## Spaghetti Feed and Silent Auction January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020

Dear Salk Music Families,

The music department at Salk Middle School has enjoyed 26 years of successful fund raising with the Spaghetti Feed and Auction. Our funding goals this year are to purchase some much-needed instruments and materials and to bring down the individual student cost of a Silverwood field trip for the whole music department in May. Everyone benefits from the funds raised at this event, so we except all musicians to help in some manner. Students and parents may participate in the Spaghetti Feed and Auction in a variety of ways:

-Attend the event. In January, ticket order forms will go home with all Salk Middle School students. We will have a fantastic meal provided by Ferraro's Italian Restaurant, entertainment provided by our own Salk musicians, and a wide variety of items in the raffle and silent auction. Bring the whole family to enjoy a quality meal at minimal cost and support the music department's goals.

-Volunteer at the event. We will need parent and student support with set up and tear down, serving in the kitchen, and assisting with the raffle and auction. A SignUp Genius link will be sent to all parent emails in December. Please sign up for a shift to help pull off this monumental event.

-Donate an auction item or seek out support in the community. Attached to this letter is a copy of the Procurement Letter and Procurement Form. Please use these documents when seeking out donations from the community. Return the completed Procurement Form to Mr. McMurtery with the item, or with information about when the item will be delivered to Salk. Gift cards, services, goods, and art works have all been successful items in past auctions. Reach out to your circle of friends and relatives and ask your community to support our Salk musicians with a donation. Additional Procurement Letters and Procurement Forms can be found under the "Links and Resources" tab on the Band, Choir, and Orchestra pages. Donations are due at Salk by January 14<sup>th</sup>.

-Donate an item for the classroom baskets. The music classes vote on basket themes and donate items for their class basket. The back of this page displays a list of this year's basket themes by class period and teacher with some examples of things that could go in the basket. Students should bring in items to put in their class basket. If your family has any extra items they would like to donate to another basket, please bring those items too! The deadline for basket donations is January 14<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. McMurtery's Classes

- 2<sup>nd</sup>- Candyland: board game plus tons of candy.
- 4<sup>th</sup>- "Green" Basket: anything green.
- 5<sup>th</sup>- "XL" Basket: anything oversized.
- 6<sup>th</sup>- Coffee/Tea: coffee beans, tea bags, mugs, local coffee merchandise, etc.

## Ms. Cominiello's Classes

- 1<sup>st</sup>- Junk/Snack Food: non-perishable yummy food.
- 2<sup>nd</sup>- Cozy/Game/Party Night: board games, party games, blankets, slippers, party décor.
- **3<sup>rd</sup>- Cozy/Self-care:** blankets, face masks, spa items, tea, books, comforting items.
- 4<sup>th</sup>- Disney!: anything Disney, Star Wars, Pixar, Marvel...

## Ms. Sapp's Classes

- 5<sup>th</sup>- Sports: clothing, game tickets, sports water bottles, sporting goods.
- 6<sup>th</sup>- Movie/Family Night: movies, Redbox gift cards, movie candy, popcorn, blankets, board games.

**BONUS All Music Department COMBINED BASKET! VSCO:** scrunchies, metal straws, hydro-flask, stickers, save the turtles, over-sized T shirts, and chap stick.

Please contact us with any questions. Thank you for your support!

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