



PTA SPONSORED

### PUMPKIN DECORATING



Monday, October 31st

Pumpkins must be whole - **not** cut or carved. On Monday morning, Oct 31st, *before school begins*, please bring pumpkins directly to the center atrium area for display.

#### Award Categories For Each Grade Level

- Scariest
- Funniest
- Most Creative

*Teacher and students are welcome to enter the contest!*



### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Oct 11—PTA Association Meeting, 6:30 pm , Little Theater
- Oct 17 – NO SCHOOL for Students (Staff Development)
- Oct 19 — Ask A Scientist Night , 6:30-8:00 PM for 6th graders at Rancho San Joaquin Middle School, 4861 Michel-son Dr. All students must be supervised by an adult.
- Oct 20—School Picture Day
- Oct 24-28—Red Ribbon Week
- Oct 27—Walk to School Day
- Oct 31—All Kindergarten Students on Early Bird Schedule
- Oct 31—Nov 4— Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Nov 1—NO SCHOOL for students (Fall Conferences)
- Nov 17—Barnes & Noble Bookfair.

## Principally Speaking



We're on the web..  
Visit Greentree's Website at [www.iusd.org/gr](http://www.iusd.org/gr)

## PTA NEWS



Hello and welcome to the 2011-2012 school year! If you are new to Greentree, we hope you have been warmly welcomed and are ready to jump in and get involved in our dynamic school community.

#### Membership

It's the start of another great school year and time to join the PTA! When you join the PTA it gives you voting privileges and a voice in the direction of our school. It does not require you to volunteer, though we have many opportunities available. A PTA membership is an annual membership that is good for just one school year. So even if you were members last year, you need to join again. A membership form was sent home in the PTA packet the first week of school. Please return the form as soon as you can with your dues. To date, there are 214 members in our PTA. Many thanks to all who signed up and it is still not too late. PTA has some exciting projects and events planned for this year.

#### Fundraising

**Thank you to all the families who supported the Fall Fund-raiser as it was a huge success.** Several classes had the opportunity to have the TOP DOG in their classroom. We sold over \$27,000 in products!

We will also have an assortment of fun Family Dinner Nights to be announced soon. Check the website for these scheduled Family Nights. We hope you will come out and support Greentree.

#### Reflections

The PTA Reflections Program gives children the opportunity to express their artistic talent and be recognized for their achievement. This year the Reflections theme is "Diversity Means..."

We look forward to a having a great year at Greentree!

Kristen E. Apgar  
PTA President



**Walk To School Day**  
**October 27th**

**Join students and parents at the Greentree Park basketball courts at 7:40 AM and walk to school together!**

Students, parents, teachers, and administrators all across America are getting active. By getting students moving, we can help ensure they will live full and healthy lives.

