



### Hey, that's News to Us!

Here are a few reminders:

- Enrollment Contracts, along with the \$150 registration fee, is due now.
- Annual Grade Level Meetings began today. Make sure you know your date.
- The Spring Fair is on Sunday, May 16, 2010.
- WrAP Testing for 3rd - 5th grade has been postponed to Wednesday & Thursday, May 19 - 20, 2010.
- Teacher Appreciation Week is the week of Monday, May 24 - Friday, May 28, 2010.

### Spring Fair

The school's Spring Fair is this Sunday, May 16, 2010. The school is encouraging parents to sell booths to potential vendors and to solicit donation items to be sold during the Spring Fair. Please let the office know if you have items you would like to donate to be sold or would like to buy a booth. The Spring Fair is always a huge hit among the community. The school will be conducting its own bake sale during the Spring Fair. Please send individually wrapped baked goods for the bake sale and a 10 / 12 pack of boxed drinks or sodas.



This year we are having a "White Elephant Booth" at our Spring Fair where housewares and other used items will be sold at a throw away price. Do your Spring cleaning and bring items that you are not using any more to be sold at our White Elephant Booth.

### Service Hours

Parents please be aware that the year is coming to an end and the parent service hour commitment for the year is due now. Drop by the office to check the log book to see how many hours you have completed. You will be charged \$10 per hour for the remaining hours, which will be due by June 5, 2009. Contact the office for service hour completion opportunities.

### Annual Grade Level Meetings

Every year, in order to evaluate our progress, New Horizon School - Los Angeles conducts grade level meetings. During this meeting the parents, students, teachers, and the administration have the opportunity to give their opinion on the year. Each person is also asked to say what they would like to see improved and what they like about the school. These meetings are mandatory and all parents who attend and complete the evaluation form will receive one service hour. The following is the schedule for this year's grade level meetings.

5 <sup>th</sup>	Mon., May 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2010
Kdg	Tues., May 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2010
4 <sup>th</sup>	Wed., May 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2009
PreS	Thurs., May 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2010
Pre-K	Fri., May 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2009
1 <sup>st</sup>	Mon., May 17 <sup>th</sup> , 2009
2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tues., May 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2009

All grade-level meetings will begin at 3:30 pm, except Kdg, which will be from 8:00 - 8:30 am.

### Arabic Day & Gala Exhibition of Student Work

Last Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2010 was our annual Arabic Day & Gala Exhibition of Student Work. It was a huge success! Everyone was thoroughly impressed by our students' command of the Arabic language. Students and parents had an opportunity to visit the various classrooms and view work the students have been doing all year. The student performances demonstrated their knowledge and understanding of the Arabic language, especially exhibiting their pronunciation. The evening was well attended and quite an event.

### Mother's Day Breakfast

As usual every year, New Horizon School - Los Angeles has a special breakfast to honor mothers on the Monday after Mother's Day. This year, the Mother's Day Breakfast was held today **Monday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2010** and it was successful with almost 100% maternal participation. The children presented their gifts to their mothers and regaled them with their delightful songs and heart-felt poems of praise. A special thanks to the PTO for helping prepare the wonderful breakfast, the teachers for preparing their students, and the administration for being moms to us all.

