CCE matters! The committee is currently working on several projects including a redesign of the 1st grade playground area and a parent resource library. For more information and to view our meeting minutes please consult our webpage:

www.ccesipat.com/index.cfm/programs/climate-committee.

Playworks Game of the Week is 4 Square

Come check out the **Game of the Week - 4 Square** with "Olympic rules!" It is a fun and friendly game that you can play anywhere. We have two games going on the blacktop this week. On Thursday for Halloween, don't miss our first dance party of the year.... music, gymnastics, dance, movement, and fun on the grass at lunch recess!

CCE News

10/28/13

Reminder:

PICTURE RETAKES tomorrow, OCTOBER 29.

Friday, November 8th – NO SCHOOL – Teacher Work Day

Monday, November 11th – NO SCHOOL – Veteran's Day Holiday

CCE News

10/27/13

PIZZA NIGHT FUNDRAISER A SUCCESS!

In just their third year, the leadership of our Concejo Estudiantil (Student Council) impressed with carrying out a wildly successful fundraiser at last Thursday night's Pizza Night & Bake Sale at Round Table Pizza. Thanks to the incredible support of Cesar Chavez families, this event raised a little over \$1,000 that will go directly to supporting student activities. Our Concejo operates without a budget, so all activities are supported by parents and the results of fundraisers like this one. Everyone on our Concejo Estudiantil greatly appreciates the efforts of the many, many families that donated yummy baked goods including cookies, cupcakes and muffins sold at the bake sale! These were very popular throughout the night, as well as the raffle! Earnings will allow our organization to support 50% of the purchase of a specialized container for our lunchtime recycling program which is staffed by students under the direction of Sra. Jackson. A large portion of funds will go to support the attendance of 40 students at a local leadership conference this December, with the remainder put aside towards the purchase of a new wolf mascot costume for our school. Our school actually set record attendance and sales for this fundraising event, and Round Table was completely impressed with our turnout, which surpassed all expectations. A million thanks to everyone for all your support in creating a fun, warm and very social fundraising event for our school! Check out the Concejo Estudiantil website for more information about our activities <http://chavezstudentcouncil.weebly.com/>.

CCE News

10/25/13

Running Club is Cancelled Next Thursday, October 31 due to Halloween!

Thank you, and Happy Running!

Any questions, please contact Debbie Beauchamp at beauchamp4@att.net

CCE News

10/24/13

Chavez Climate Committee meets October 29th - All are welcome to attend!

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CCE News

10/23/13

GameNight is coming in Three Weeks - Mark Your Calendars!

Wednesday, November 13, 2013, 5:30-8:30 p.m., MPR, Cesar Chavez Elementary

After a great GameNight at CCE in April 2013, we invite you to our Fall GameNight on Wednesday, November 13 in the CCE MPR from 5:30-8:30 p.m. This will be a great community building and SIPAT fundraising event that brings together families for an evening of game playing.

Students, siblings, parents, extended family, friends and staff are invited to play educational and award winning table-top games by Gamewright, from best sellers such as *Sleeping Queens*, *Slamwich* and *In a Pickle* to its newest titles, which include *Rory's Story Cubes* and *Dweebies*.

See all the games on the Gamewright website here:

<http://www.gamewright.com/gamewright/index.php?section=games>

Games will also be available for purchase with 50 percent of the proceeds going back to SIPAT to support our school. Pizza and drinks will also be available for purchase.

More details including how to order your pizza slices will be coming via CCE News next week. For questions contact GameNight coordinators Sumiko Hong at sumiko.hong@gmail.com or Debbie Anderson at debbie533@comcast.net.

We need a few parent volunteers, so if you have a couple hours to help with preparation or two hours on November 13th, please let us know. Thanks and looking forward to another great GameNight.

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REMINDER: Picture Retake Day is Tuesday, October 29. For students taking picture for the first time (missed Picture Day), please bring completed forms to the photographer. For students retaking pictures, please bring entire picture packet to give to the photographer.

WBBC Updates

RODEO HIGHLIGHTS

Last Wednesday, we had a great turn-out at our 2013 Cesar Chavez Bike Rodeo. About 50

students,
participated in the annual event and each successfully navigated all the stations. They are now versed in the ABC's of safe biking and know to look for :

A--Air in tires

B--Brake Check

C--Chain Check

Thank you to everyone who attended that day. We hope he enjoyed the event as much as we did!

ACTIVE4Me/SCANNING PROGRAM

We have heard that some of you are not getting text messages that your child has scanned in when they arrive on campus. We are aware of this and our programmer has been troubleshooting this issue for the last two weeks. If you continue to experience problems, then please notify one of our scanners in the morning.

BICYCLE DONATIONS OR CONSIGNMENTS

If your family has an extra bike taking up space in your garage or if you are interested in selling bikes your kids have outgrown, consider donating or consigning this/these to the WBBC annual bike swap. We have the ability to store a few bikes in preparation for the auction in the Spring.

Trick or Treat for UNICEF

Dear Chavez Families,

We are participating in Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF again this year. Last year Chavez raised \$2219.45 .

We are keeping the process totally simple. We will distribute one box to every student the week before Halloween, and we will collect boxes in the front office over the week after Halloween. If your family does not want to participate, that is perfectly fine, please send the box back to be recycled.

We see Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF as a nice compliment to the international education our children receive at Chavez. It promotes international awareness and action. In the spirit of Cesar Chavez who said "The end of all education should surely be service to others."

Impact

- Just 7 cents provides 1 packet of special powder that, when mixed with water can save a child from deadly dehydration.
- \$1 buys 24 protein biscuits for a starving child.
- \$17 pays for vaccines to keep a kid safe from six killer diseases.
- \$18.57 provides three bed nets to protect families against mosquitos that carry deadly malaria.
- \$26.95 buys a lifesaving first aid kit.

We recommend that you read about UNICEF's history with your child <http://www.trickortreatforunicef.org/about/history>. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to let us know. We will have tables set up in the week before Halloween to talk it up and answer any questions.

Thanks,
Kristen Weeks-Norton, Alison Bardsley, and Jennie Moylan
Co-coordinators Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF

CCE News

10/22/13

School T-shirts and Sweatshirts are here!

Please be on the lookout for your t-shirt order. Orders will be delivered to the teachers this week and sent home with students. Questions? Contact Leanne villa at Leanne@mikevilla.com.

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10/21/13

PIZZA NIGHT AND BAKE SALE FUNDRAISER this Thursday, October 24

It's the perfect night to eat out! Come join other Chavez families or encourage your friends and neighbors to visit between the hours of 5 – 9 p.m. at Round Table Pizza in South Davis! All orders accompanied by the yellow invitation coupon ensure our school receives a percentage of every purchase. Extra coupons are available in Room 32 or the office. A bake sale with homemade goods will also be set up at the front of the store with some gluten free options. Donations of baked goods that can be dropped off this Thursday by 3:30 p.m. in Room 32 or brought directly to Round Table at 5 p.m.

CRAZY HAT DAY this Friday, October 25 - Encourage your child to get creative and wear, create or adapt a fun hat to show school spirit this Friday!

TRICK OR TREAT FOR UNICEF, Thursday, October 31 - CCE Students will be given an orange box to collect donations when they go trick or treating. Boxes should be turned into the office the next day!

EL DIA DE LOS MUERTOS and CCE

El Dia de los Muertos, Day of the Dead, is a traditional Latin American celebration that gathers families together to remember their dead and to express faith in the continuity of life. It is celebrated on the 1st and 2nd of November.

At Cesar Chavez, many classrooms prepare for Dia de los Muertos by making traditional folk art such as sugar skulls, marigolds, calavera stick puppets, tin ornaments, and memory boxes.

SIPAT supports the teachers in their efforts by procuring and distributing the art materials needed to make the various Dia de los Muertos projects.

If you and your family would like to learn more about Dia de los Muertos, La Raza Galeria Posada in Sacramento has several Dia de los Muertos activities/events that are open to the public. For details: <http://www.lrgp.org/dia-de-los-muertos.html> or 916-446-5133
<<http://www.lrgp.org/dia-de-los-muertos.html%20or%20916-446-5133>> .

In Davis on October 31st (during the Halloween treat trail celebration), you may contribute to an El Dia de los Muertos community altar set up by local artists at E Street Plaza , watch entertainment (Including a performance by the Columbian dance troupe with our very own Sras Dopico and Mendoza) and take part of a traditional procession. More information can be found at <http://davisdowntown.com/2013-halloween-eldiadelosmuertos/> <<http://davisdowntown.com/2013-halloween-eldiadelosmuertos/>>

The Davis Cemetery is also holding a Day of the Dead celebration on Saturday, November 2nd from 830- 4 pm at 820 Pole Line Road.

Julie Kreger King, Dia de los Muertos Coordinator

CCE News**10/20/13**

This week's Game of the Week is "Band Aid Tag". You don't want to miss this fun, fast and silly game! We will be playing on the field. Hope to see you there.

CCE News**10/18/13****STEAC Food Donation**

Many thanks to all the Chavez families that donated to our tuna can drive for STEAC. Concejo Estudiantil collected and counted up cans from K-6 classrooms on Friday afternoon and calculates that our school collected 301 cans – about 94 pounds of tuna!

CCE News**10/17/13****PIZZA NIGHT & BAKE SALE FUNDRAISER NEXT THURSDAY OCT. 24**

Feel like a night off from cooking? The CCE Concejo Estudiantil (Student Council) invites everyone to our Fall Pizza Night and Bake Sale Fundraiser at Round Table Pizza in south Davis from 5-9 p.m. next Thursday, October 24. Get a delicious homemade dessert for \$1 from Bake Sale that will be set up at the front of the store. Make sure to accompany your purchase with the yellow coupon that went home this week. 20% of all sales goes to our school! Invite friends and family- extra coupons will be available at the CCE front office! Consider calling in your pizza in advance to avoid the line. Pizza must be picked up in the store to take out, or eat in! Profits go towards supporting our student activities! We are still accepting sign ups to donate baked goods for this event. Drop off your baked good in Room 32 on Oct. 24 before 3:30 p.m. Please contact Sara Caulfield at scaulfield@djUSD.net if you can help out.

CCE News**10/17/13**

Join a Strategic Planning Action Team and help DJUSD realize its mission, objectives, and strategies as developed by the Planning Committee. [Interest forms <http://djUSD-ca.schoolloop.com/file/1368005238174/1356617245943/3969813725144349878.pdf>](http://djUSD-ca.schoolloop.com/file/1368005238174/1356617245943/3969813725144349878.pdf) due 10/18/13 .

Interest forms can be found at

http://www.djusd.net/cms/page_view?d=x&piid=&vpid=1376900174186

Action Team Strategy Groups

- We will develop, implement, and assess a professional development system consistent with our mission and objectives, focusing first on social-emotional intelligence, differentiated instruction, and inquiry-based learning.
- We will develop and implement a plan for physical space and technology infrastructure required to achieve our objectives and mission.
- We will develop and implement a district wide assessment system aligned with the Common Core Standards to effectively analyze student performance data at more frequent intervals in order to improve instruction, close the Achievement Gap, and ensure that all students meet or exceed district standards.
- We will develop and implement a system that enables each student to set and pursue academic, social, and personal goals

- Denise Beck

CCE News

10/16/13

Save-the-Date – GameNight!

Wednesday, November 13, 2013, 5:30-8:30 p.m., MPR, Cesar Chavez Elementary

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We need a few parent volunteers, so if you have a couple hours to help with preparation or two hours on November 13th, please let us know. Thanks and looking forward to another great GameNight.

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10/15/13

DJUSD Strategic Planning Action Team positions

The first meetings of the Strategic Planning Team, organized by the district, were very successful. You can find the notes and progress of the committee by using this link .

http://www.djusd.net/cms/page_view?d=x&piid=&vpid=1376900174186

The district is now in the process to bring more interested parents to this process. If you are interested in being part of the Strategic Planning Action Team please find the form in the Interest Form for these positions on the above web page link. You can find the link on the right side column. The deadline for the applications is this coming Friday, October 18th.

– Denise Beck

CCE News

10/14/13

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Giving back can be a powerful learning experience. Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF is a Halloween tradition that has helped provide lifesaving aid to children around the globe. You may have participated in Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF when you were a child. For many American children, it is their first introduction to the harsh realities faced by countless girls and boys worldwide, who struggle just to survive. Equally as important, the program continues to affirm the spirit of personal service in an engaging way.

The annual tradition of Kids Helping Kids has raised more than \$170 million since 1950. Hundreds of millions of American kids helped make this possible by toting their orange Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF boxes door-to-door and spreading the word of UNICEF's mission. Last year Cesar Chavez Elementary students collected \$2219.45. Those 45 cents count.

We couldn't do it without committed parents and guardians like you. Your dedication to enlighten and inspire is essential to your child's development.

Here's how you can help your child help the world's children in 2013:

1. Talk to your child about things that he or she probably takes for granted:
 - Easy access to food and clean water.
 - The ability to go to school and get an education.
 - The availability of medical care when it is needed.

2. Tell your child about the lives of children who live in other parts of the world:
 - In many part of the world, children have no choice but to drink unsafe water from a river or stream that often makes them very sick.
 - Many children have never seen a doctor or had the immunizations needed to protect them against deadly diseases.
 - Some children do not learn to read or write, because they don't have access to a school or must work to support their families.

3. Learn how UNICEF helps children around the world:
 - UNICEF builds wells so that children can have clean water.
 - UNICEF provides lifesaving immunizations to children in the developing world.
 - UNICEF helps build schools, train teachers, and provide school supplies.

I hope we can count on you to champion Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF in your household this year. Not only will you be aiding children need, you'll also be helping to educate our children about the importance of volunteerism...and that is priceless!

Please consider watching the videos here <http://www.trickortreatforunicef.org/about/impact> with your children to learn more about the impact of donating to UNICEF.

To find out more about Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF and how easy it is to participate go to trickortreatforunicef.org, and/or contact Jennie Moylan at 848-8126, jwmoylan@gmail.com.

Thanks,
Jennie Moylan, Kristin Weeks-Norton, and Alison Bardsley
Co-coordinators Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF

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10/14/13

WBBC Update: Bike Safety Rodeo on October 16th and Need for Volunteer Scanners

BIKE RODEO

We'd like to remind CCE Families that the Annual Bike Safety Rodeo is this Wednesday, October 16th from 1:30-3:30 pm. The first stop will be the check-in table on the playground behind the school.

---Please make sure your student's bicycle is ready for action! A bicycle inspection checklist and helmet-fitting checklist is available for pick-up at the school office or from the scanning stations at the front or the back of the school. You also can download the same information from the City of Davis Street Smart web site: www.street-smarts.cityofdavis.org <<http://www.street-smarts.cityofdavis.org/>> .

---You will be required to fill out a permission slip in order for your child to participate. These permission slips are available for you to review prior to the rodeo. These will be in an envelope in the school office.

ACTIVE4ME/SCANNING VOLUNTEERS-We still need additional parent volunteers who can scan bar codes in the morning. We scan 5 days a week (between 8:00-8:30 am) at two different stations, one in the front of the school and a second one at the back bike racks. So, we need two parent volunteers each day during the school week.

You can sign up once a week, once a month, whatever fits your schedule. Feel free to email Caroleen Becker (beckergolde@comcast.net) or Jill Bonner (bonnerjill@gmail.com) to volunteer.

Thank you for your continued support of the CCE Walk Bike Bus and Carpool (WBBC) Program.

CCE News

10/13/13

Playworks Game of the Week - Wall Ball

This fun, fast-paced game is similar to racquet ball. All you need is two players, a wall, a bouncy ball and your hands. A great rotational game for playgrounds, the game of the week is **Wall Ball!** <<http://www.playworks.org/games/wall-ball>>

We will be playing on the tall wall closest to the field.

And don't forget to come out for yoga on Wednesday!

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CONCEJO ESTUDIANTIL UPDATE

Our student leadership group, *Concejo Estudiantil* (Student Council) has been very active planning and organizing upcoming events with and for our student body at Cesar Chavez! Our group of twenty-two 4th, 5th and 6th grade classroom reps and officers meet every Wednesday during their lunchtime to work on activities related to school spirit, community service, and leadership. *Concejo* set up sign making sessions this week, open to all intermediate students, to get the word out for the upcoming STEAC Food Drive and Trick or Treat for UNICEF. Please contact the Concejo Estudiantil teacher advisor Sara Caulfield at scaulfield@djusd.net <<mailto:scaulfield@djusd.net>> if you have any questions, would like to find out more about our activities or would like to donate baked goods for Oct. 24 Pizza Night & Bake Sale Fundraiser. All funds go towards supporting student activities.

Upcoming events supported by *Concejo Estudiantil* include the following:

(THIS WEEK) October 14-18 STEAC Tuna Can drive – bring them in!

October 24 - Pizza Night & Bake Sale Fundraiser! Invite friends and neighbors! Make sure your purchase is accompanied by a yellow coupon so our school gets the credit! Gluten free options will be available!

October 25 - 1st Spirit Day! Crazy Hat Day – Wear a fun crazy hat to school to show your school spirit!

October 31 - Trick or Treat for UNICEF

December 2-5 - STEAC Coin Drive

December 5 - CASC Elementary Leadership Conference – Leadership training.

December 9-11 - Used Book Sale – save those books!

Fun Times at Walk 'N' Roll Day Yesterday!

Beatles music echoed around the blacktop at the school as 114 kids scanned in yesterday morning for Walk N Roll Day with the WBBC Program (Walk, Bike, Bus or Carpool). Together they saved 17 gallons of gas with a combined mileage of 390 miles traveled! There are 20 raffle winners that won t-shirts or Jamba Juice cards and two grand prize winners that got \$25 gift certificates to Apex Bike Shop. Prizes will be passed out by the end of the week.

The WBBC Program will be going on all year with more events ahead. If you are interested in getting your child involved, go to <http://CesarChavez.active4.me> and get signed up!

Questions? Contact Jill Bonner, bonnerjill@gmail.com or Caroleen Becker, beckergolde@comcast.net

SAVE THE DATE- PIZZA FUNDRAISER & BAKE SALE!

Why not plan a fun night out with your family and friends? On Thursday, October 24th from 5-9 p.m., the Cesar Chavez *Concejo Estudiantil* (Student Council) is holding a pizza night fundraiser and bake sale at Round Table pizza in south Davis. Look for bright yellow fliers coming home with your child which you can use as well as pass out to family and friends. For every purchase accompanied by a yellow flier, 15-20% of sales go to our school! All profits will go toward purchasing a new recycling container to use during our lunches, and supporting leadership activities. All baked items will be \$1 and will be a perfect dessert to top off your meal! If you are interested in donating some home baked goods for our bake sale, please contact Sra. Caulfield at scaulfield@djusd.net. Please pass the word and we hope to see you there!

SAVE THE DATE - 2nd ANNUAL USED BOOK SALE

Save those books and start collecting from neighbors and friends! Our 2nd annual CCE Used Book Sale sponsored by our Concejo Estudiantil is scheduled for December 9 – 11 in the MPR. We will have a one-week competition among classes to see which class can donate the most books. This year drop off will happen during the first week in December. We will have a sorting day on Friday, December 6 and Saturday December 7 in the morning. We will need many hands and as a bonus you get to preview books! We will accept new and gently used books for both children and adults, DVDs, CDs in both English and Spanish, and **comic books in good condition**. We do not accept magazines, law books, Reader's Digest condensed books, removed library books, damaged books (mildew, water, fire, ripped...) or encyclopedias more than 10-years old. All profits go towards supporting our student activities at school, and in particular raising funds to purchase a new mascot costume for our school. Please contact Sra.

Caulfield at scaulfield@djUSD.net if you have any questions or would like to help with organizing.

CCE News

10/7/13

CCE WALK N ROLL TO SCHOOL DAY – WED OCT 9th

AKA National Walk n Bike to School Day! Special treats will be given out to ALL kids who are registered and scan in with the WBBC (Walk, Bike, Bus or Carpool) Program---ACTIVE4ME by Wednesday, October 9th. We have over 200 kids registered in the ACTIVE4ME program - that's about 1/3 of our entire school! Every day that your child walks, bikes, buses or carpools to school makes a difference --- and MORE kids getting involved means making MORE of a difference!

If you have not already registered your child for the ACTIVE4ME Program, go to: <http://CesarChavez.active4.me> before October 9th to register.

If you have questions, contact Jill Bonner, bonnerjill@gmail.com or Caroleen Becker, beckergolde@comcast.net

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10/6/13

Playworks Game of the Week

Hope everyone enjoyed the first week of Playworks and gave a high five to all the awesome Playworks Peers on the blacktop. This week we will play a fun tag game - Sharks and Minnows. Come on out to the grass behind the 1st grade playground to join!

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10/6/13

ANDERSON ROAD SAFETY MEETING WITH CITY OF DAVIS:

This Monday, October 7th, at 6:45 pm at the Redwood Park building (by tennis courts), the City of Davis will meet with residents to discuss safety improvements to the Anderson Road/Amherst Drive crossing. The City is now planning to install a lighted crosswalk with flashers: they want to hear from residents and any users of the crosswalk about safety concerns and desired upgrades.

If this matters to you or your kids, please show up. Good attendance will indicate to the City how important these upgrades are to our kids' safety. Questions can be directed to Liz Saft at lizsaft@yahoo.com.

“Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF” Kids Helping Kids.

Kids can go trick-or-treating and save lives at the same time! Cesar Chavez students are again invited to participate in the United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF) annual fundraising event during the Halloween season. UNICEF works in more than 160 countries and territories to provide children with lifesaving medicine, nutrition, clean water, sanitation, education and emergency relief. An estimated 7 million children are saved each year by the efforts of UNICEF

and its partners.

The spare change, bills and checks collected by children really makes a difference in the world. Last year Cesar Chavez Elementary children raised **\$2219.45**. All that little change really adds up! For example, a single dollar can provide a starving child with protein biscuits. \$35 can supply vaccines for 50 children. A donation of \$240 can provide a "School-in-a-Box-Kit" that lets kids learn anywhere. **Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF Boxes be given to students the week of Monday, October 28. Participation is entirely voluntary.** If you have any questions, contact Jennie Moylan at (530) 848-8126 or jwmoylan@gmail.com.

CCE News

10/3/13

TOMORROW IS THE FINAL DAY

TO SIGN UP FOR THE PROGRESSIVE DINNER

Visit the SIPAT Website for details and to sign-up on online (<http://www.ccesipat.com>).

We have a good number families already signed-up but we want YOU there.

In order to make this happen, **we need 2 more families to host dinner for our younger grades!**
(Childcare available at Chavez CDC)

Please email Shelley Dowling sdowling@davisca.com if you can host!

Thanks for your enthusiasm and support. We look forward to a terrific community-building event!

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10/1/13

It's the final week to sign up for the Progressive Dinner on October 12th from 5-10pm! Don't miss out - sign up at <http://www.ccesipat.com/index.cfm/upcoming-events/progressive-dinner1/>

The Child Development Center (CDC) on the Chavez campus will offer childcare during the event from 5-10pm. The cost is \$25 for one child, \$40 for two. CDC will provide dinner and fun! Families not currently enrolled in CDC are welcome as long as they fill out an emergency card. Children must be potty trained. Payment is due the night of the event. Advance signup is required. Please visit the CDC building on campus or call (530) 753-3808 to sign up.

We still need dinner hosts! Please consider hosting 6-8 guests for dinner. You don't need to cook - they'll provide the food.

The Progressive Dinner is an annual community building event for César Chávez and Marguerite Montgomery parents, teachers and staff. Please contact Shelley Dowling (sdowling@davisca.com) or Maria Clayton (mariasclayton@gmail.com) with any questions. See you on October 12th!