

LEARNING FAIR 2010

The Learning Fair is a celebration of children's learning and the acknowledgement of children's interest in the world around them. Whether students inquire about something that sparks their interest or reach out beyond themselves to give time and assistance to someone in need, the Learning Fair encourages everyone's act of discovery.

- Students have chosen to research something they've always wanted to know or know more about.
 - A display should be created:
 - A written report
 - A tri-fold or poster board with pictures
 - A model or diagram reflecting their research
- Students have chosen to share a classroom experience.
 - A piece of writing: taken to final draft, neatly displayed (a cover, title page, about the "author")
 - A math project
 - An author study
 - A Social Studies/Science project
- Students have chosen to display examples of their passions.
 - DVD's or videos of activities they are passionate about
 - Displaying their passion on a smaller scale
 - Playing an instrument
 - Singing
 - Playing a sport
 - Gymnastics
 - Dance
 - Magic Tricks
 - Creating a tri-fold or poster board with pictures about a subject they know a lot about:
 - Type of animal
 - Music
 - Cooking
 - Sports
- Students have chosen to perform Community Service in and around Boulder.
 - Volunteering and reporting about time they have donated to a cause
 - Humane Society, Soup Kitchen, Food Share, etc.

*If you choose to do a community service project, we request that you encourage your student to donate TIME, as we are asking students to refrain from collecting items...they may report about their experience

Please note: All displays need to include research and/or a write up about how/why an interest was developed. An organized display with pictures is also encouraged.

ORGANIZATIONAL CALENDAR for LEARNING FAIR:

____ November 12th – Turn in Learning Fair Plan to Mrs. Evans.

____ November 12 - 23 – Work on research and rough draft.

____ November 23 – 26 – Have an adult (parent or teacher) help you revise and edit your project.

____ November 26 – 30 – Finalize your project, plan how you will present your project.

____ December 6th – Bring in your project, after school or before school on December 7th.

____ December 7th – LEARNING FAIR!

***HotShots will be performing during the evening of the Learning Fair at 5:30 pm. Please feel free to browse the Learning Fair after the performance!*

Learning Fair Planning Sheet

If you are planning to complete a Learning Fair or Community/World Awareness project, please fill out this form and return it to Mrs. Evans no later than:

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12th

Name: _____ Teacher: _____

Type of Project (Please select **one** that best describes your project)

_____ Research project

_____ Student interest/Something you are passionate about

_____ Classroom experience

_____ Community Service project

1. What is your topic of interest?

2. Describe your project.

3. What materials will you need the night of the Learning Fair? If you need equipment from the school, please list it as well.

4. How will you display your project? (Display board, charts, pictures, DVD's, etc.)

For those of you who have decided to do a Community Service/World Awareness project:

5. How is your project going to make our community/world a better place?

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

DUE NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2010