

# The Torch



# Newsletter

WOW!

**Current Jog-a-Thon Total - \$15,314.00!**

*Great job joggers!*



This year's Jog-a-Thon is on a good pace, and there is still time to bring in your money (June 3rd is the final deadline). We need everyone's help to meet our goal of 25k! We want to thank all the joggers, volunteers, donors and business sponsors who's efforts made our event a success. Our jogathon fair was great fun! Our students, families and staff thoroughly enjoyed the day. Each class earned good \$

from their tables for their year end events! Special thanks to Alan & Jan Masters and Shell Gas for the gas cards and Michelle, Christie, Chanel & Djuana for all their help!

### Top Joggers:

Most laps ran school wide - **Kealan C.**  
 Group Winner (Pre-K & K) - **Veronika H. & Holden E.**  
 Group Winner (1st, 2nd & 3rd grade) - **Amelia D.**  
 Group Winner (4th, 5th & 6th grade) - **Kealan C.**  
 Group Winner (7th to 12th grade) - **Jake M.**

### Prizes to win!

We still have lots of prizes up for grabs! Everyone has time to win one of the below listed fabulous prizes.

- Only two more Human Bean special drink deliveries! (May 23rd and May 30th!)
- Earn a Key to participate in our key prize ceremony, winner will receive an IPOD touch!
- Top earner in Pre-K, K & 1st grade will win a bike!
- Top earner for grade 2 thru 12 will win a mini IPAD.

### Where your fundraising \$ goes...

Fundraising has always been crucial to Brighton, and this year was no exception. Our fixed expenses continue to increase, involving everything from our utilities, and insurance to our basic office supplies. Every fundraising dollar goes directly into Brighton's operating budget, with the lion's share allocated to our teacher's payroll.

We know asking our families to help with both our fundraisers this year was an added chore, and we absolutely appreciate everyone's effort. Our overall goal is to offer an academically solid program with top quality enrichment electives at an affordable price. We are able to continue this mission with the support of our awesome families. THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

### Brighton Graduations

#### Kindergarten Graduation

Kindergarten graduation will be held on Tuesday, June 4th at 10:45 am in Brighton's gym.



#### 8th Grade Graduation

Our 8th grade graduation ceremony will be Friday June 7th 5:45pm to 8:00pm at Brighton Academy. There will be a small reception after the ceremony with light refreshments. Sem formal attire for all 7th & 8th grade students is requested.

#### 8th Grade Graduation

Our 12th grade graduation will be Saturday June 8th at 4:00pm on Brighton Academy's campus. There will be a small reception after the ceremony with light refreshments.

### Science Buzz



We are thankful to the Jacobs family for the latest addition to the Brighton science department -an observation bee hive! Come by and check out our in classroom bee hive, courtesy of John and Mysti Jacobs. If you are interested in getting into beekeeping they can supply you with the bees and everything else that you need. Get a hold of them at Old Sol Apiaries: (541) 582-2337 or [www.oldsolbees.com](http://www.oldsolbees.com).

### Yearbooks for sale

The 2012/2013 yearbook is now on sale in the front office, for only \$20.00 each. Visit the front office to see a sample.

### Book Return

Please bring in your Brighton material before the year ends! Our books and materials are very important to us. We ask all families to please be sure that your child returns ALL school textbooks and reading books back to campus. Any books not returned will incur a fee to parents for replacement of missing books.



### Brighton's Fundraising Policy

Brighton Academy believes family involvement is an essential part of a child's education and fund raising participation and volunteer hours are required from all Brighton families. Since fund raising is crucial at Brighton, families are required to participate in both our Jog-a-thon and our Auction. We ask all parents and students to fulfill the individual fund raising goals set (minimum of \$100 per student in jog-a-thon pledges & \$500 per family for our auction) as well as attend these events and volunteer in the planning and the execution of these events.



# May/June 2013

## April Teachers of the Month

*Congratulations Mr. Kopp & Mr. Miller*



*Mr. Kopp... "It is my honor and privilege to be pouring into these young men and women. It's my fervent hope and prayer that my life and instruction will serve them as they go forth and bring light and love into their families, communities, and the world."*



*Mr. Miller... "Never turn down "good luck" because good things happen when it is combined with skill, patience and perseverance."*

### At-a-Glance Reminders

- May 27th - Memorial Day Observed
- June 4th - Kindergarten Graduation (10:45 am)
- June 4th - 8th Grade Graduation Party!
- June 5th - All School Assembly (10:30 am)
- June 5th - Last day of school / classes out at 12 noon except for college students / day care until 5pm
- June 5th - Limo Rides (12 noon) (pre-k thru 4th)
- June 6th - Jet Boat Ride (10:30 am) (5th & up)
- June 7th - Community 101 Awards ceremony (2pm)
- June 7th - 8th grade Graduation (5:45 pm at Brighton)
- June 8th - Judo State Games at N. Valley High
- June 8th - High school Graduation (4:00 pm Brighton)
- June 11th - Last day of RCC's SP100 (2:00-3:00)
- June 12th - Last day of RCC's MUS203 (1:00-3:00)
- June 15th - Report cards mail
- June 24th - Summer Camp starts

## Brighton's Interact Club

*"Developing Leadership Through Service"*



Brighton's Interact Club has a new president, congratulations Ashley Chiampi! Our club has been busy, two members attended the District Conferences and seven members attended the Rotary Track Meet at GP High. Last weekend our members bagged groceries at Ray's on 7th street. Interact's Community 101 Awards ceremony will take place on Friday June, 7 at 2:00pm Special Thanks to Nelson Maler for his help and guidance throughout the year and to Sarah Sirker for her work as president.

### Fall Registration

We experienced strong early enrollment and we continue to tour and take inquiries. If you have not yet registered it is highly recommended that you do so soon. Classes are filling!!



### Summer RCMA Martial Arts

<b>10 years old and under</b>	<b>11 years old and over</b>
Monday 10:30 -11:30 Judo	Monday 5:00 – 6:30 Judo
Wednesday 10:30 -11:30 Kung-Fu	Wed 12:00 - 1:30 Kung-Fu
	Thursday 6:00 - 7:30 Judo



### Summer Tutoring Program

Summer is a great time to improve your student's skill or just keep them sharp for fall. Rates are \$15.00 an hour or \$10 per 1/2 hour. Please call the Brighton office to reserve your spot.



### Summer Day Camp

This summer we will be offering a day camp on our campus with Chanel Brown and assistants. It will run from June 24th to August 16th, Monday thru Thursday from 8am - 5pm. There will be theatre, arts & crafts, gardening, cooking, daily reading, lots of water playing and tons of fun!

- Full time: \$600 (+ \$40 material fee)
  - Part time: \$480 (+ \$40 material fee)
- DROP-IN RATE: \$4.00 per hour (pd daily)  
Prices include water, afternoon snack daily and camp t-shirts. RCMA will offer a summer kung fu class for an additional \$100, this is an 8 week session with Sensei Dan. Please sign up in the front office or contact Chanel Brown at 541-295-9466.



### Café Menu for June ...

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>
3	4	5	6
Chicken Nuggets w/ dipping sauce and Tator tots carrot sticks & ranch dressing and/or Salad Bar	Hot dogs with Chips & Fruit and/or Salad Bar	Variety of items all at a 50% discount and/or Salad Bar	No School