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Northwood Parent Faculty Club

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### Fliers in the office

- Positive Parenting for Parents of Preteens and Teens. 9/13-10/25
- Effective Parenting: 9/12-10/24
- Vintage High School Cheer & Dance Youth Clinic: 10/21
- Swim Lessons
- Kids and Clay—Community Classes
- Napa Valley Ballet

### Parent/Teacher Conferences

October 3 — 7  
Students will have minimum days  
(released at 12:45 pm)



## Hey all you 4th & 5th Graders!!

It's time to sign up for:

1. **Geography Bee** study group
  - Mondays 2:30-3:30, Oct 10-Nov 28
2. The National **Math** Contest
  - Signup by 9/30. Test 11/15 2:30-3:30

See your teacher for signups and info packets **THIS WEEK**—space limited!!

Prizes! Fun!

Learn something while your parents aren't looking!



### Any questions

regarding this weekly publication, contact

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### PFC Calendar of Events Mark your Calendars

<b>PFC Meeting *TONIGHT!*</b>	<b>9/27</b> 6:00-7:30pm
<b>Jog-a-thon</b>	<b>9/28</b>
<b>Parent/Teacher Conferences</b>	<b>Oct. 3-7</b>
<b>International Walk to School Day</b>	<b>10/5</b>



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**TOGETHER WE ARE BETTER!**



### Northwood's 2011



### SURF'S UP!

**Jog-a-Thon is TOMORROW!**  
**Wednesday Sept 28th!**

CATCH A WAVE & GET SPONSORS!  
WIN PRIZES! SUPPORT

NORTHWOOD!

On the day of the Jog-a-Thon please remember to have kids wear sunscreen & comfortable running shoes.

Family members are *very* welcome to join in the fun starting at 8:00 am for set-up in the upper grade playground. All classrooms need talliers to help during the walk starting at 9:00 am!

### Absence/Excuse Policy

All schools are now required to be notified within five school days of the reason for a student's absence. If a parent has not contacted the school office to clear an absence, the board policy, AR 1131, mandates that we change the absence to truant.

If a student has 5 full days of unexcused absences or 5 tardies over 30 minutes or any combination (EC 48260.5), they will receive a Letter of Truancy Notification.



### Attention all Science Lovers!

Don't miss out on the great After School Enrichment Class:

### ENVIRONMENTAL EXPLORATION!

Class starts today, 9/27 and runs through 5/31

Children will have fun exploring while improving their science, math & language art skills.

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