



## Bobcat Tracks Newsletter: November 2010

### Life Skills of the Month: Flexibility & Sense of Humor

#### In this issue:

- **Safe & Healthy Habits**
- **Find Your Lost Items**
- **Fall Fest Notes, Thanks, & Winners**
- **Flu Clinics Announced**
- **Walk-A-Thon Time is Here!**

#### Dates at a Glance:

- 11/9** Walk-a-Thon
- 11/11–12** Veteran's Day Holidays
- 11/15** Life Skills Assembly
- 11/16–19** Outdoor Ed
- 11/22–26** Thanksgiving Break
- 11/30** SSC Meeting
- 12/6** PFC Meeting

#### Principal's Message

As I turn the calendar pages to November I am reminded of how grateful I am to be in a community where teachers, staff, parents and students partner to create a safe and healthy environment for one another each day. We are always working on demonstrating common expected behaviors in all of the academic and social times of the school day. The teachers and students review many of these expectations as we begin each day, as well as throughout the many transitions within our school day. I ask that as parents, you talk with your children to reflect back on and or prepare them for their job of learning each day, by going over these same expectations. These common behaviors and expectations can be found in the school climate handbook you received at Back to School Night.

One key *Be Safe* behavior is *keeping hands, feet and objects to yourself*. This can be particularly difficult to put into practice; however it is essential to each child's sense of well-being and safety during the day. Talk about your child's personal space and the personal space of others. I find it extremely beneficial for children to role play situations in order to understand this "*Be Safe*" expectation. At Bancroft, role play and discussions occur during class meetings, problem solving, or during times of conflict resolution. Role playing is a strategy to help children "rehearse" safe actions and words in order to draw up those safe behaviors just when they most need to demonstrate being safe or handling someone not being safe with them.

Our students are demonstrating growth toward their academic success, and I want to acknowledge their efforts, as well as the school and home environments that support their learning opportunities. We attribute successes to the following:

- ★ Students who are making growth arrive to school on time and are only absent due to an illness. Attendance is a number one priority all year long. Even being late 10 minutes can put a student at a disadvantage for the start of his or her day.

- ★ Students who are making growth are healthy: They get plenty of sleep, get at least 60 minutes of physical activity most days, and eat nutritious meals and snacks.
- ★ Students, who are making growth practice habits such as coughing or sneezing into his or her elbow or a tissue instead of their hands, wash their hands with soap and water, brush their teeth twice a day.
- ★ Students who are making growth have a time each day at home to practice reading, math, writing, listening and speaking. The art of conversation and listening is critical to building vocabulary, strengthening interpersonal skills and reminding your child how much you believe in them. All combined media is limited to under 1 ½ hours per day.
- ★ Students who are making growth learn from their mistakes as well as their successes. Discuss and celebrate all of these.
- ★ Student who are making growth know they can learn and make friends in an environment that is supportive, responsive, fair and values mutual respect among individuals.
- ★ Student who are making growth are coached (use role play to help with this) in how to problem solve in a variety of peaceful ways.
- ★ Students who are making growth know that each day they come to school; they have access to the core grade level standards with activities that support their diverse learning needs in order to be successful and build on their knowledge, skills and creativity.

**Thank you, Bancroft Community for giving our children  
a healthy, calm, and organized start to each day  
in their jobs as learners at Bancroft School.**

Warmest Regards,  
Linda Schuler

## **Lost and Found**

Are you missing jackets, sweaters, sweatshirts, or lunch boxes? Chances are, they are in the Bancroft Lost and Found department. Outer wear worn in the chilly start to the day, often gets removed during recess time. When the end of recess bell rings, we have the famous "Freeze Bell". The first thing we ask students do before all are excused to return to class or lunch, is to walk to their jacket or sweater if left on the bench or playground and pick it up. We do our best to reunite students with their jackets and sweatshirts each day, however if you have had some trouble finding that item....come check out the cabinet inside the main entrance to the school courtyard.

**Items not retrieved by December 17 will be donated to charity.**

## RazKids

Ask your student about RazKids. This is an on line leveled reading program purchased for our students in grades K-5. Students have access to their books on line here at school as well as at home. Watch for teacher/classroom newsletters to introduce you to this program and how to access it at home. **Thank you PFC for funding this program!**

## Flyers and other Communications

Communications that go out to the school community through email or student carried communication envelopes from outside organizations, room parents, PFC committees, and the feeder patterns schools need to be approved for content and distribution by the office of the Bancroft principal.

## Visitors

**District policy requires that all visitors including other MDUSD employees must report to the school office and sign in.** Visitors during the instructional day must report to the school office to sign in, state time of arrival and location on campus for the visit or volunteer work. All visitors need to wear an ID badge obtained at the time of sign in. Volunteers and visitors need to return to the school office to sign out and return the ID badge.

## Intra-District Transfer Window

The Intradistrict transfer application window is now open and will run from October 2010-January 2011. Please come by the school office of any school to obtain a request for transfer application. Please see the Intradistrict flyer (English and Spanish) in this edition of the Bobcat Tracks.

---

Mt. Diablo Unified School District welcomes the participation of all students, parents and community members in all District sponsored activities conducted on campuses or at off-site locations. The District will work diligently to see that these activities are not limited by physical access barriers, thereby ensuring the opportunity for participation by all in these activities."

"El Distrito Escolar Unificado de Mt. Diablo alienta la participación de todos los estudiantes, padres y miembros de la comunidad en todas las actividades patrocinadas por el Distrito en los terrenos escolares o en locales fuera de sitio. El Distrito trabajará diligentemente para ver que estas actividades no estén limitadas debido a barreras bloqueando acceso físico, de este modo asegurando oportunidad para que todos participen en estas actividades."

### **School Contact Information:**

**2200 Parish Drive, Walnut Creek, CA 94598 • 925-933-3405**

**Linda Schuler, Principal: [schulerl@mdusd.k12.ca.us](mailto:schulerl@mdusd.k12.ca.us)**

**Linell Rooney, Office manager: [rooneyl@mdusd.k12.ca.us](mailto:rooneyl@mdusd.k12.ca.us)**

**Parent Faculty Club: [bancroftpfc@yahoo.com](mailto:bancroftpfc@yahoo.com)**

## **Contra Costa Health Department to Hold Nine Free Flu Clinics in One Day**

Contra Costa Health Services will hold a free one-day, flu vaccination event in nine Contra Costa cities next month.

The Public Health Division of Contra Costa Health Services plans to hold the free flu clinics from 1 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, November 10 to “Vaccinate Contra Costa.” Only one vaccine is needed this year to protect against H1N1 and two other flu strains expected to be circulating this year, said Contra Costa Health Services Immunization Coordinator Erika Jenssen. People need this vaccine even if they received seasonal and H1N1 flu vaccine last year, and some children will need two doses, she said.

“The beginning of November is the perfect time to get vaccinated,” Jenssen said. “It’s right before families gather for the holidays, so you won’t spread or catch the flu from any relatives.”

The flu is a serious respiratory disease that can cause severe illness and even death. Jenssen said a person could be contagious 24 hours before experiencing symptoms, which may include headache, body aches, nausea, fever and a dry cough.

“The flu poses the greatest danger for infants and the elderly, who are often infected by relatives who did not get vaccinated,” she said. “Everyone older than 6 months should get vaccinated, especially pregnant women and people who have contact with young children.”

Vaccine at the Nov. 10 clinics will be offered for free in both shot and nasal spray forms. Jenssen said the nasal spray is a painless alternative to the shot, but is only available to healthy people age 2 to 49 years and who are not pregnant. Children under 9 years of age will need two doses of flu vaccine, one month apart, if this is the first time that the child is receiving flu vaccine, or if the child has never received an H1N1 vaccine before. The hours of the clinics are intended to allow families time to get vaccinated after work and school.

The clinics will be held in Richmond (403 Civic Center Plaza), El Sobrante (5050 El Portal Drive), Concord (5298 Clayton Road), Martinez (30 Muir Road), Lafayette (952 Moraga Road), Danville (655 Old Orchard Drive), Pittsburg (200 Marina Boulevard), Antioch (1919 Buchanan Road) and Brentwood (30 Learning Lane).

Flu vaccine is also available from health care providers, local pharmacies, grocery stores, and community clinics. A podcast and video answering commonly asked flu questions is available on the CCHS website: <http://cchealth.org/topics/flu/>

To find out more about the flu or to locate a clinic near you, visit: at <http://cchealth.org/topics/flu/vaccination.php> or call the CCHS Health Emergency Information Line at 1-888-959-9911 for information in both English and Spanish.

## **Early Release of Students**

Children who must leave school during the school day should have a note from their parents / guardians stating the reason and time their child should be excused. Parent/guardian must come to the office to sign their child out of school. School office personnel will then call the classroom teacher to ask that your child be sent to the school office. For your child’s protection, it is our policy not to release your child to anyone other than the parent, guardian or emergency contact listed in our data base without your written permission. The office staff will request to see identification.



By Michelle Allison

Even with the rain and chilly weather Fall Fest 2010 was a huge success. It was great to see so many families attending and having a great time. All of our Bancroft Ghouls and Goblins looked amazing in their Halloween Costumes as well. This year we added a few more new games which turned out to be a big hit. As

always, the ever so popular Cake Walk was always packed and a great time had by all. The Haunted House was like none other and even the Contra Costa Times came out to take pictures.

The event was all made possible by committee members who generously volunteered their time and effort. I'd like to thank the following Committees and Volunteers for stepping up to make this event a memorable one.

Event Chairs: *Michelle Allison, Candi Mannoni and Kim Friedman*

Donations/Raffle: *Elizabeth Real and Steve Moore*

Tickets: *Meena Dempsy and Phoebe Tatum*

Class Room Coordination: *Candi Mannoni*

Cake Decorating Contest: *Esperanza Minming*

Forth Grade Food Fundraiser: *Sushmita Chatndra*

Prizes: *Deanne Giffin*

Haunted House: *Michelle Allison, Candi Mannoni, Phil Mannoni and Steve Moore*

The Fall Fest could not have been a great success without the help and donations from our community and local businesses. Please take the time to support all of the donors that made this fun day possible.

Kinders	Zielinski Family	Mr. & Mrs. Schuler
Boyd Family	Pierceall Family	Big O Tires
Simply Selling Shirts	Rubio's Fresh Mex	Renaissance Club Sport
Encore Gym	Pizza Hut	Katie Pierceall/Arborne
Bancroft Book Fair	Costco	Maureen DeGarmo/Maur Organized
Starbuck's Countrywood	Sorrento's Italian Rest.	Pleasant Hill Century Theatre
Genova Italian Deli	Yogofina	Black Bear Diner
Vesu	Nob Hill Foods	Tammy's Nails in Countrywood
All Out Baseball	Carl's Jr.	The Counter
Melo's Pizza	Blackhawk Auto Museum	A New Beginning Hair Salon
Traction Bikes	HobbyTown USA	Ayalas skin Care
Yogurtland	Trader Joe's	Radio Shack
Jack's Rest.	Lark Creek	Diablo Valley Farmers Market-Shadelands
Five Guys Burgers	Rocco's	Grocery Outlet
Kayla Samuels	Arianna Whitmarsh	Sarena Szantyr
Kylie Szantyr	Molly McCullough	Carolina Trimble
Savannah Tatum	Jose	All Cake Decorators & Volunteers!

## 2010 Cake Decorating Contest

by Esperanza Mingming

53 cakes were entered in this year's Cake Decorating Contest! Congratulations to the following winners:

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Jeila Brown, 5<sup>th</sup> grade "Haunted, Haunted House"

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** Mannoni Family (Mya, Timmy and Gia 5<sup>th</sup> grade, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, Kindergarten) "Spooky the Tree"

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place:** MacIntyre Family (Katherine, John and Andrew- 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade) "Haunted House"



Other entries included mummy, spiders, owls, monsters, witch, pumpkins, skulls, skeletons, and graveyards topped with Halloween candies. Honorable mention to the following students for participating in the cake decorating contest:

Alden Friedman	Claire Drayton	Jadyn Brandt	Meg Chaffee
Alex Pierceall	Connor Moreland	Jasmine Braden	Mya Mannoni
Alexandra Tuck	Cooper Brandt	Jeila Brown	Nathan Hovey
Andreas Guarnaccia	Danielle Kuba	John MacIntyre	Nick Cardona
Andrew MacIntyre	Drew Moreland	Katherine MacIntyre	Olivia Tucker
Angelica Kochkarova	Eliza Hall	Kathryn Temple	Peter Khoury
Annika Fisk	Ellexis Mingming	Katie Blake	Quinn Brandt
Arwyn Heller	Emily Pierceall	Keely Herzog	Skye Mingming
Avvora Baird	Gabriela Malic	Kyle Moreland	Timmy Mannoni
Ben Hall	Gia Mannoni	Liko Denman	Tori Fong
Brandon Ruano	Gwen Bridgham	Luke Hall	Tyler Sauvajot
Brian Wong	Ishaan Dempsey	Madeline Cady	Vanessa Fong
Cayden Friedman	Jacob Mitkova	Martin Shealor	William Hovey
Claire Denman		Maxim Kalvachev	Yasha Akkerman

Many thanks to *Vicky Brandt, Priya Venugopal, Dawn Zielinski, Kim Friedman, Candi Mannoni, Phil Mannoni, Carol Berger, Tina Hall, Katie Pierceall, and Christine Kamita*. Your assistance in accepting cakes, decorating the stage, tallying votes and packaging baked goods made the process quick, easy and fun. Finally, thank you to the parents and students who donated baked goods for the cake walk. Join us again, at next year's cake decorating contest!

**BANCROFT**  
Steppin' Up For Education  
**WALK-A-THON**



Our first ever “Steppin’ up for Education”, Walk-A-Thon, is gearing up at Bancroft. Students and classes will have the opportunity to earn a number of prizes and awards based on participation and fundraising goals.

**Important Dates To Remember**

Pledge Envelopes Home To Students:	October 13 <sup>th</sup>
Pledge Envelopes Due:	November 3 <sup>rd</sup>
Walk-A-Thon Date:	November 9 <sup>th</sup>
Pledge Collections Due:	November 19 <sup>th</sup>
Winners Announced:	November 23 <sup>rd</sup>

We are currently looking for parent volunteers to help on November 9<sup>th</sup> between 8:00 AM and 1:45 PM. Each grade level is assigned an hour time slot with ½ hour time slot for our Kindergarten classes. If you can help, please contact [budgandryan@astound.net](mailto:budgandryan@astound.net).

**Walk Times**

K:	10:00-10:30 AM
1 <sup>st</sup> :	12:45-1:45 PM
2 <sup>nd</sup> :	10:30-11:30 AM
3 <sup>rd</sup> :	9:00-10:00 AM
4 <sup>th</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> :	8:00-9:00 AM



## PEAK Holiday Boutique

Friday, November 26th, 2010, 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

The Sports Basement

1881 Ygnacio Valley Rd, Walnut Creek, CA 94598

### School Families with Businesses - 1<sup>st</sup> Call for Vendors

The 2<sup>nd</sup> annual PEAK Holiday Boutique is coming. We are offering families from any of the five PEAK schools who have a business, the **first opportunity to reserve their space and get a \$30 discount on the Participation Fee**. Don't miss this opportunity to showcase your business' products and services in a great high-traffic venue on one of the best shopping days of the year!

We are interested in those offering high-quality products and services for the family including giftware, jewelry, toys, cosmetics, cookware, fitness and more. We will try to accommodate everyone but space and the number of participants per category is limited. Over 400 shoppers attended last year and we expect more this year.

**Submit your PEAK-Family Vendor Application and payment before Friday, October 8<sup>th</sup>** to receive the discount and lock in your space. After October 8<sup>th</sup>, we will open up registration to non-school affiliated vendors.

For more details about the event and how to participate visit

<http://www.peakwalnutcreek.org/peak-holiday-boutique/>

or download

[PEAK-Family Vendor Information Sheet and Application](#)

#### Have More Questions?

E-mail Brandy Mychals at [Brandy@BrandyMychals.com](mailto:Brandy@BrandyMychals.com) or call 925-788-6300.

**We Look Forward to Seeing You at the PEAK Holiday Boutique**

START A NEW FAMILY TRADITION



*Join in the healthy fun at the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Turkey Trot*

*Thursday, Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> at 8am*

*Benefitting Northgate, Foothill, Walnut Acres, Valle Verde and Bancroft schools thru:*

*P.E.A.K. Education Foundation*

This family fun event is a great way to start your Thanksgiving morning! There will be a 5K or 10K run, plus a ¼ Fun Run and a 100 Yard Dash for the kids. Races begin at 8am at Civic Park. Proceeds will benefit PEAK and WCEF. The race is just \$25 for adults and \$12 for kids if you register by October 31<sup>st</sup>.

**For all the details click [HERE](#)**

**To register online or download a form [CLICK HERE](#)**

*Fast & Sweet – you're home in time for football, turkey and pumpkin pie!*

**Volunteers Needed** ~ Have fun and support your schools by helping out on race day! For more information please contact Melissa Sunbury at [mesunbury@yahoo.com](mailto:mesunbury@yahoo.com)



PEAK Education Foundation serves Northgate High, Foothill Middle, Bancroft, Valle Verde and Walnut Acres Elementary schools. Our mission is to fund educational programs that enrich the K-12 experience of students in the schools that we serve. For more information about PEAK, email [info@peakwalnutcreek.org](mailto:info@peakwalnutcreek.org) or visit us online at [www.peakwalnutcreek.org](http://www.peakwalnutcreek.org)

**Mt. Diablo Unified School District**  
**PROCEDIMIENTOS PARA TRANSFERENCIAS INTRADISTRITALES 2011-2012**

Las solicitudes para transferencia intradistrital estarán disponibles a partir de **octubre 1, 2010** en las Oficinas del Distrito en Student Services, Wing D, James W. Dent Education Center, y en 1936 Carlotta Drive, Concord, CA 94519.

---

**Las solicitudes de inscripción para los grados 1-12 deben ser presentadas entre octubre 1, 2010 y enero 15, 2011 para el siguiente año escolar. No se aceptarán solicitudes después del 15 de enero, 2011 fecha límite.**

---

Las siguientes escuelas han sido designadas por la Junta de Educación de Mt. Diablo Unified School District como **“Over Enrolled” (matriculados de sobra)** para el año 2010-2011: **Meadow Homes Elementary y College Park High School.** Las transferencias intradistritales NO son aceptadas en las escuelas que están **“Over Enrolled”** Las escuelas que tienen alumnos matriculados de sobra para el año 2011-2012 serán determinadas por la Junta Escolar el mes de octubre.

**Un alumno puede solicitar solo una transferencia durante un año escolar.** Si un alumno ha solicitado una transferencia intradistrital y posteriormente solicitó una transferencia NCLB “Ningún Niño Queda Atrás” (siglas en inglés: NCLB), ésta no será aceptada. Las Solicitudes para la Escuela de Opción NCLB son aceptadas únicamente de aquellos alumnos cuya escuela de residencia para el año 2011-2012 sería:

Primarias		Escuelas Intermedias
Bel Air	Cambridge	Glenbrook
Fair Oaks	Meadow Homes	Oak Grove
Rio Vista	Shore Acres	Riverview
Ygnacio Valley		

**PROCEDIMIENTOS**

- Las solicitudes de transferencia intradistrital deben ser completadas, firmadas por los padres y enviadas por correo o entregadas en persona a la oficina de Student Services, James W. Dent Education Center, 1936 Carlotta Drive, Concord, 94519.
- Cuando las solicitudes recibidas exceden el cupo disponible para atender a una escuela específica, la oficina de Student Services realizará una lotería pública entre los solicitantes para llenar las vacantes que puedan existir. La lotería se llevará a cabo el 11 de febrero, 2011 y los padres serán notificados sobre la aprobación o denegación de la solicitud de transferencia en abril 15, 2011 para los alumnos del 6<sup>to</sup> – 12<sup>avo</sup> grado y en agosto 16, 2011 para los alumnos de K-5<sup>to</sup> grado.
- **Entrantes de Kindergarten:** Las solicitudes de transferencia intradistrital para los entrantes de Kindergarten se pueden adquirir en o después de que el alumno sea matriculado en su escuela de residencia el día 1 de febrero 2011, día de las inscripciones para kindergarten. Estas solicitudes deberán ser presentadas a más tardar el 26 de febrero 2011.
- Una vez inscrito, la transferencia será válida hasta el 5<sup>to</sup> grado para alumnos de la primaria; hasta el 8<sup>avo</sup> grado para alumnos del ciclo medio y hasta el 12<sup>avo</sup> grado para alumnos de secundaria. **\*POR FAVOR TOME EN CUENTA: Los alumnos con transferencias intradistritales pueden ser desplazados antes del 15 de septiembre de cada año escolar por alumnos que residen en el área de asistencia de esa escuela. (BP & AR 5116.1)**
- Los alumnos de **5<sup>to</sup> y 8<sup>avo</sup> grado** que desean solicitar una transferencia intradistrital a una escuela intermedia o secundaria **otra que no sea su escuela de residencia** deberán solicitar una transferencia intradistrital nueva para el próximo nivel de grado.
- **Monte Gardens, Sequoia Elementary Schools y Cornerstone Family School** tienen un proceso de admisión por separado. Póngase en contacto directamente con estas escuelas para ser colocado en la lista de espera.

9/20/10

**Mt. Diablo Unified School District**  
**INTRADISTRICT TRANSFER PROCEDURES 2011-2012**

Intradistrict applications will be available beginning **October 1, 2010** at the District Office in Student Services, Wing D, James W. Dent Education Center, and 1936 Carlotta Drive, Concord, CA 94519.

**Completed applications for grades 1-12 must be submitted between October 1, 2010 and January 15, 2011 for the following school year. No applications will be accepted after the January 15, 2011 deadline.**

The following schools have been designated by the Mt. Diablo Unified School District Board of Education as “**Over Enrolled**” for 2010-2011: **Meadow Homes Elementary and College Park High School**. Intradistrict Transfers are NOT accepted for “**Over Enrolled**” schools. **Over Enrolled Schools for 2011-2012 will be determined by the School Board in October.**

**A student may only apply for one transfer during a school year.** If a student has applied for an Intradistrict Transfer, then a subsequent NCLB Transfer will not be accepted. NCLB School Choice Applications are accepted from students whose residence school for 2011-2012 would be:

Elementary		Middle School
Bel Air	Cambridge	Glenbrook
Fair Oaks	Meadow Homes	Oak Grove
Rio Vista	Shore Acres	Riverview
Ygnacio Valley		

**PROCEDURES**

- Intradistrict Transfer applications are to be completed, signed by parent and submitted by mail or in person to the Student Services Office, James W. Dent Education Center, 1936 Carlotta Drive, Concord, 94519.
- When more requests are received than there is space available to attend a specific school, the Student Services Office will conduct a public lottery among the applicants to fill any vacancies that may exist. The lottery is to be held on February 11, 2011 and parents will be notified by April 15, 2011 for 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades and August 16, 2011 for K-5<sup>th</sup> grades of approval or denial of transfer request.
- **Incoming Kindergarteners:** Intradistrict Transfer applications for incoming kindergarteners may be requested on or after the student is registered at his/her school of residence on kindergarten registration day, February 1, 2011. These applications should be submitted no later than February 26, 2011.
- Once enrolled, the transfer is in effect through the 5<sup>th</sup> grade for elementary, 8<sup>th</sup> grade for middle school and through 12<sup>th</sup> grade for the high schools. **\*PLEASE NOTE: Students on Intradistrict Transfers can be displaced prior to September 15 of each school year by students who reside in the school’s attendance area. (BP & AR 5116.1)**
- Students in **5<sup>th</sup> grade and 8<sup>th</sup> grade** who wish to apply for an Intradistrict Transfer to a middle or high school **other than their school of residence** must apply for a new Intradistrict Transfer for the next grade level.
- **Monte Gardens and Sequoia Elementary Schools and Cornerstone Family School** have a separate admissions process. Please contact those schools directly to be placed on a waiting list.

9/20/10



# Little League Sign-Ups!

## REGISTRATION FOR 2011 SEASON

**CONTINENTAL LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL & SOFTBALL**  
*The Official Little League for boys & girls, ages 5-18,  
 living in Concord and Walnut Creek*



**PLAYING  SINCE 1962!**

### WHY CONTINENTAL?

- ▶ Fields are all local!
- ▶ No fundraising!
- ▶ All players receive cap, jersey & socks!
- ▶ Optional competitive post-season play in June and July!
- ▶ NEW instructional Fall Ball League!
- ▶ Professional clinics hosted year round!
- ▶ Your player can continue with Continental throughout high school!
- ▶ The Little League organization has been around since 1939, and hosts the Little League World Series in Williamsport, PA!
- ▶ Everyone plays! Everyone develops!

### THERE'S A DIVISION TO SUIT YOUR CHILD!

#### Baseball

<u>Division</u>	<u>Ages</u>
Peanuts	5 - 6
Single A	7 - 8
AA & AAA	9 - 11
Major	9 - 12
Junior	13 - 14
Big League	15 - 18

#### Girls Fast Pitch Softball

Mini Minor	6 - 9
Minor	9 - 11
Major	9 - 12
Junior & Senior	13 - 18

### WHERE

REGISTER ONLINE!  
[www.ContinentalBaseball.com](http://www.ContinentalBaseball.com)  
 or in person at  
 Ygnacio Valley Elementary School  
 2217 Chalomar Road  
 Concord, CA (off Oak Grove Road)

### WHEN

Register Online after Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> or in-person  
 Wednesday Dec 1, 2010 7pm - 9pm  
 Saturday Dec 18, 2010 10am - 1pm  
 Early Registration before Jan 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011

### WHAT TO BRING

ALL players must bring **proof of residency** (e.g., utility bill showing name and address) and NEW players must present an **original certified birth certificate**. Baptismal certificates are not accepted. Players must live within CLL boundaries to be eligible to play. *Please see boundary map on the back of this flyer, call or check the website.*

### FEES

	<u>Early Registration</u> (before Jan. 1)	<u>Late Registration</u> (Jan. 1 & after)
Peanuts	\$ 115	\$ 135
A, AA, AAA, Majors	\$ 165	\$ 200
Softball	\$ 165	\$ 200
Juniors, Big League	\$ 175	\$ 200
Family Cap	\$ 380	\$ 425

Fees payable at registration by cash, check or credit card. Ask about the availability of financial arrangements.

**Continental Little League**  
[www.ContinentalBaseball.com](http://www.ContinentalBaseball.com)

## **Bancroft Bobcats Care!**

There are many families in our own community that need our support. Therefore, our **Bancroft Student Council** will be encouraging all students to participate in the MDUSD program HOPE (Homeless Outreach for Education) so we can help the lives of students in our school district.

Student Council Representatives will collect specific food donations at each Life Skill Assembly. All items will be boxed up and sent to the HOPE Food Pantry. Food donation items will be announced before each assembly.

Thank you for joining us in the Bancroft Bobcat Cares Program!

