



February 1st, 2018

Dear Students & Parents~

Our annual International Food Festival is fast approaching. On **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28th** we will be gathering in the cafeteria and feasting on cuisine from around the world, and we need your help!

The P.E. department is offering **EXTRA CREDIT** to all students who contribute a dish to share. Here are the guidelines:

- Choose a **finger food** that you would like to bring in. Finger food means **small bite size** samples, like the ones they pass out at Costco
- Make sure to turn in the attached confirmation sheet by **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21st**.
- On International Food Day (Wednesday, February 28th) bring your food in a **disposable dish** with a disposable serving spoon (if needed) to the school cafeteria. All food donations should be dropped off between 7:00 – 8:00 am. If you have a special circumstance (hot/frozen item) then you may bring your dish later but all donations need to be in the cafeteria by 11:00am. If you are unable to use a disposable dish please put your name on your dish clearly. All dishes must be retrieved by 12:10 p.m.
- Fill out the food label provided and attach it to your dish
- Your donation needs to be a *minimum* of 24 servings or more. Please have your servings pre-cut in bite-sized portions
- Parents, if you are in need of community service hours, this is a great way to complete them. If your child brings in a dish, you will get one hour of community service. We also need water. Each flat of water donated equals 1 hour of service. (1/2 size bottles are preferable) You can acquire more hours if you volunteer to help during the event

Also, new this year, students will be allowed to wear clothing from their specific cultures but **ONLY DURING THEIR P.E. CLASS**. If you have any questions please contact:

Angel Chen at angelsbelle@yahoo.com



PARENTS- WE NEED YOUR HELP!

What is the International Food Festival? It's a day for students to taste cuisine from all over the world and celebrate their cultural backgrounds. This is a PTSA sponsored event that helps the students learn a little bit more about other countries. This year the festival will take place on **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH** in the school cafeteria.

How can you help? We need donations of ethnic food dishes, and help serving the food throughout the minimum day. (7:00am-12:30pm) This is a great way for you to complete your service hours AND if you donate a food item your student will receive **EXTRA CREDIT** from their P.E. teacher. This year students will also be allowed to wear clothing from their specific cultures but **ONLY DURING THEIR P.E. CLASS.**

If you can help with either (or both) please fill out the bottom portion of this sheet & return it to the office **BY Wednesday, FEBRUARY 21ST**, or you can email it to the Int'l Food Chairpersons:

Angel Chen at angelsbelle@yahoo.com

 CONFIRMATION SHEET- please cut here AND return the bottom portion

___ My child will bring a dish in for ERCS's International Food Festival on Feb. 28th.

STUDENT NAME: _____

P.E. TEACHER NAME: _____

NAME OF FOOD: _____ COUNTRY: _____

TIME FOOD WILL BE DROPPED OFF AT: (7-8am is preferred) _____

I will donate _____ cases of water bottles. (sm ½ size bottles preferred)
 One case= 1 service hr.

I am available to volunteer during the event between the hours of _____.

PARENT NAME: _____ EMAIL: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO THE OFFICE NO LATER THAN FEB. 21st



STUDENT NAME: _____

PE TEACHER NAME: _____

COUNTRY: _____ NAME OF FOOD: _____

PLEASE SUBMIT THIS FORM WITH YOUR DISH. THANK YOU!

***ATTENTION PARENTS** List ALL ingredients in your food item in the box below:

***STUDENTS WITH ALLERGIES PLEASE READ THIS**

