



# Ruhkala a Leadership Academy

September 25, 2017

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## A Huskie Welcome:

Welcome to Ms. Jensen! She will be taking over for Ms. Doehrer for the remainder of the school year and joining our wonderful sixth grade team. Ms. Jensen joins Ruhkala with twenty years of teaching experience. She has experience teaching our current curriculum, including CPM, differentiating instruction, and helping kids become problem solvers and critical thinkers. She spent time on campus last week meeting the students and learning about our school. She is very excited to become our newest Huskie! Please feel free to introduce yourself to her and make her feel part of our community.

## Parent Portal Printed Paper:

If you have not yet started your Parent Portal Account and sent in your signature paper please do so immediately. Without the parent permission signature paper we can not allow your child to check out library books or access technology. If you need any help please call the office.

## Ruhkulele Club - Ukulele Program (Wednesdays):

- Starts: October 4th, 3:30-4:30 in the Music Room
- This is an ongoing program (October-May) and students will have the opportunity to perform at school assemblies. Students will be singing and playing all kinds of songs that use just a few simple chords. No musical experience required and Ukuleles will be available for check out so students can practice at home.

**Please see the attached flyer to sign up!**



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## PTC Update

<http://www.ruhkalaptsc.com>

**Please see the attached flyers.**

- Our first **Spirit Night** will be this Wednesday, September 27th at Blaze Pizza! See the attached flyer for details and we hope to see you there!
- Our next **PTC meeting** is Tuesday, October 4th at 6 PM in the Multi. Child supervision is provided free! Our VIP parking spot is up for our monthly winner for attending our meetings! Congrats to our first helpful husky VIP Emily Duncan! Join us to be in the know of upcoming events and enter to win that spot!
- Not to toot our own horn but...thanks to generous and involved families, the PTC was able to present our school with \$5000 to assist with field trip transportation and \$500 to the scholarship fund! Way to go Husky Families!

Thank you so much!  
Your Ruhkala PTC board

**Go Huskies!**



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## Monday

Early Engineers (1:30-2:40/Room 12)

Early Out Monday: Kindergarten students are released at 1:10. First to Sixth grade students are released at 1:20.

## Tuesday

VAPA Ms. Salata/Ms. Heap

Cross Country (2:30-3:00)

Ruhkala Choir (3:30-4:30/Room L)



## Wednesday

VAPA Ms. Holochwost/Ms. Berridge

Reminder: Fourth Grade Parents- Please turn in Coloma paperwork. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

## Thursday

VAPA Ms. Gottschalk/Ms. Leavitt

Theater/Improv Class (3:30-4:30/Room L)

## Friday

VAPA Ms. Gardetto/Ms. Phillips

Leadership Awards Assembly at 7:50 in our Amphitheater

# CAUSE A SCENE FOR A GOOD CAUSE



Enjoy yourself and support our cause at a special fundraising event for:

**Organization name:** Ruhkala Elementary PTC  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017  
**Time:** 4:30PM – 8:00PM  
**Store:** 10325 Fairway Drive Roseville, CA 95678

**Guest MUST present this flyer to the cashier before paying.** Blaze Pizza will donate 20% of proceeds from your meal back to our organization.

**Not valid for  
online/app/call-in orders**



**FAST-FIRE'D.**

Donation amount excludes proceeds from tax and gift card purchases. Valid for dine-in, take-out only. Not valid for online orders. Alcoholic beverages excluded. Event proceeds void if flyers are distributed in or near the restaurant. Manager, please attach this flyer to the guest check.

# Ruhkala Elementary School

## Ruhkulele Club

**Does your child want to learn a fun instrument?**

**Ruhkala Elementary has partnered with Ukes for School to provide an after-school ukulele program.**

*Early music training helps develop brain areas that involve language and reasoning. These are all essential "human skills" that shape lives forever and help to produce productive and positive youth and adults.*

**GRADES 3-6 ELIGIBLE FOR SIGN UP**

**WEDNESDAYS 3:30-4:30 \*Music Room  
Starting October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017 thru May 2018**

**In ukulele class, your student(s) will be singing and playing all types of songs. They will be taught basic chords, how to tune their instrument and they will have the opportunity to perform for their families and peers.**

***Please note:*** We have a limited supply of ukuleles; therefore, space is limited. Registration will be on a first come, first served basis.

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***My child would like to participate in the after-school Ruhkulele Club on Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30pm. \*Music Room***

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

My child will be picked up by: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent email: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_



4-H  
NATIONAL  
YOUTH  
SCIENCE DAY



# INCREDIBLE WEARABLES

Hello,

Placer County 4-H is very excited to host the 2017 4-H National Youth Science Day (NYSD) and we would like to invite the kids in your class to participate!

This year's exciting theme for NYSD is Incredible Wearables. The challenge will have kids working together in groups as an engineering team to build a functioning health monitor using a small computer and low cost sensors. With the help of Placer County 4-H, not only will the kids build the monitor, but they will also be able to analyze the information gathered on a computer, tablet or mobile phone.

**When:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017

**Where:** Loomis Veterans Memorial Hall, 5945 Horseshoe Bar Rd, Loomis, CA 95650

**Time:** 6:00 – 8:00 PM (check-in 5:45 – 6:00 PM)

**Cost:** Free!

**Registration Required:** <https://www.eventleaf.com/4-Hnationalyouthscienceday>

Space is limited to 40 participants so we recommend registering for this event as soon as you can.

**To register please go to** <https://www.eventleaf.com/4-Hnationalyouthscienceday>

The Incredible Wearables challenge will take approximately 2 hours. The challenge is suitable for youth in Grade 4 and above.

If you have any questions please send an email to [ophirvec@wavecable.com](mailto:ophirvec@wavecable.com).

## Please share with the kids in your class!

It is the policy of the University of California (UC) and the UC Division of Agriculture & Natural Resources not to engage in discrimination against or harassment of any person in any of its programs or activities (Complete nondiscrimination policy statement can be found at <http://ucanr.edu/sites/anrstaff/files/215244.pdf>) Inquiries regarding ANR's nondiscrimination policies may be directed to John I. Sims, Affirmative Action Compliance Officer/Title IX Officer, University of California, Agriculture and Natural Resources, 2801 Second Street, Davis, CA 95618, (530) 750-1397.

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# VISION



## SOCCER TRAINING

*Focused on Player Development!*

### SKILLS AFTER SCHOOL

Monthly Skills Clinic  
for Boys & Girls



**Exciting  
changes  
this year!**

#### **Something for everyone**

New players will learn the fundamentals of soccer & experienced players will develop their soccer skills through individual and group skills tactics

#### **Not just an after school club**

Weekly homework skills & a homework log book record each player's progress. All players get access to our online skills tutorials which break down skills step by step.

#### **Superb Coaching Staff**

Our coaches have professional coaching certifications, ensuring that all participants get phenomenal skills lessons.

#### **Getting to class couldn't be easier!**

Players meet their teammates and coach on the school field, immediately after school. Same time & day each week.

#### **SPEED, AGILITY & QUICKNESS**

Build skills that are applicable to all sports, not just soccer!

#### **NEW & IMPROVED CURRICULUM**

Progressive curriculum  
No repeated sessions  
Individual skill building

#### **EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION**

#### **ONLINE SKILLS RESOURCE**

Online skills videos break down the weeks individual skills lessons, in an easy to follow format.

#### **HOMEWORK BOOK**

Players receive weekly skills homework and a homework log book to record the progress they make.

#### **MINIMUM DAY & HOLIDAY CAMPS**

Special camps for minimum days and holidays.

#### **Monthly Clinic**

4 Classes in a Clinic.  
60-minute classes.

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**Get 1 Clinic FREE** - when you register for a 3 clinic bundle!

[www.VisionSoccerTraining.com](http://www.VisionSoccerTraining.com) | 916.837.0336





Non Profit  
Community Jr  
Tennis League



**Rocklin High**

**Sundays**

**Join Upcoming  
Sessions!**

**8 Fall Dates: Oct 8 - Dec 3, 2017**  
Off 11/26

Questions? Email: [laura@youthleaguetenis.org](mailto:laura@youthleaguetenis.org)

**FALL \* WINTER \* SPRING \* SUMMER**

**Ages 5-14 All Levels**

*YLT was created by Laura Kassirer, a former Wimbledon player, so all kids can learn & compete with players of equal level in their own community*

**Players are grouped into 5 skill levels:**

**QUICK START:** Beginners-group instruction for ages 5-7. Play half court with Red Balls

**GREEN:** Beginners-group instruction for ages 8-14. Play with Red & Orange Balls

**RED:** Novices-Drills; Introduction to match play - Orange Balls.

**YELLOW:** Intermediates-Drills; Match play - Orange & Green Dot Balls

**BLUE:** Advanced-Drills; Match play - Green Dot and Yellow Balls

**QS GR play: 1pm-2:30pm or 2:30pm-4:00pm / R Y B play 2:30pm-4:30pm**

**Session Fee: \$182 includes 8 classes, a medal & progress report**

**View Schedules & Register online @**

**[www.youthleaguetenis.org](http://www.youthleaguetenis.org)**

**Space is limited. Scholarships are offered to qualifying families**

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Presents:

# FALL FESTIVAL

**GAMES • FOOD • VENDORS • PRIZES • MUSIC**

Come and enjoy this free event for the whole family! Show off your best costume!

**Costume Parade - 1:00PM**

**Costume Contest - 1:30PM**

Saturday, October 28, 2017  
11:00AM - 4:00PM  
Johnson-Springview Park  
5480 Fifth Street,  
Rocklin, CA 95677

Hosted By:



Just some of our vendors:



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# MONDAY MADNESS

SIGN UP TODAY! ROCKLIN GROCERY OUTLET IS PROVIDING THE SNACK AND THE PTC IS PLANNING THE PLAY DATES, ASK YOUR FRIENDS AND JOIN THE FUN!

\$5 PER MONDAY ~ \$ 20 FOR THE FIRST FOUR PLAY DATES  
\$ 35 ~ FOR THE WHOLE YEAR

**WHO?** All Huskies  
Kinder - 6th grade

\* CASH ONLY PLEASE

**WHEN?** 1:30 - 2:30

**WHAT?** \* QUEST SCAVENGER HUNT  
\* OLYMPICS \* GROUP ACTIVITIES  
\* RELAYS \* MINUTE TO WIN IT

Immediately after school

Kinders will be escorted

**WHERE?** Ruhkala's Multi Purpose Room

Pick up will be from the back parking lot

September 18

October 23

December 11

January 22

March 19

April 23

May 14

**WHY?** School pick up is difficult on short Mondays, kids want play dates, all monies earned go right back into the school to help our Huskies!

Looking for a volunteer opportunity or have a question, drop me an email, at [ruhkalaptc@gmail.com](mailto:ruhkalaptc@gmail.com)

PLEASE FILL OUT ONE TICKET TO FUN PER CHILD BY SEPTEMBER 15<sup>th</sup>

Child's Name ..... Food Allergies .....

Teacher ..... Grade .....

Parent's Name .....

Number : ..... email .....

Emergency Name and number .....

My child will... { } walk home { } I will pick them up

{ } go home with .....

Parent Signature ..... \$ .....

ADMIT ONE

# The Ruhkala Calendar

## 2017/2018 School Year

### Ruhkala Huskies!



**8/14/2017:** Back To School BBQ 5:30-7:00  
\*\*Classrooms Open 5:30- 6:00 (BBQ Night)  
**8/16/2017:** First Day Of School  
**8/24/2017:** Back To School Night

**9/5/2017:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**9/8/2017:** Grandparents Day (Morning)  
**9/8/2017:** Bingo Night 5:30-7:30  
**9/18/2017:** Monday Madness 1:30-2:30  
**9/21/2017:** Tile Party 5:30 - 7:00  
**9/22/2017:** Tile Party 5:30 - 7:00

**10/3/2017:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**10/19/2017:** Fall Carnival  
**10/23/2017:** Monday Madness 1:30-2:30

**11/7/2017:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**11/9/2017:** Honor A Hero  
**11/17/2017:** Jog-A-Thon

**12/5/2017:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**12/7/2017:** Drop & Shop 5:00-8:00  
**12/11/2017:** Monday Madness 1:30-2:30

**\* Times & Dates are subject to change.**

**1/9/2018:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**1/16-20/2018:** Missoula Theater  
**1/19/2018:** Movie Night & Bake Sale 5:30-8:00  
**1/22/2018:** Monday Madness 1:30-2:30

**2/6/2018:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**2/9/2018:** Family Dance

**3/6/2018:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**3/2/2018:** Auction Dinner  
**3/19/2018:** Monday Madness 1:30-2:30

**4/3/2018:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**4/13/2018:** Family Fun Night  
**4/23/2018:** Monday Madness 1:30-2:30

**5/1/2018:** PTC - Monthly Meeting 6:00  
**5/4/2018:** Volunteer Thank You Mixer  
**5/7-11/2018:** Teacher Week  
**5/14/2018:** Monday Madness 1:30-2:30  
**5/17/2018:** Open House

**\*More Information on these events coming soon via our PTC Website & Mrs. K's Newsletter.**

### RUHKALA ELEMENTARY PTC

Website: [RuhkalaPTC.com](http://RuhkalaPTC.com) - Email: [ruhkalaptc@gmail.com](mailto:ruhkalaptc@gmail.com)  
Facebook: Ruhkala Huskies - Facebook Page: Ruhkala Elementary PTC



# PTC Meetings!!!



**Join us and earn a ticket to win a PRIME parking spot for a limited time!**

## **Who can go to the meetings?**

The PTC board members and anyone that wants to be involved in our school! You don't have to commit to every event...a little help goes a long way!

## **What do we do at meetings?**

Your participation and voices are very important to our school to make it the best it can be! Stay up to date on upcoming events, sign up to help make our events a success and vote on how the PTC distributes our fundraising efforts.

## **Where are the meetings?**

Meetings will be held the first Tuesday of each month (subject to change) at 6pm in our Multipurpose room. We plan to keep them brief and full of great information to respect everyone's time. We hope to have childcare available from high school students!

## **When specifically?**

Our first meeting is Tuesday, September 5th at 6pm! Join us!

## **Why should you attend?**

To win the PRIME parking spot! Attending our meetings will get you involved in our awesome school and also the potential to park in the front parking lot until the next meeting. Details of where the spot will be are being finalized and you are going to want to win!!

Thank you for joining us and Go Huskies!

-The Ruhkala PTC Board

### **RUHKALA ELEMENTARY PTC**

Website: [RuhkalaPTC.com](http://RuhkalaPTC.com) - Email: [ruhkalaptc@gmail.com](mailto:ruhkalaptc@gmail.com)

Facebook: [Ruhkala Huskies](#) - Facebook Page: [Ruhkala Elementary PTC](#)

## Ruhkala Elementary Corporate Sponsorship Opportunities

Dear Local Businesses,

At Ruhkala Elementary School, we change our students' lives for the better each and every day with the help of our families, teachers, administrators and community members. As our state continues to struggle financially resulting in numerous cuts to public education, we are looking to local businesses to partner with our school and help us raise funds to support our students. Our goals include supplying advanced technology in our classrooms (Ipads & Chromes), covering transportation costs for field trips as well as assisting our teachers with funds for curricular and classroom supplies. We hope to continue to expand our Learning Commons which allows students to apply skills taught in the classroom by way of Video's, Coding, Robotics, Computer Skills, and Science Based projects. Your partnership with Ruhkala will help continue to fund these areas and help us to accomplish our goals.

In exchange for your support , you will have the opportunity to market your business and receive recognition and exposure in a community with over 400+ students and their families. (Please review the attached form listing our Corporate Sponsorship Opportunities).

We need your help to continue challenging the leaders of tomorrow. Please pledge your support by becoming one of our Corporate Sponsors.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

The PTC Leadership Team

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