

THE WEEKLY TIE-DYE

THE OFFICIAL NEWS OF FREMONT OPEN PLAN

LOOKING AHEAD

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Wed, Apr 10

- **Minimum Day**

Wed, Apr 10, 3:30pm

- PAG Budget Meeting – Upper Department

Fri, Apr 12, 7:00pm

- Fremont Movie Night

Sat, Apr 13, 9:00am-12:00noon

- Garden Work Day

Mon, Apr 15

- Parent/Adult Dress-Up Day

Thu, Apr 18, 6:00pm

- PAG Meeting – Library

Fri, Apr 19

- **No School**

Wed, Apr 24

- **Minimum Day**

Sat, Apr 27, 9:00am-12:00noon

- Garden Work Day

MOVIE NIGHT

DON'T MISS THIS FUN EVENT

Please join us **this Friday, April 12 at 7:00pm** for a free and fun all-school movie night! We will be playing *Mr. Popper's Penguins* outside starting at 7:30pm. Bring your blankets and chairs! There will be a concession stand which includes a nacho bar (who doesn't love nachos?!), popcorn and other snacks and treats for sale. Also, here's something exciting: For the first time, we're going to have an FOP t-shirt/sweatshirt swap! If you missed the recent t-shirt order, or you have a kid who's grown out of everything in the closet, now is your chance to score a gently used FOP shirt. We have a supply available, but please bring any clean shirts that your family is no longer wearing to pass on to another family (although you certainly don't have to bring a shirt to get a shirt). Hope to see you there!

IN THE GARDENS

SPRINGTIME IS GROW TIME

Perhaps you've noticed the progress in the FOP gardens. The Saturday Garden Work Days have been successful due to the hard work of several FOP parents and teachers. There are still two more work days planned: **April 13 and April 27, from 9:00am to 12:00noon**. This Saturday the 13th is a special day at Fremont because our campus has been designated for several projects through the Love Modesto program. It's going to be a fun and productive day of sprucing up the Fremont grounds. Come on down! Note: Kids are welcome, but must be working with their parent(s).



PAG CORNER

ANNUAL PAG BUDGET MEETING

The PAG budget meeting is conducted annually to prepare the fiscal budget for the following school year, as well as identify spending goals by teachers and departments. We will review this year's estimates vs actuals, discuss and determine budget amounts for next year, and address any budget/financial questions parents or teachers may have. The meeting will be held **this Wednesday, April 10 at 3:30pm in Upper Department**. At this meeting, you can learn how PAG manages our fund drive donations and how funds are distributed, make your voice heard by contributing input on decisions, meet other parents and incoming PAG Exec members, be the first to hear about future plans or projects PAG would like to accomplish, get a better handle on the challenges PAG faces, and participate in the success of FOP and your child's education. Please plan to attend!

FUND DRIVE

Please remember to make your \$130 per child, per year fund drive contributions, if you haven't yet done so. The end of the year is creeping up on us, and there are still field trips to pay for and other expenses that must be funded. Thank you for supporting our school by following through on your fund drive commitment.

SPRING PRODUCTION

NOTES FROM THE PRODUCTION LEADERS

The Spring Production team would like to thank you for all the parent involvement up to this point! We could not be successful without parent support! That being said, we are getting close to the performance (which is Thursday, May 16) and we really need to subdivide the group to smaller, more manageable teams to perfect the roles, work on prop making, costumes, etc. In order to do this, we need parents to lead the groups. If you are able to help on Mondays or Thursdays, we would very much appreciate the extra sets of hands. Send a text to Beth Duey (917-496-0736) to coordinate. Also, look for a letter next week with important information for the Spring Production kids (dates, times, costumes, etc.) Once again, thank you!

We must all do theatre, to find out who we are, and to discover who we could become.

-Augusto Boal