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Fall Carnival 2013

By: Mayra Jaramillo

Sarah Solis and Charday Drayton-White headed the ASB committee that planned, budgeted, and implemented various games and activities for Muir elementary students. The Fall Carnival went off without a hitch, with Muir parents and elementary teachers praising this year's ASB for their efforts.

LOGO CONTEST!!

5th-12th Grade

*All submissions before thanksgiving break. VOTE BEFORE WINTER BREAK!

RULES!!!

NO Profanity
NO Violence
Include John Muir/Mountaineer
Colors: Redwood & Green

In My Opinion!!

By: Riley Petka

Taking classes online is cool. No teacher bothering you, no real deadlines, and you have Google at your fingertips. BUT...what did you really learn? I don't know about you, but most of my teachers were quite interesting and told stories of their past and would relate it to a lesson! And relating lessons to real teachers usually mean I've learned something. I like the IDEA of online classes... But for me, the motivation isn't there without a real-time classroom teacher.

Dia de los Muertos

By: Jose Juarez

Dia de los Muertos, two days of celebration (Nov 1 & 2) in the Mexican tradition in which people honor and remember their past relatives by praying and/or offering food.

Normally in Mexico, one makes skull shaped sweets and the food for the lost relatives and presents it to their grave or private altar with a flower called marigold (a bright yellow flower).

In Old Town San Diego, the Save Our Heritage Organization (SOHO) teaches and carries out the celebration. The people get to learn about the past of the region and can be part of the traditions which were once there. Many local stores make their own private altar as a way of celebrating. The second day is when the people can be part of the celebration by joining the procession that leads to the public altar in which they can decorate if they desire to, as musicians play by.

"The mountains are calling and I must go." -John Muir

John Muir's Award winning Archery team

By: Sam Rempola

Muir's archery club is recruiting 5th through 8th grade students for the middle school team! Known throughout California as the team to beat, John Muir's archery club sets us apart from other schools. Josh Hoffman says archery is fun while Angelica Marasigan (both class of '14) agrees, saying she enjoys

competing the most. Fellow junior Tanya Reyes explains that archery can be for everyone, saying, "At first you might think you suck, but once you get used to it, you'll be really good." For more information, see Mr. Stevens in room 11. Muir archery club has practice every Saturday from 9am until noon with Coach Stevens.

Neurocleansing

By: Harrison Pearce

You are brainwashed when you sleep! A study showed that mice brains are cleaned with cerebrospinal fluid while sleeping. The study internal space in the mice brains increased by 60 percent as they slept. Toxins were flushed out as evidenced by the

amount of beta- amyloid proteins in the brains of the mice that were sleeping compared to in their waking state. This raw science could lead to treatments for several brain disorders, so you can bet there will be more research!

Controversy over Genetically Modified Foods

By: Nicole Matthews

Two million people in over 50 countries expressed outrage over Monsanto Corporation's desire to obtain ownership of the World's food supply by using patented, genetically altered seeds. GMO foods are plants or animals that have been genetically engineered. A growing body of evidence connects GMOs with

health problems, environmental damage, and violation of farmer and consumer rights. Some studies suggest that eating_GMO foods can cause cancer, infertility, and birth defects. Monsanto and other GMO producing corporations disagree, citing a lack of evidence.

MUIR WARS



Madame Muir! Something dreadful happened! A pack of thieves intercepted.

This is the second attempt made so far, we must send our ambassadors to the JMAP council. And investigate who is behind all this.



Madame... All our ships have been shut down. What if it's someone on the inside?

Then I will personally make a mission to the Galactic court, this is a case for Judge Bellofate to hear!

