

MANAGER'S MINUTE

The Harvest Festival at Beach was so incredible it is hard to describe. Our students decorated candles, made soup and cornbread, went on a rain walk and listened to the wind rustle through the leaves. Over 75 community members shared lunch with us. Every available table was full, the buzz of a hundred conversations filled the room. The student/ teacher-made vegetable/fruit insect creatures decorating our tables were enjoyed by all. Dorothy Hansen was heard saying "...and they want to take this away from us...not happening!" It was an amazing feel good day. Thanks to Terri Cook for organizing the whole event from morning activities to clean up. Thanks to all the parents who lead the group activities. And weren't our sixth grade leaders amazing as servers and the clean-up crew! We couldn't have done it with out you! And thank you to all the community members who support us for every occasion.

BEACH IS GOING "GREEN"

ARRIA AND JUDY ATTENDED AN ALL DAY SEMINAR ABOUT REDUCING THE CARBON FOOT PRINT OF BEACH. TERRI IS ORGANIZING WITH THE WHATCOM COUNTY SCHOOL GARDEN COLLECTIVE TO IMPROVE OUR GARDEN AND JOE IS THINKING OF WAYS TO REDUCE PAPER WASTE IN THE LUNCH ROOM. WE ARE JUST BEGINNING SO IF YOU HAVE IDEAS SEND THEM OUR WAY.



PTO HALLOWEEN PARTY NEWS

**HALLOWEEN PARTY and HAUNTED HOUSE
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24TH
BEACH SCHOOL GYM**

The cake walk needs bakers! Please bring covered cakes to school during school hours on Friday, or all day on Saturday. Remember your quarters for the cake walk and haunted house. Hot dogs and cider will also be for sale.

PARENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for HALLOWEEN PARTY CLEAN-UP, Sunday morning beginning at 9:00AM. Any and all help will be appreciated!!! Please call Tammy Immer (2254) if you can help.

ISLAND LIBRARY READING GROUP

KIDS READING GROUP FOR 3-5 GRADES. COME SHARE YOUR READING ADVENTURES, FOOD, FUN AND PRIZES AT THE ISLAND LIBRARY AT 2:30 ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27.



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