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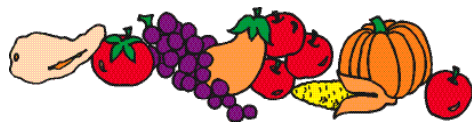
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Monthly Events

November

Parent Program	11:45 - 1pm	17
Reflections Awards	6:30pm	17
Thanksgiving Break		25 - 27

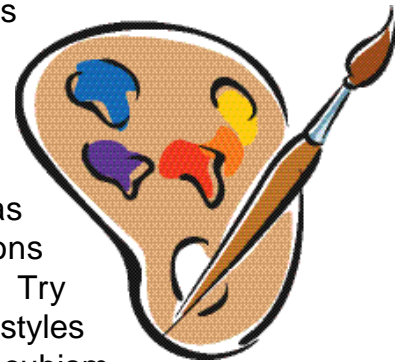


December

Art Night	6:30 - 8pm	3
Winter Parties	2pm	17
Early Release	12 noon	18
Winter Break		12/21 - 1/4

Hughston Art Night

Mark your calendars for this year's art history themed Family Art Night. Make plans to attend on Thursday, December 3rd from 6:30 - 8 p.m. in the school's cafeteria. This fun filled event has seven hands-on art activity stations offering unique art projects. Try experimenting in different art styles such as mosaics, impressionism, cubism and much more. Creative art for kids and adults of all ages! Enjoy an evening of art exploration with the entire family.



Brown Bag Lunch Program

“Following Through: Positive Discipline Techniques”

We know that there is seldom only one way of doing things, and choosing the limits we will enforce is individual from family to family. As parents we are always interested in more effective ways to discipline our children. Come join us on Tuesday, November 17, 2009, 11:45 a.m - 1:00 p.m. Bring your lunch and join the discussion on learning a variety of positive discipline techniques in order to become even better parents.

For questions please contact Pam Hart at (469)752-2015 or pamela.hart@pisd.edu. Visit www.pisd.edu/about.us/departments/familyservices.shtml for a complete list of parent education classes.

“Write a Check” Update

Congratulations to 3rd Grade! They had the largest contribution to Write-A-Check.

Thank you to all who helped make the campaign a success thus far. You can contribute to Write-A-Check at anytime. You may send your check, along with your name, address, child's name and grade level to school in an envelope marked “PTA.” 100% of your donation stays at Hughston...and it's tax deductible.

For questions or more information, contact Cherie Kaltenbach at donations@hughstonpta.org.

If you have any pictures for the yearbook (balloon launch, field day), please put them on a CD with your name and child's grade level and give to Mrs. Hammond in the front office. You may also Send your Hughston event photos to: yearbook@hughstonpta.org.



BEAUTY IS...

Reflections Celebration

Come and celebrate your child's creative side! We will have a Reflections celebration and awards presentation on November 17th at 6:30pm. If your son or daughter participated in Reflections this year, or if they just want to see what it is all about, please plan to join us.

Baked Goods Needed!!!

Finding it hard to find time to volunteer at Hughston? This is something you can do for the terrific Hughston staff. If you would like to be notified when baked goods are needed (homemade or purchased) for staff hospitality, please contact Gretchen Abner at ggyabner@verizon.net.



Be sure to visit the Hughston PTA website for information and to make suggestions at www.hughstonpta.org.

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