

News and Notes - Walden Academy

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Walden CARES

- *Cooperation**
- *Assertion**
- *Responsibility & Respect**
- *Empathy**
- *Self-Control**



Director's News

As you know, we do not have a maintenance person on our staff and rely on our families to help keep our facilities up and running. Thank you to those of you who stepped up this past Saturday to help make Walden a wonderful place to learn!

Please submit photos of school activities for our yearbook by March 1st. You may submit them by email or drop off a CD at the front office. You may email them to Cynthia Roach - cynroach@yahoo.com or Sandra Velazquez - sandravlzqz@yahoo.com

We handed out empathy awards at Good Morning Walden today.

Empathy means joining someone else in their feelings. We have many students who are gifted in this way and we love recognizing them for it!

Next month, we will be recognizing our final CARES - self-control. We defined self-control as doing what's best, even when you want to do something else.



Upcoming Events

- ◆ 2/4: Good Morning Walden
- ◆ 2/12: Board Mtg. @ 5:30 PM in Rm. 3
- ◆ 2/14: 100th Day of School
- ◆ 2/18-2/22: No School

Dear Parents

Thank you to everyone who returned a mid-year survey! Your feedback is valuable and helps us get better all the time.

In the next couple of months, we will be teaching Internet safety lessons at Walden as required by The Protecting Children in the 21st Century Act (CIPA), which was enacted into law in October, 2008. You may preview the lessons we will be using with our students at this site:

<http://www.myctap.org/index.php/region/ctap2>.

In this gold folder, you will find a handout for parents on how to

keep your kids safe online.

Shout outs to our volunteers (with more to come):

- The Culp family for helping at lunch recess
- Mary Holzapfel & Kelly Lawler for help with pick-up
- Amber Sawyer, Kristin Weller, & Judy Spears for help in our classrooms



Questions?
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