

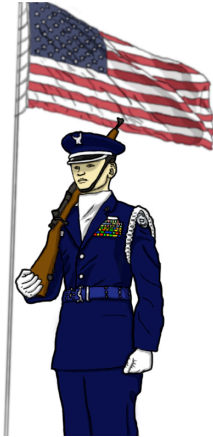


The Bay Academy for the Arts & Sciences Intermediate School 98

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Principal

Weekly Intercom November 6, 2015

1. **Professional Development-** The PD we experienced on Election Day was just as informative and fun as it was last year. A great time was had by all at The Roundabout Theater. It was a great way to spend the day outside of our building, working and learning together. The teamwork was outstanding and the final product was impressive. The feedback I received from the staff convinces me that it was a well-planned and enjoyable event. Thank you for stepping out of your comfort zone and trying something new.
2. **No Shave November-** This is a great way to show our support for prostate cancer research. Any male staff member who would like to donate \$10.00 to this worthy cause buys themselves a month of no razors! Other staff members may buy a 'beard' for \$1.00.



3. **Veterans Day-** No School for staff and students on Wednesday 11/11/15. Let us not forget to extend our deepest gratitude to all those who have served in this country's armed forces.
4. **First Trimester-** This 1st trimester ends on November 25.
5. **Failure Notices-** The list of potential failing students must be returned to the subject AP by Friday 11/13.
6. **Progress Reports-** Please have students print and sign a PR by Friday November 13. These will be used as a starting point of conversation for the Parent Teacher Conferences.
7. **Parent Teacher Conferences-** The afternoon and evening conferences will be held on Tuesday 11/17 from 12:00-2:00pm and 5:00-8:00pm.
8. **Breast Cancer Fundraiser-** I am pleased to announce that \$839.00 was donated during the month of October for this worthy cause. Thank you for your kindness.
9. **Thanksgiving Celebration-** The Thanksgiving Feast will be celebrated by all participating staff members on Tuesday 11/17 from 2:30-4:30pm. This is a great way to get together during the day and share a meal and some laughs. Please see the Social Committee bulletin board.
10. **Fall Ball-** Our students had an awesome time at the Fall Ball. Thank you to all the staff members who attended and helped make this evening great.
11. **Open House-** This annual event will be held on Monday 11/23 from 6:00-8:00pm. Regrets only to Ms. Nancy. All departments should use their interactive boards to present a detailed, exciting power point presentation. This is the event where we showcase the exciting things we do at Bay to potential students. Please BRAG and SHOW OFF!!! Send any power points to Mrs. Dalton for review by Monday 11/16. Also, a cheat sheet will be provided to all staff members with answers to potential questions.
12. **Happy Birthday-** I'd like to wish the following staff members a very happy birthday:
Asiya Durrani, Marietta Falconieri, Molly McGrath, Michelle Giambra, Scotte Perry, Tina Schneider, Terri Miller and Brandon Lilly



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one child at a time**