

# The Kino Connection

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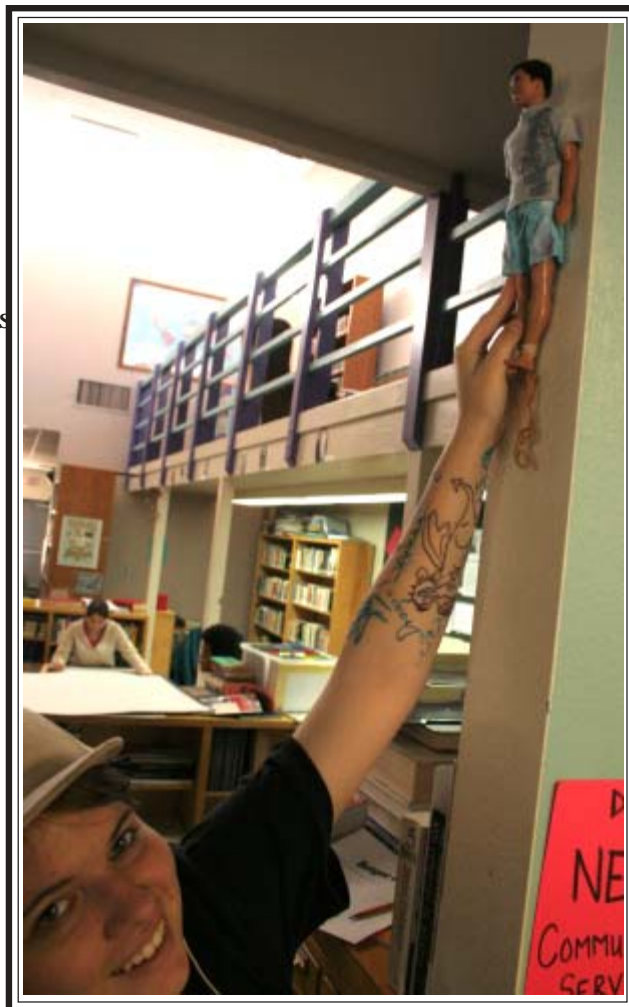
## A NEW Kind of Fundraiser

Sandra Tollison, the grandmother of Cassandra Beebe is giving us a very generous fundraiser opportunity. Every student has been given a catalog from her store, TJ's Gifts and More, to bring home and show to friends, relatives and anyone else they can think of. For every item that is purchased from the catalog, half of the profit goes to Kino. There's also 2 copies of a larger catalog up in the front, with items varying from tools, to beach items, to statues, to candles, to Elvis alarm clocks. There are some great gift ideas and it's a great way to raise extra money for the school, so come check it out!!

## What's going on, in *and* out of school !



Yesterday Senora Eyler and Julie took all of the middle level Spanish students to the University of Arizona to see a display of Mexican masks. They enjoyed playing and eating lunch at a nearby park.



## Bungee Barbie

By Jonathan R. Green

Perhaps you've seen Barbie Dolls around the school lately, hanging helplessly from the ceiling by ropes made of rubber bands. This is in fact not the result of a student's twisted whim, but a math experiment preformed by David's Math Group in which one graphs how far the Barbies fall before bouncing back up. Using their Barbie Bungee data, they created a scatterplot in which one labels the (x) and dependant (y) variables. Then they drew straight lines that best fit the scatterplot and found the equation of the line in y-intercept form. After this they theorized how far their Barbies might have fallen had more rubber bands been used.

Julia commented, "It was an odd experiment."

Eric says "It was all about finding slopes and lines-It was bungeelicious."

Asha's take on it? "It was a good way to learn math necessities while having fun at the same time. David is always coming up with interesting math activities. It keeps us from being bored, which is generally hard to do in math."



**At Project Night:** A very cute..whoops I mean **scary**, display of Early Childhood and Primary Wild Things!



Just a few of the great singers and performers at Project Sharing Night

We're having an Open House this Sunday, from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock, to give prospective students and their families an opportunity to see the school and talk to teachers. If you know anyone who would like to learn more about Kino, please pass the word.

Then we're expecting a visit from Jim Click next Tuesday so we can show him how well the new wheelchair accessible van works and thank him for his help in getting it. All members of the Kino community are welcome to join us. The press has been invited.

### Artsy Alumni News

At least two Kino alumni from opposite ends of the country, Eleanor Davis (Kino 2001) and Kate Ziemer (Kino 1997), will be included in this year's student exhibit of the Society of Illustrators in New York, a "juried show of the best art by college-level art students nationwide." Eleanor, who just graduated from Savannah College of Art and Design in Georgia won \$1,000 for her contribution. Kate (now Katherine Guillen) is attending the Art Center College of Design in Pasadena. She recently won first place in the school's scholarship competition, which provides her with a full scholarship.

And from the opposite side of the world, Angelina Lucento (Kino 2001) visited us during her Christmas break from Moscow University, where she is doing post-graduate work studying art history. Angelina is also working at the Pushkin Museum of Fine Arts in Moscow this year. She's their first ever western intern.

## CALENDAR

April 9	Open House, 2 - 4
April 29	Yard Sale
May 26	Graduation, 7 pm
May 31 & June 1	Parent/Student/Teacher conferences

### *Early Childhood Snacks-April 10-14*

Monday	air popped popcorn
Tuesday	crackers, tomatoes and basil
Wednesday-	PB&J
Thursday-	carrots and raisins
Friday-	cottage cheese and cucumber
	Milk & juice served every day.

### Music Camp with Nancy and Danny What Could Be Cooler?

Nancy and Danny are offering a summer music program for junior high and high school students. Students can be singers or instrumentalists. The camp will include lots of individual instruction, a public ensemble performance, and a recording session in a professional studio.

The camp will be for four weeks in June. They'll meet two hours a day, three days a week. The cost is \$500, which includes even the CD they make.

Nancy says they need to have a commitment from at least 5 campers, and they will not accept more than ten. Therefore, if you are interested, it is important to let them know as soon as possible (May 1 at the latest). If more than 10 apply, the first 10 who pay a 50% deposit will be admitted.

There's a flier with more information on the table in the front hall.