

D. A. Grout Elementary School THURSDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Calendar

it home January 11	\$1 Popcorn Friday
	PTA Movie Night - 6 pm
due January 21	No School MLK Day
January 22	No School TeacherPlan Day
	due January 21

Important Information:

Spare Change Challenge Results

Ms. Stephenson's class was the winning class of the spare change challenge. The Challenge brought in close to \$1,000! The money will go towards new recess equipment and painting the blacktop. Thank you to all the families that participated!

Artsonia

So far this year, purchases by Grout families on Artsonia have earned \$212.80 for the school. Thanks so much to parents who have purchased art gifts and especially those who have helped to upload the work so far. Can you afford a **twenty or thirty-minute** volunteer window either during school or on your own time at home? If so, let Ms. Yao know and she will give you the details. Contact Kendra Yao at <u>kyao@pps.net</u>, visit in room 209, or ask for her on the school phone after or before school.

Donations Needed:

Legos

Looking to get rid of those unloved LEGO bricks and parts that are all over your house? Please donate them to the SUN LEGO Program. The LEGO machine class is "gearing up" for Winter term and can use all of the parts you've got. We can even use Duplo blocks.

Or maybe the thought of parting with your LEGO pieces is horrifying? We can always use some adult volunteers who love to build and help me out in class. Our Machines class works with 2nd, 3rd and 4th graders and meets once a week.

Also, our Robotics class seeks your old laptops that can run Windows and Android tablets or phones. Donations are tax deductible.

If you can help with any of the above, please contact Natasia at <u>natasia.chan@gmail.com</u>.

Fabric

SUN school would like donations of polar fleece (minimum size 12X24 inch), cotton printes (minimum size 12X12 inch), and flannel for our sewing class that starts in January. We are also looked for a few pairs of shears and thread in assorted colors if you have any to spare.

Lost and Found All lost and found will be bagged up and sent to the PPS Clothing closet on Tuesday, 1.8.19.

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