

Parent Connections

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PTA News

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We welcome any feedback for future issues of our parent newsletter. Please send any suggestions to the PTA at pta@ewsis.org.



Check out a new page on our school website that lists opportunities for scholarships, summer programs, and internships:

<http://ewsis.org/current>

Dear East-West Families,

As Spring approaches, the school year is quickly passing by. Our second Parent-Teacher Conference of the year is fast approaching, and we would encourage families to take advantage of Pupil Path, the new on-line tool that the school has rolled out to assist families in tracking your child's progress and school assignments. If you need assistance with Pupil Path, contact Ms. Janine Esposito, our Community Associate.

We would also like to take a moment to thank all of our parent volunteers who have been assisting as trip chaperones. Thank you for taking time out of your busy schedules to attend our school's many trips so that our students are safely supervised on these excursions.

In addition, we have begun the nominations process for PTA Executive Board members for 2011-2012. If you are interesting in running for one of the PTA Executive Board positions, please contact any of the members of the Nominating Committee or see any current Board members to submit your names. If you have the time and would like to get more involved with the school, consider joining the PTA Executive Board for 2011-2012. We would gladly welcome your involvement and support.

Sincerely,

PTA Executive Board



Teachers' Corner



Rehearsals

Every Thursday from 3-5pm in the Auditorium

Performances are May 25th and 26th at 7pm.

Any questions! Email Ms. Hartong
at mhartong@ewsis.org

Attention East-West Families

East-West needs your honest feedback

Please take a few minutes to help parents and visitors learn from your opinion of East-West. We have several online school profiles which feature parent and student reviews. These websites are viewed by hundreds of people. Unfortunately, the few reviews we have are outdated and tend to be from a handful of unhappy students and parents. By adding your voice, you can help offer a more balanced view of East-West. Please visit one of the following websites & write a brief review of our school:

www.INSIDEschools.org
www.GreatSchools.org
www.SchoolDigger.com

Thank you.

Calendar of Events

- 03/05 PTA General Membership Mtg.
@ 10 AM
- 03/15 SLT Meeting
@ 6:30 PM
- 03/17 Evening Parent-Teacher
Conferences @ 5:30 – 8:00 PM
- 03/18 Afternoon Parent-Teacher
Conferences @ 12:30 – 2:30 PM
Half Day – Students dismissed at 11 AM
- 03/19 PTA Executive Board Meeting
@ 10 AM
- 04/02 PTA General Membership Mtg.
@ 10 AM
- 04/12 SLT Meeting
@ 6:30 PM
- 04/16 PTA Executive Board Meeting
@ 10 AM
- 04/18 – 04/26 Spring Recess
School Closed



Help Wanted...



Any parent or guardian who is available
during the school day 9 AM-3 PM
And is willing to accompany classes on field
trips.

Dates will vary.

Please contact the PTA at pta@ewsis.org or
Ms. Hartong at mhartong@ewsis.org