

CLIPPER MONTHLY

CLIPCO



October 2022

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Calendar

October

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
3	4	5	6	7 Miller Night @ Lynbrook
Miller Spirit Week				Muir Parent Teacher Conference
10	11	12 Muir Volunteer Training	13	14
Muir Parent Teacher Conference				
17 NO SCHOOL	18	19	20 CLIPCO Board meeting	21
24	25	26	27 Minimum Day Gong Cha 🥤 (Miller - SJ location)	28 Halloween Community Event @ Muir
31 HAPPY HALLOWEEN! 🎃				

Sunday
10/30
CLIPCO
Booo-rito
night @
Chipotle

Social Media

Website: <https://cusdclipco.org>



twitter.com/CUSDCLIPCO



CLIP After School Enrichment Program (ASEP)

ASEP Offerings

- **Monday:**
 - Erhu (2nd - 8th Grade, Starts 10/3)
 - ZhongRuan (2nd - 8th Grade, Starts 10/3)
 - Dizi (2nd - 8th Grade, Starts 10/24)
- **Tuesday:**
 - Wushu (1st-5th Grade, Starts 10/18)
- **Thursday:**
 - Cooking (4th - 5th Grade, Starts 10/21) (full)
 - Cooking (4th - 5th Grade, Starts 2/2/23)
- **Friday:**
 - Lion Dance (1st - 8th Grade Starts 9/30)
 - Percussion (1st - 8th Grade, Starts 9/30)

We hope to offer Chinese Dance and Brush Painting soon!

Please go to our website to view more information and purchase classes.

<https://cusdclipco.org/programs/>

Questions? Please contact: asep@cusdclipco.org

Meet the Muir Front Office

Mrs. Wen

- I rearrange my house furniture often
- I do Sudoku everyday
- I listen to Kelly Corrigan Wonder podcast
- I feel blessed to work with wonderful office gals

Mrs. Nagamatsu

- I've lived in the Bay Area for 32 years
- Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo family - my husband, daughter and I are all graduates and my son is currently a junior there!
- I enjoy watching the Golden State Warriors and hope to attend a game at Chase Center someday



L to R: Mrs. Wen, Mrs. Kaufman, Mrs. Nagamatsu, Mrs. Plecque

Mrs. Kaufman

- I have been working at Meyerholz School, now at Muir, for the past 45 years
- My son and daughter attended Meyerholz and one of my four grandchildren attended Meyerholz
- I am a dog lover and have 2 dogs, one of which was the Meyerholz mascot
- I love to play practical jokes and April Fools Day is my favorite holiday
- I am an avid SF Giants fan and love watching all sports

Mrs. Plecque

- Attended CUSD schools, as well as my 2 sons
- Love beach walks with my husband and our chocolate lab, Kona
- Love gardening, my yard is full of succulents
- Love having fresh flowers in my home
- SF Giants season ticket holder for 22 years

Meet the First Grade Teachers



Mrs. Chen 楊老師

- Student at Meyerholz when I was in 4th and 5th grade.
- Attended three different elementary schools, two different middle schools, and two different high schools.
- During 4th grade at Meyerholz, we had a school-wide reading challenge. I read more than 200,000 pages in a year (Being an EL, that was a challenge). This challenge got me hooked on reading Nancy Drew Mystery books- the old set.



Ms. Liang 梁老師

- I have two dwarf Holland Lop rabbits.
- I'm allergic to cats and dogs.
- My favorite food is Korean food.



Mrs. Tsai 蔡老師

- I enjoy cycling and would ride 50 miles for a delicious meal.
- I am a dog person, but currently have two cats and am becoming a cat person too.
- Shandong dialect is my native dialect; I speak Cantonese and Shanghainese.



Ms. Sung 宋老師

- My students range from toddlers to high school and it almost covers each grade level from k-12 in my 20+ teaching career
- Regularly attend virtual happy hours on Friday evenings with my high school alumni of the same class since Spring 2021
- Enjoy hiking and chatting in a weekend hiking club

**Congratulations to our
Teachers!**



**Congratulations on
Tenure!**

Mr. Smedile (5th Grade)

Ms. Zhong (3rd Grade)





Thank you for coming! See you next year!

Capture Your Memories in This Year's MUIR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL Yearbook

5% OFF

purchase by
October 31



Purchase by October 31st to get 5% OFF

Customize Your 2 Free Pages

- Add photos from your computer, Facebook, Instagram, Google Drive & more.
- Answer fun Memory Questions to help remember the year.
- The 2 Custom Pages are FREE and are printed ONLY in your book. Want more pages? Each additional 2 pages is just \$0.99.

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Must be a parent or student 13 years or older.

- 1 Go to www.treering.com/validate
- 2 Enter your school's passcode:
1016608711261099

Regular Price: **\$36.00**

*Does not include sales tax, if applicable

Any questions? Please contact:
yearbook@cusdclipco.org

TreeRing

Dinner Dine Out

**Come enjoy a Booo-rito @ Chipotle &
Benefit CLIPCO!**

**DO GOOD
WITH CHIPOTLE**



**CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR
CLIPCO**

33% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30TH | 5-9PM
10385 S DE ANZA BLVD, CUPERTINO, CA, 95014

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **YHCCYMC**
OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT



For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.

Last Muir Volunteer Training! (Oct 12)

We are having our fourth Muir Volunteer Training - virtually.

Date - 10/12/22

Time - 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Meeting link:

meet.google.com/awd-wqyj-ofp

All volunteers need to attend a Muir training *this school year* and attendance is required in order to volunteer. Even if parents have attended a volunteer training in the past, they need to attend this year.

Parents interested in helping in any capacity (chaperone, class party, year end party, ASEP, etc.) need to attend.

We currently do not have a fifth volunteer training scheduled.

Questions: Email Ann Nagamatsu
<nagamatsu_ann@cusdk8.org>

Sept 2022 CLIPCO Board Meeting Voting Summary



Board Approvals	Yes	No	Abstain	Result
August 2022 Minutes Approval	9	0	0	Approved
Motion to add \$5k more (or \$9k total) to print translated textbooks for Middle School	10	0	0	Approved
Art Teacher had a lot to move from Meyerholz to Muir. Motion to pay Art Teacher additional 20hrs or \$1k	10	0	0	Approved

Sept 15, 2022 – CLIPCO Board [Meeting Notes](#)

Next Board Meeting:
Thursday, October 20, 2022
Muir GLC or Google Meet
6pm

2022-2023 Board Members

Congratulations to our new Kindergarten CLIPCO Representatives!



Jim Pacella

- Father of Olive (Jing) in Kindergarten Room 1 with Ms. Xu, and future student Chloe (Ya) who is age 2.
- Grew up on the east coast, studied Engineering at MIT and lived in Boston for 12 years, go Red Sox!
- After graduate school, relocated to California in 2015 to work for Apple in Product Operations.
- Known for being an amateur bread maker, his oldest “child” is actually a 14-year old sourdough starter!



May Wong

- I have two kids, London (5) and Zoe (2). My son, London, is in Ms. Chiang's class this year and we are so excited to be part of the CLIP community.
- I am an executive assistant by profession and have worked in multiple finance and technology companies along the way, now a Googler.
- I grew up in North Carolina and lived in New York for five years before moving to California six years ago.
- I am a huge foodie and pictures of me are mostly either with my kids or with food!
- In my spare time, I enjoy karaoke, puzzles, and crafts.

Jim will serve this school year (1 term) and May will serve this school year and the following school year (2 year term).

2022-2023 Board Members

POSITION	NAME	EMAIL
President	Ken Huang	ken@cusdclipco.org
Vice President	Loretta Lu	loretta@cusdclipco.org
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Kindergarten	Jim Pacella	TBD
	May Wong	TBD
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	Diana Ong	diana@cusdclipco.org
5th Grade	Ching Lien	ching@cusdclipco.org
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6th Grade	Edison Chiu	edison@cusdclipco.org
	Cindy Ying	cindy.ying@cusdclipco.org
7th Grade	Kevin Jung	kevin@cusdclipco.org
	OPEN - Please Apply!	Email clipco@cusdclipco.org
8th Grade	Jeremy Gaustad	jeremy@cusdclipco.org
	Liyang Wei	liyang@cusdclipco.org

2022-2023 Program Leads

PROGRAM/ COMMITTEE	NAME	PROGRAM/ COMMITTEE	NAME
Book Fair	Joan Cheng	Project Cornerstone	Nicole Jaramillo Bress
Brunch on Us	Christina Thai		Stacy Wong
	Diana Ong		Tammy Wang
Chinese New Year Parade Committee Chair	Alan Fong	Promotion Event Chair	Open - Apply Now
CLIP Art	Chwen Lim		Email clipco@cusdclipco.org
CLIP ASEP	Nikki Tan	Recruiting	Diana Ong
	Josephine Wu		Lucy Howng
CLIPCO Board Election	Loretta Lu	Room Parent	Christine Kuo
Community Events	Open - Apply Now	Safety Patrol	Open - Apply Now
	Email clipco@cusdclipco.org		Email clipco@cusdclipco.org
Community Outreach	Open - Apply Now	Science Fair	Lalaine Chen
	Email clipco@cusdclipco.org		Ivy Chien
Direct Give Campaign	David F Chen	Survey	Open - Apply Now
Hospitality	Ching Lien		Email clipco@cusdclipco.org
Mid-Autumn Moon Festival	Edison Chiu	Technology	David Chen
Musical	Maria Joana	Website	Margaret Leung
		Yearbook	Ivy Chien