

## Monster Bash Dance

The first ever SEES family dance will be held on Friday night from 6-9p at San Elijo Middle School. Bring your whole family to this spooktacular event! There will be tricks and treats for all. Join us for fun activities including a Haunted House and raffle prizes, eat yummy treats, and dance the night away with your friends...it will be a howling good time. School appropriate costumes are encouraged for all...if you dare!!! Tickets will be sold at the door for \$5.00/person or \$20/family (cash or check only). We will be selling glow sticks, Cold Stone ice cream, and bottled water at the dance, but all other refreshments will be complimentary. Also join us in a thriller flash mob that night, to get the right moves check out [www.thrilltheworld.com](http://www.thrilltheworld.com).



## Baked Goods Needed

It is time to dust off your baker's mitt and your cookie pans. We need SEES parents to help supply baked goods for the Monster Bash Family Dance. We are looking for a variety of treats to serve, as well as entries for the Monster Bash bake-off. Cakes entered in the contest will then used for the Monster Bash cakewalk the night at the dance. Cakes will be judged in the following categories:

Haunted Mansions  
 Trick & Treats  
 Fall Is In The Air  
 Ghoulish Delights  
 The Great Pumpkin  
 Something Wicked This Way Comes

Entry forms are available in the front office or on the SEES website. Cakes must be brought to school no later than 9:00a on the 21st for judging and baked goods for the dance need to be at SEES by 3:00p that day. For more information about the Monster Bash Bake-Off or to donate baked goods for the event, please contact Juli DeFilippis at [julidefilippis@gmail.com](mailto:julidefilippis@gmail.com).

## Reminder from the Health Office

Over-the-counter medications cannot be administered by the school or kept in the possession of students. Students who need to take prescribed medication must have the appropriate form signed by the physician and parent before the medication can be brought to school. The medication and authorization/information form must be left in the school Health Office. Please feel free to contact Teri Swette, our Health Clerk, at 760-290-2608 for more information.

**CHARACTER TRAIT FOR OCTOBER  
HONESTY**

## Happening This Week

10/17 - No School for Grades 6-8 ONLY  
 10/21 - 9a - Student Council Speeches & Student Council Election (Grades 3-5)  
 10/21 - Monster Bash Family Dance  
 10/21 - Box Top Collection Contest Ends

## Upcoming activities

10/24 - Book Swap Collection Begins  
 10/24-28 - Fall Book Fair  
 10/24-28 - Red Ribbon Week  
 10/26 -6-9p Book Fair Social  
 10/25 - Kids Korp -Kids News Day  
 10/28 - Student of the Month Flag Salute and Kickin Kalicki Day  
 10/28 - Last Day to Register for *Cars 2*  
 10/31 - Student Council Pajama Day

## Mark Your Calendars

11/2 - Eagle Theatre After School Movie - *Cars 2*  
 11/5 - San Elijo Middle School Expo  
 11/7 - 9:15a PTO Meeting  
 11/7-11 - Jersey Mike's Dine out  
 11/9 - Star Party  
 11/10 - 8:45a 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Flag Salute  
 11/10 - Kindergarten Flag Salutes  
 11/10 - Last Day to Register for *Zookeeper*  
 11/11-14 - No School (Veteran's Day & Parent/Teacher Conf.)  
 11/15-18 -Parent/Teacher Conferences, Dismissal @1:25p  
 11/16 - Eagle Theatre After School Movie -*Zookeeper*  
 11/18 - Student of the Month Flag Salute  
 11/21-25 - Thanksgiving Recess

## Ongoing Activities

- Bring your Yoplait lids to the office for the *Save Lids to Save Lives Program*
- Register for Eagle Theatre - *Cars 2* until 10/28
- Box Tops Collection Contest - Ends Friday
- Library Open from 8:15-8:45 for A/R Quizzes

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## Box Tops Contest Ends Friday

Make sure to fill your collection sheet with box tops and have your child return them to his/her teacher by Friday. The winning class gets extra recess time and the first ever Box Tops Trophy to display in their classroom. You can pick up extra collection sheets in the office, download them from the SEES website, or paste your box tops on any 8.5"X11" paper. Just make sure you post in multiples of 10, and don't forget your student's name and teacher's name so your child's class gets credit. No staples or expired box tops will be counted.



This year, our motto is SEES \$OARS when we collect more! Together we can all collect more for our school so we can exceed our goal of \$2,500! To find out about other opportunities, earn extra \$\$ for SEES, play games and more, go to the Box Tops website, [www.btfe.com](http://www.btfe.com). Thank you for being a Box Tops Hero! Any questions, contact [seesboxtops@gmail.com](mailto:seesboxtops@gmail.com).

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## Scrip Gift Cards Are In

The scrip gift cards have arrived! If you ordered gift cards through scrip, please pick up your cards this week at the following times:

**Tuesday** before school, **Wednesday** at pick-up & **Thursday** before school

Look for the gift card distribution table in front of the school. If you are unable to pick up your cards at one of these times, please email Liz and Michelle at [seesfundraising@gmail.com](mailto:seesfundraising@gmail.com) to schedule another time.

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## Eagle Theatre Presents Cars 2



Are you ready for adventure, speed, and a top-secret mission? Then head over to SEES Eagle Theater (MPR) to watch our first after-school movie of the year, Cars 2, rated G, on November 2nd, 2:30 - 4:25p. For your convenience, you can now register online at [www.smusd.org/sees](http://www.smusd.org/sees) through October 28th. Or, if you prefer, you can complete the permission slip form and drop it in the PTO box with your payment. The movie includes a slice of cheese pizza, an apple, a fruit snack, and a bag of popcorn for \$8.00. Additional fruit snacks and popcorn can be purchased at the movie for a \$1.00 each. Please make sure your student brings water to drink. If you have any questions, please contact [seesfundraisingevent@gmail.com](mailto:seesfundraisingevent@gmail.com). Upcoming Movie: Zookeeper, Rated PG on November 16th. SEE YOU AT THE MOVIES!

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## Running Club Kicks Off with a Great First Week

Last week, you may have noticed a lot of students running laps in the morning before school on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. A total of 336 runners so far! The breakdown by grade is: first - 71, second - 119, third - 81, fourth - 54, and 11 - 5th grade runners. Plus, there was a handful of PM kindergarteners and siblings. All students (and parents) are welcome to join in the fun and get some exercise before the day begins!

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## Thank You

Belated thanks to Bushikahn Karate Dojo for hosting SEES students the night of Oktoberfest. Also, thanks to April Nelson of Tutoring Time for her donation of a basket for the silent auction at the Oktoberfest.



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## Fundraising Update

- **Oktoberfest:** Once again, the Parent Event was a great success! We raised over \$4,000 for our SEES programs!
- **Innisbrook:** Thank you SEES families for participating in our Gift Wrap Fundraiser! This year we raised over \$12,000! Thanks for your support!

## Spirit Wear Orders

This week you will receive the SEES Spirit Wear Order Form in your child's Wednesday Envelope. You can order short and long sleeve shirts, basketball shorts, hats, visors, fitted or full zip hoodies and our new leggings. All orders are due by **Wednesday, November 2nd**. Please visit the website if you would like to see colored pictures of the items or need an extra order form. Turn in your completed form and check to VDEF-SEES and drop it off in the PTO Box outside of the office. All orders will be delivered to your child's classroom by Thursday, December 15th. Any questions please contact [seesspirit@yahoo.com](mailto:seesspirit@yahoo.com).



## Flu Shots = Paper

For those of you that plan to get a flu shot this year, please consider going to Albertson's for it. For every flu shot given at the pharmacy, Albertson's will donate a ream of paper to your school of choice.

## Shop Green Thumb

DON'T FORGET! Green Thumb Nursery in San Marcos will donate 10% of the value of your purchases to SEES Eagle's Outlook Garden. Just bring your receipts to the PTO drop box by the front office. For questions or volunteer opportunities contact Alison, Sonja or Connie at [eaglesoutlook@gmail.com](mailto:eaglesoutlook@gmail.com).

## In-N-Out Cover to Cover Club



Oct. 8 through Nov. 19, kids 4-12 can participate in this annual reading incentive program at all three Carlsbad libraries. Read 5 books and earn a certificate for a free hamburger or cheeseburger.

## The Bulletin Now Accepting Advertisements

If you have a business and would like to get the word out to over 900 people in the SEES community, then run an advertisement in the Bulletin. We are also offering businesses the option of running Facebook "Like" campaigns to the SEES community. Contact our Co-VP's of Community Sponsorship, Anne Browne and Nicole Apostolakos at [seescorporate@gmail.com](mailto:seescorporate@gmail.com) for information.

## VOLUNTEER CORNER

### October 21st - Monster Family Dance

Volunteers needed to help decorate, sell raffle tickets and concessions.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/monster11>

### October 24th-October 28th Fall Book Fair

Volunteers needed for various customer service duties.

### October 26th- Fall Book Fair Social

Volunteers needed to serve pizza, water and ice cream. <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/fall3291>

### Printer Cartridge Recycling

We are looking for someone to coordinate the collection of printer cartridges. For every cartridge that is turned in for recycling we receive money for our school.

If you are interested in volunteering for any of the above activities/fundraisers and/or to opt-in to be on the interest list for future volunteer opportunities, please email Jennifer Cangly or Jessica Wadley at [sees\\_volunteer@yahoo.com](mailto:sees_volunteer@yahoo.com).

### Volunteer Procedures

All SEES on-site volunteers are required to complete the Volunteer Acknowledgment Form and this form must be on file in the office before you may work in your child's classroom or at any other school sponsored event. The form was sent home in your child's Wednesday envelope last week. Please be sure to complete the form and return it as soon as possible. If you did not receive this paperwork you may download it from the SEES website. Also, when volunteering please be sure to sign in at the front office and wear a visitor badge. Thanks for volunteering and supporting our school.