



The Weekly Wave

Upcoming Important Dates:

October –

10/10 – 4th grade: A Touch of Understanding

10/15 – 10/19 – Book Fair

10/17 – Early Release Day

10/23 – Dinner Night Out: Chipotle

10/24 - Principal's Café

10/25 - Vision and Hearing Screenings

10/26 – Vision and Hearing Screenings; Pizza Friday

November –

11/2- Harvest Festival

11/6 – Spelling Bee

11/7-11/9 – ERD for Parent teacher conferences.

11/12 – No School

11/19-11/23 –Thanksgiving Break

11/24-11/25- Barnes and Noble Fundraiser



Principal's Message

It was wonderful to see so many of our community at our first Science Expo on Friday! From robots and wildlife to rockets and spin art, students had a great time exploring and learning. Thank you to our community for support this event and thank you to the Science Committee and Ms. Erin Martin for bringing it to fruition!

Attendance

Every absence matters at every grade level. Each absence is a day of instruction and interaction with students and teachers that can't be replicated or recovered. Let's work together to make attendance a high priority and be sure to schedule appointments after school and family vacations during intercessions. Thank you!

Attendance Rate from Sept. 24-28: 95.87%; this was -0.89% from prior week

October Character Trait: Honesty

Last week we held our second school-wide Character Education Assembly, with a focus on Honesty. Students from the Orca, Manatee, and Sea Lion classes performed a song to introduce the trait, and did a fantastic job! Students will be engaging in lessons and discussions in their classrooms to support student understanding and practice of Honesty. Parents, please join us in this endeavor by taking this opportunity to talk to you child about the importance of Honesty.

7 Habits of Highly Effective Volunteers

The *7 Habits of Highly Effective Volunteers* class is a requirement for volunteering on field trips, in the classroom, or working with students. The class lasts approximately 45 minutes. Our next class will be on October 16th at 5:30 PM. We greatly appreciate our volunteers as you are an integral part of our community!

This class is a requirement should you want to volunteer in the classroom or on field trips.

Please visit the link below to sign up!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080B4DA5A729A2FF2-7habits2>

Shirt Orders are in:

We would love some help on filling the shirt orders on Tuesday, October 9th starting at 8:30am. Sign up on our volunteer website! This is an easy way to volunteer and support our school!

<http://cmppcarmichael.my-pta.org/content.asp?PageID=2>

Campus Beautification:

We will be doing campus beautification October 23rd and are seeking your help! We are in need of many bags of bark to put down in areas that are prone to muddiness. We will also need volunteers to spread the bark/mulch. So bring your racks, shovels and wheel borrows and join us in our efforts! Your support is greatly appreciated!

You can sign up for this activity here:

<http://cmppcarmichael.my-pta.org/content.asp?PageID=2>

Holiday Card Contest:

Calling all artists! It is time for the CMP Annual Holiday Card Contest! All CMP students are invited to participate in our 12th annual greeting card art contest. The greeting card will be sent to staff, Board Members, Community Representatives and vendors in addition to being placed on our website. None of the artwork will be used for commercial purposes. **This year's theme is Holiday Kindness / "Kindness makes the Holidays Brighter."** The submission deadline is November 2nd.

Follow the link below for rules and entry form for the CMP Annual Holiday Card Contest:

<http://www.cm.cacmp.org/userfiles/14/my%20files/2018%20holiday%20card%20contest%20rules%20and%20form.pdf?id=8492>

Extra copies can be found in the office or on our website!

Harvest Festival Meeting:

Wednesday, October 10th at 3:00pm in the Pacific Room!

Yearbook Presales:

Yearbook Presales are starting now. From now until December 14th, order your yearbook and get \$5.00 off! Now is also the time to start sharing your wonderful pictures from CMP-Carmichael activities with us to possibly get them into the yearbook. Visit commpe.pictavo.com to upload your photos or to purchase your yearbook online.

Screenagers Follow Up:

Many CMP-Carmichael parents attended the showings of "Screenagers" during the week of September 18th. Thank you to all who attended and for the thoughtful dialogue after the screening. Our Middle School and Upper Elementary students also viewed the documentary and teachers reported that students expressed varying views of the film, many expressing that it provided great

context for conversation. The film is a valuable resource as families consider how to establish healthy boundaries about technology use with children.

Many who attended expressed the wish to watch the film again, with their children. There were also families who didn't get a chance to view it and would like that opportunity.

To that end, there are public showings periodically held in the community. The "Screenagers" website has a link to "find a screening." One such public screening is below:

- Olympus Junior High School, Roseville, CA
- October 21st at 6:00PM; Open to the public
- Fee is \$3 per student and \$7 per adult

Halloween Reminder:



No Costumes on Wednesday, October 31st

Book Fair

Our first book fair of the year is almost here! The book fair will run October 15th thru October 19th.

Morning hours: Monday thru Friday 8am-9am

Afternoon/ Evening Hours:

Monday, Tuesday and Friday from 2pm to 4pm

Wednesday (ERD) from 11:30am- 1pm

Thursday from 2pm-6pm

Substitute Fair

CMP is holding a substitute fair on **Tuesday, October 16th**. If you are interested or know of someone whom you believe would be an amazing asset to CMP as a substitute teacher or teaching assistant, please ask them to apply via EdJoin.

Substitute Teachers: <https://www.edjoin.org/Home/JobPosting/998086>

Classified Substitutes: <https://www.edjoin.org/Home/JobPosting/849009>