

LawtonNews

Got Questions about Seattle Schools?

**Please attend the PTA's
Meet and Greet with Seattle
School Board Representative**

Michael DeBell

Tuesday, May 25 • 7:00 pm

We are pleased to welcome Michael DeBell to Lawton. He will chat with us about what's happening in the Seattle Schools and answer our questions. For the past several years, Michael's visit to Lawton has been a popular event. This is a great way for Michael to find out about the issues that are important to us. So bring your questions to the Lawton library – ***we hope to see you there.***

Lost and Found

All the lost and found items are sorted and displayed in the lobby.

PARENTS PLEASE CHECK AS ALL UNCLAIMED ITEMS WILL BE DONATED TO CHARITY AT THE END OF MAY!!



CALENDAR

May 25-27

Islandwood Camp for 5th Graders

Monday, May 31

No School - Memorial Day

Tuesday, June 1

Lawton Night at the Mariners (*see page 4*)

Thursday, June 10

Science Fair



**WALKING
School Bus**

Hop, Skip and Jump on Board

The weather is getting nice so there's no excuse – hop aboard one of our walking school buses each Wednesday or Friday. Sure, it's good exercise and you're helping the environment, but well-known by our usual walkers – IT'S FUN!!! Hang out with other kids, chat about the latest video game, cool project you've been working on in school or your summer plans. Check the Lawton website for more info on routes. If you have any questions please contact Lyon Terry, lyterry@seattleschools.org

Library Book Roundup

Dear Families,
It is that time again! Our year is closing quickly and we need all library books returned. We will be reminding students verbally as well as sending paper notices. Please help us by searching under beds, on book shelves, in the car, etc. Remember.....lost books may be replaced or paid for. We must hold report cards on June 22 for anyone with an account that has not been cleared.

Thanks again for your consistent help and support.
Kathy Dial, Librarian

Reading SuperStars Pizza Lunch • June 8

After months of diligent reading, the participants who completed all 7 months of the Reading SuperStars Program will be rewarded with a pizza lunch in the library and a free book of their choice!!! Look out for your invitation coming home by kid mail next week. Mark the date: June 8 at your regular lunch time except come to the library.



If you have any questions: Marla Master
marla@masterdesign.ca or 285-0590

Memories that last a lifetime

Don't forget to order your yearbook.
This year it is printed in color!
Cost is \$15.

The order forms can be found in last week's newsletter (available online) and there are forms available on the sign-in counter. Please drop completed forms and payment in the yearbook mailbox.

Questions: marla@masterdesign.ca
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SCIENCE NEWS

KIDS - There is still time to turn in your registration for the Science Fair. You can register right up until the end of May.

PARENTS - If you have a scientific background (or hobby), we would love to have you display or demonstrate at the fair. Let me know and I will have a space for you.

Barbara Ivester, Science Fair Chair
barbara@ivesters.net or (206)283-8686



Play Ball!

The PTA is happy to announce
that **Lawton Night at the
Mariner's is BACK!**

Tuesday, June 1, 2010 • 7:10 pm
Seattle Mariners v. Minnesota Twins
Tickets: \$11.00

Lawton folks will be seated in the same section. If you would like to sit right with another family, please place one order for the entire group.

LINK TO PURCHASE TICKETS:
www.mariners.com/schoolgroups
Lawton password is lawton0601

**Deadline to purchase tickets
is May 31st at noon.**

Questions?
Contact Kimball Mullins at kimball_mullins@yahoo.com
or call or Mariner's rep at 206.518.3879

Committee Chairs Needed 2010-2011

The Lawton PTA is looking for volunteer's to take the lead on many of next years school events and fundraiser's. Feel free to grab a friend and sign up together!

Please email Deana Metteer at deanametteer@yahoo.com if interested in chairing one of these school events. Deana can also provide more information on specific duties of each committee chair job and answer any questions you may have.

Note that previous Chairs will be able to give you information, tips and materials needed.

WE NEED ACTING CHAIRPERSON'S TO RUN THE FOLLOWING SCHOOL FUNCTIONS, EVENTS, ACTIVITIES, AND FUNDRAISERS:

- ✦ **Welcome Back BBQ in September ***URGENT*****
(NOTE: last year's chairperson will train and assist you)
- ✦ **Welcome Back BBQ Volunteer Recruiter and Coordinator.** Encourage new Kindergarten parents to volunteer for this event.
- ✦ **Spring Pledge Drive/Event Fundraiser Co-Chair**
- ✦ **Brown Bear Car Wash ticket sales** throughout the entire school year
- ✦ **Chinook Book Fundraiser Sales** in the fall
- ✦ **Student Art Sales Fundraiser** in the fall and spring – work with teacher's and students to create artwork to make into cards, shirts, mugs, totes, etc
- ✦ **Legislative Liaison.** Keep us posted on pertinent information via our newsletter
- ✦ **Video Tape Recorder and Editor** for school concerts and special events throughout the year
- ✦ **Coordinate Walking School Bus** with Mr. Terry throughout the school year
- ✦ **Grounds Maintenance** for the Secret Garden throughout the year
- ✦ **The Fall Festival** with Ms. Parks and the Dance Dude
- ✦ **Holiday Tree Sales Co-Chairs** from the end of November to mid-December
- ✦ **Kindergarten Tours.** Set up, coordinate and lead in January and February
- ✦ **BINGO Night** in late winter/early spring
- ✦ Sort and maintain the **Lost and Found Box**
- ✦ **Math Night** in late winter
- ✦ **Science Fair** in late spring
- ✦ **Science Fair-Ice Cream Booth** sales
- ✦ **The 5th Grade Promotion Ceremony** (ideally a 4th and 5th grade parent)

Hurry
before they're all gone!

Volunteer Tea

Wednesday June 2

Lawton Commons • 3:30pm to 4:15pm.

The Lawton staff will be honoring our school volunteers at the annual Volunteer Tea. All adult Lawton volunteers are invited to join the staff.

Limited childcare for school aged kids is available, so please reserve a spot for you child by contacting Suzy Minto at 252 2172 or smminto@seattleschools.org

If you forgot to log in time you spent at Lawton or at home helping our school, it is not too late for your volunteer time to be counted.

Have you helped with World Cultures? Walking School Bus? Fieldtrips? Please let me know!

MISSING: LAWTON BADGES

Please check your home and car for Lawton Volunteer or Visitor badges and if you find any, please return to the sign in desk in the Lawton front entrance lobby.

If you ever have any questions about volunteering at Lawton, please contact Suzy Minto phone 252 2172 email smminto@seattleschools.org

DISPLAY SHOWCASE

THIS WEEK

Liam O'Bannon, Room 208 • Wooden Models

If you have a collection you would like to display for the school, sign up with Mrs. Thomas in the office.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Interbay Football Recruiting and Registration

Sign-up Now! Registration is now open and space is limited to 20 players per team for the Interbay Eagles football & cheerleading. Please register online at <http://www.seattleinterbayfootball.org/register.htm>.

The Eagles are a non-profit organization and franchise member of the Northwest Junior Football League, NJFL. The NJFL is the premier youth tackle football & cheerleading league in Western Washington and has over 50 youth teams participating.

For 2010, the Seattle Interbay Eagles will field youth football teams in the 89er, Midget, PeeWee & Bantam divisions (ages 7-14). In addition, the Eagles will field one Cheerleading squad ages 6-11.

To learn more about our teams review our Programs (<http://www.seattleinterbayfootball.org/programs.htm>)

The Eagle's recruiting zone in Seattle spans from the Ship Canal south to Yesler street and from Lake Washington to Puget Sound. Practices start on August 9th and run daily from 5-7pm. Practices are held at Interbay Field 3027 17th Ave W, Seattle, WA (across from QFC and west of Red Mill).

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When sending submissions please put the word **LAWTON NEWS** in subject line. Thanks!

Deadline: Friday 5pm
For the following Tuesday's edition