

September

Welcome back to Serendipity Academy! For those of you who are new to this school, we warmly welcome you to join this big family.

Congratulations! - you are an automatic member of the Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) of Serendipity Academy, which is set up to bridge between home and school.



2015-2016 SAPTO Board and Officers

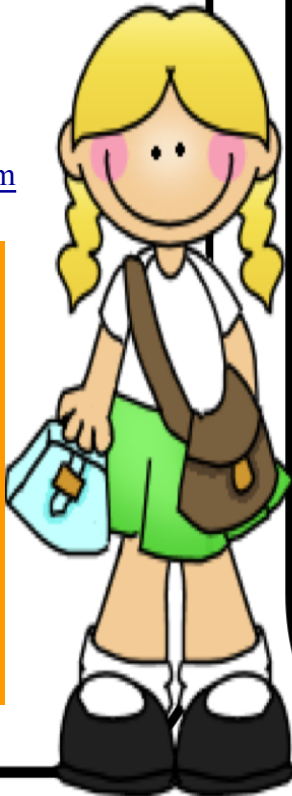
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Fall Carnival (Oct. 24th)

We are looking for volunteers to assist with organizing, baking, preparing games, and much more. If you can help please sign up online at www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C084AAAA62DA2FA7-2015 or e-mail the SAPTO so that we can get you started on volunteering. There are jobs for everyone!



Letter from the President

This is going to be another fun year full of learning and exploration at Serendipity Academy and we are excited to share the adventures ahead with each and every one of you.

The PTO was established two years ago to provide support and assistance for the school. A BIG thanks to all of our families that have supported these efforts in so many ways. Volunteering time, participating in events, teaching students and so much more... the family and community support of this school is inspiring!

We are off and running, already three weeks into the 2015-16 school year, with enthusiastic parents who volunteered for the board. It was great to see so many parents and staff members at the first board meeting where we discussed what we may want to work on this year. This year the PTO will be meeting every third Wednesday of the month at 5:30 pm. All parents and staff are welcome to attend the meeting or provide their ideas to the board at any time by e-mail (serendipity.academy.pto@gmail.com).

If you are interested in helping throughout the school year, please let us know, there will be many opportunities. The PTO will send out a monthly update by e-mail which will include events, announcements and volunteer opportunities. These will also be posted on our Web site <http://pto.serendipity-academy.com/>

Thank you in advance for your support during the school year. We look forward to working with you to enhance and support the educational experience at Serendipity Academy. Together we will accomplish amazing things!

Melissa Van Gorkom

Upcoming Events & Volunteer Needs

September 29 @ 5:30 PM - Fall Carnival Planning Meeting

(Upstairs Classroom @ Serendipity Academy)

October 21 @ 5:30 PM - SAPTO Board Meeting @ Serendipity Academy

October 24 - Fall Carnival @ Serendipity Academy from 10 AM to 1 PM- we are in need of volunteers to assist with preparing for this fun event.

November 18-20 - Bookfair during parent teacher conferences.

