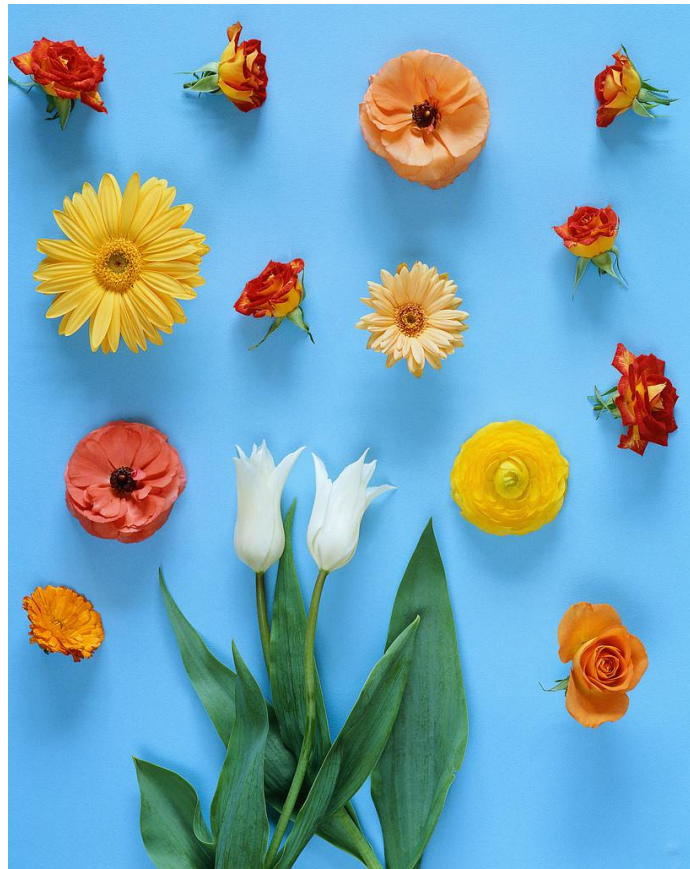


# April 2011

## The Bulletin of the Sunset Ridge/Middlefork PTO

[www.sunsetridge29.net](http://www.sunsetridge29.net)



Bulletins will be published on the 1st day of each month. For submissions to the bulletin, please email Sydney Clark ([sclark4994@yahoo.com](mailto:sclark4994@yahoo.com)) by the 25th to be included in the upcoming month's bulletin.

Apologies for the bulletin being late this month – there is a lot going on this time of year!

**Don't forget about today's PTO meeting (April 12<sup>th</sup>)!**

12:30 at the Northfield Community Center (*please note the location change*). Brent Petersen will give a short presentation about Haven Youth and Family Services, Police Chief, Bill Lustig, will speak about community safety and Marti Bennett will discuss volunteer opportunities available at New Trier High School (parents of 8th graders might find this useful).

If you missed last month's PTO meeting, Frannie Snediker spoke about Compass USA. If you are interested in finding out more about hosting a student from Spain this summer, check out the attached flyer.

**School Supply orders!**

Yes, it's already that time of year – the deadline for ordering next year's school supplies is April 22<sup>nd</sup>, so don't delay! See the attached flyers with all the details or contact Lynn Hawley with any questions.

**Nominating!**

Thank you to all the amazing parents that have already answered the call and accepted a PTO position for next year - we have an amazing community! There are still some great positions open, so don't be shy! Contact Gail Belian ([gbelian@comcast.net](mailto:gbelian@comcast.net)) if you are interested in helping out. Of course, there will still be tons of opportunities to help in the lunchrooms, libraries, as a room parent, etc., so be on the lookout for those signups over the next couple of months.

**The Fair is coming!**

This year's Family Fun Fair will be held Saturday June 4<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in helping out, please contact one of our amazing Fair chairs – Cammy Hines, Joan Hoholik, Sarah O'Meara, Anne Scott, or Shannon Spencer. See the attached flyer regarding Bingo prize donations.

# 2011-2012 SCHOOL SUPPLY KIT ORDERS

Due Date Friday, April 22, 2011

Dear District 29 Parents,

The PTO is again offering the opportunity to order school supply kits for the next school year.

- All orders will be placed on-line directly with Schoolkidz.
- New This Year – school supplies will be delivered to school before school starts in August. You no longer have to store the box all summer and you will **save money on shipping.**

On the reverse side of this letter you will find all the information you need to order. Please note that while the ordering is done on-line, there is still a cutoff date.

**PLEASE PLACE YOUR ORDER BY APRIL 22nd!**

As in the past, there are two parts to ordering supplies:

**1. Organization Kits – required for Sunset Ridge students (grades 4-8)**

This teacher-developed system is designed to help students better manage their assignments, materials and time at school and at home. All Sunset Ridge students are required to purchase this system to maintain consistency in the classroom. The teachers hand these out to the students in the fall.

**2. School Supply Kits – optional for grades K-8**

These boxes contain the school supplies that teachers have requested for each grade. This year they will be sent to school in August.

When ordering supplies, please note the following:

1. Separate orders must be placed for Sunset Ridge and Middlefork schools.
2. Current Sunset Ridge students should keep their calculators, headphones and flash drives from year to year.
3. As always, certain items are not available through this service and must be acquired separately. Gym uniforms can be purchased at North Shore Soccer & More, 1745 Orchard Lane, Northfield.
4. All Sunset Ridge students should have a Winnetka/Northfield library card.

The Organizational Kits must be purchased at this time. If you do not wish to order the other supplies through the PTO, the supply lists are available on the Schoolkidz website at [www.shopttkits.com](http://www.shopttkits.com) and on the PTO website at [sunsetridge29.net](http://sunsetridge29.net) under PTO Need to Know.

Please contact us if you have any questions. Thank you!

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# Sunset Ridge & Middlefork Schools Supply Kit Order Form 2011-2012

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Orders are ONLY accepted online at [www.shopttkits.com](http://www.shopttkits.com)

(Sunset Ridge Account #20339 - Middlefork Account #20338)

Orders must be placed between: April 6th - April 22nd, 2011

Kits will be in the classroom on the first day of school.

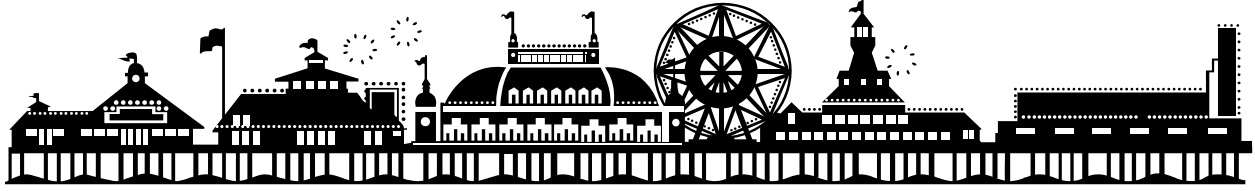
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Price includes sales tax

<b>Middlefork School</b>	
<b>Grade</b>	<b>Price</b>
Kindergarten	\$36.97
1st Grade	\$49.41
2nd Grade	\$41.70
3rd Grade	\$44.22

<b>Sunset Ridge School</b>	
<b>Grade</b>	<b>Price</b>
4th Grade	\$75.43
5th Grade	\$61.79
6th Grade	\$47.82
7th Grade	\$41.27
8th Grade	\$35.54
4th -8th Grade - ORG	\$29.20

Supply kit components can be viewed online



**The Family Fun Fair is coming!**

**Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup>**

**10:00am-5:00pm**

We are looking for donations for our Bingo prizes. We need prizes for all ages; nothing is too big or too small. Toys, candy, games, lotions, potions! Clear out your re-gift closet! (All items must be new). If you're not sure if we can use it, just ask (we probably can)!

Please contact Kriket Utz ([kriketutz@comcast.net](mailto:kriketutz@comcast.net)) to coordinate pickup/dropoff of any donations.

**THANK YOU!!!!**

Middlefork School  
Volunteer Recognition Celebration

Tuesday, April 19, 2011

9:30 a.m.

Middlefork Gymnasium

The students of Middlefork School  
will thank the many parent volunteers  
who make Middlefork  
a wonderful place to grow and learn.

All who have volunteered their service  
to the school community  
(in the library, classroom, computer lab,  
lunchroom, field trips, and on and on . . .)  
are invited to attend.

Please join us  
for this wonderful opportunity  
to celebrate service.

# Host a Student from Spain!

Compass USA ([www.Compassusa.com](http://www.Compassusa.com)) is looking for families to share their home with a Spanish student!

June 27 – July 27, 2011

- Students will have several planned activities with a Compass group.
- This is a great way to open your heart and your home to a new cultural experience without a big commitment for sightseeing, activities, etc.
- This is an opportunity for families of all ages to learn about Spain and the Spanish culture! Develop lifetime friendships!
- Student will spend the rest of the time enjoying regular American life with you and your family.

For more information contact:

Frannie (847) 668-9196

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