

Brooks Museum Magnet Elementary School

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YooHoo

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Coming up...

- **Friday, October 30**
Teacher Workday, No School
- **Saturday, November 7, 10am - 1pm**
Magnet Fair, Southeast Raleigh HS
- **Monday, November 9, 4-8pm**
Chick-Fil-A Night
- **Wednesday, November 11**
Veteran's Day, No School
- **Tuesday, November 17, 7pm**
Night at Our Museum
- **Thursday, November 19, 6:30pm**
PTA General Membership Meeting
- **Friday, November 20, 3:20pm**
Moving Museum
- **Wednesday through Friday, November 25-27**
Thanksgiving Break

Staff

Birthdays

October

26 - Gladys Washington

29 - Angela Tucker

31 - Sema Puri

November

9 - Laura Greene

10 - Lisa Lynn

19 - Eve Conner

22 - Peg Ramsdell

29 - Michael Taranto

Find Brooks on the web:

Go to the Brooks home page at: <http://brookses.wcpss.net/>

New in this issue...

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PTA General Membership Meeting

The next PTA Board Meeting will be a General Membership Meeting. The meeting will be held on Thursday, November 19 at 6:30 pm in the Media Center. We will be voting on several amendments to this year's budget.

Hope you can join us. Any questions, please contact Kim Dittmann
kimdittmann@yahoo.com

Long-sleeve T-shirts available

Due to a mis-order, we have some long sleeve "Brooks" t-shirts available for sale. They are pink with white writing, grey with navy writing, and navy with white writing. They have "Brooks" written across the front. There are limited sizes so if you are interested act fast! You may purchase the shirts at the school store or email shannonmontague@hotmail.com. All sizes are \$12.

Halloween Concert with NC Symphony

The North Carolina Symphony will perform a Halloween concert as a part of the Young People's Concert series on **Saturday, October 31 at 11:00am and 2:00pm**. The concert is titled "**The Phantom of the Orchestra**"

Please return the order form that was in your child's PTA folder, to purchase future NC Symphony and Carolina Ballet tickets. You will have the opportunity to order tickets for a number of different performances, including Holiday Pops and The Nutcracker, at a discounted price. If you are interested in tickets, please complete and return this order form, by **Friday, October 30**.

Questions? Contact Jennifer Dudeck at 870-0517 or jdudeck@cisco.com.

PTA Reflections

Celebrate your talents!

Do you **express** your creativity through dance, music, story or poetry?

Do you **dream** of having your drawings displayed in a special exhibit?

Do you **enjoy** taking photographs or videotaping your friends?

Participate in the 2009- 2010 PTA Reflections Program.

Join thousands of other students as they create entries based on the 2009-2010 theme,

"Beauty Is..."

Think about the theme. Then select a category:

**~ Literature ~Visual Arts ~Photography ~Musical Composition ~Film/
Video Production ~Dance Choreography**

Put on your dancing shoes, grab a camera, or pick up a pen or paintbrush and create! It'll be fun!

The deadline is Monday, November 2, 2009 !

Get the rules for each category from your teacher or on the PTA Page of the Brooks web site!

Check out what other kids did last year . Visit the Reflections Program gallery on line at www.pta.org.

Questions? Contact Jennifer Fine at jenjasgrace@juno.com or Robin Vincent at rvincent495@nc.rr.com.

Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night



**Chick-fil-A
at North Hills
&
Brooks Elementary
Spirit Night**

***Monday
November 9, 2009***

*15% of sales generated by Brooks Elementary
will be donated to the school
Bring your friends and family to Chick-fil-A at North Hills and
earn \$\$\$ for Brooks Elementary!*

4:00 – 8:00 p.m.

T-Shirt Connections

From our Magnet Coordinator, Kim Padron...

The 5th grade is looking for anyone with t-shirt connections (vendors, wholesalers, etc.) They are looking to purchase colored t-shirts for the Opera this year. If you are able to help, please contact Kim A Padron by email at kpadron@wcpss.net or by phone at (919) 571-6952.

Parents with Commercial Driver's Licenses (CDLs)

Our music teacher, Mrs. Goldfinch, is asking any parent with a CDL (Commercial Drivers License) to email Becky Law at (beckymlaw@yahoo.com).

We are trying to work out some ways to help our Stonybrook families and students make it to after school events (chorus concerts, open house, conference night etc.)

Popcorn/soft drinks connections for the 5th grade

For fifth grade's coached project 1st quarter, our students will be creating Powerpoint presentations about the different regions of the United States. In each presentation, students will be inserting a video of their group giving the weather/climate of their region. On "Night at the Museum" night, Nov. 17, we will be presenting their projects and wanted to sell popcorn and drinks at their "movie" night in order to raise money for a national park.

The 5th grade class would like to know if anyone has any connections for a donation or discount on popcorn or drinks? Students can write business letters to a company requesting the specifics, but the teaching team does not want them to write letters and not get any donations.

If you are willing/able to help, please contact: Ashley Craver, 5th Grade Teacher, at 919-881-1350

Free flu shots

Wake County is offering free flu shots for children throughout Wake County. For more information on this free service provided by Wake County, please visit www.wcpss.net and click on the link on the home page. A complete location and date listing is on the website for your information.

Want to know more about the YooHoo?

Do you have a question or comment about the YooHoo? You can click [here](#) to provide feedback on the YooHoo. You may also contact:

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