

The Kino Connection

April 26, 2006
Vol. 17, No. 28

Kino School • Tucson, AZ • 85718 • 520-297-7278 • 6625 N. First Ave. • www.kinoschool.org

Yard Sale Saturday!

Morning workers needed beginning at 6:30 (there will be egg muffins, coffee and juice)

Packer-uppers needed at 12:00.

Bake sale items needed Friday or Saturday morning

Buy stuff from 8:00 to 1:00

Keep bringing in donations!

The Band and Singers Another Kino CD !

By Jonathan Green

The Kino musicians are working on working on a CD, and will be recording most of the songs they performed on Project Night. (The solos are excluded.)

The recording for the band, which is called Octo Paz, and for the high school and junior high singers took place with the help of Andrew and Colin Davies' father, Rick, who is a guitarist. Rick lent his recording studio and his skills to the project.

All the band member agree that Rick was very kind and patient with their 'lack of talent.'***

Andrew (guitar) says, "It was nice and cool." Jonathan Green (vocals and guitar) says "I screamed like a little girl. You'll have to pay extra for that track. Jonathan also says, " It was the most professional and extreme studio I've ever worked in." Brendan also claims that he "screamed like a little girl." Brendan plays guitar and also sings vocals. The CD will include covers of Radiohead, Bob Dylan, Iggy Pop and Bright Eyes.

The high school and junior high singers recorded Eleanor Rigby, Wonderwall, Drops of Jupiter, and Shady Grove.

The midlevel singers did their recording here at school. Ethan did the engineering with Elliot's help. They sang Wild Mountain Thyme, Octopus' Garden, and Rainbow Connection.

The CD should be ready for sale by Project Night on May 18.

***[Since this article was written by Jonathan, who is one of the band members, he has no say in whether or not the band has talent and same goes for the other band members. It's agreed by the majority of the school that The Kino Band Members have an immense amount of talent!]

Chris says Thanks! for all the donations of gardening supplies.

Alumni News

Andy Shope visited us last week while he was in Tucson. Andy enlisted in the army after he graduated from Kino in 1999. He says he is returning to Iraq for his third tour of duty in December. Andy was injured in Baghdad last year and spent a considerable amount of time in the hospital recovering from a shrapnel wound in his leg. Andy looked great and says he is looking forward to retiring from the army after he's completed 10 years of service.

Congratulations to **Jessica Estrada**, Kino '95. She is receiving her Masters' degree in Special Education from the University of Arizona this month. Jessica is teaching at the Ha: San Charter School, which serves children in the Yaqui community.

Felice branched out into a new profession this weekend when she officiated at the wedding of **Ian Guagliardo** (Kino 1996) and his new wife Emily. As would be expected, the ceremony she wrote was meaningful and moving -- good for a lifetime.

We also received a visit from **Haddon Kime** last week while he was in town for Ian's wedding. Haddon is now living in Atlanta, where his wife is a Presbyterian minister. He and his wife will be spending this summer in Zaire at a clinic for children with AIDS. Haddon, who is a freelance composer extraordinaire, will be going as a videographer. Check out his website www.haddonkime.com for lots of examples of his work.

And congratulations again to **Eddie White**, Kino 2002. We wrote a few weeks ago that Eddie is graduating from the U of A with two honors degrees -- one in mechanical engineering and one in aerospace engineering. For one of his senior projects he built an airplane. He is receiving the Da Vinci Award and he's graduating summa cum laude with honors as *the* outstanding student.

Coffee House Concert

May 4 7 pm

featuring
The Octo Pazo Band,
all the Kino singers
and Nancy

Come enjoy an evening of music, ice tea and cookies outdoors on the basketball court.

Evil Invaders From Above!!!

By Gavin Campbell

[Continuing Gavin investigation of the question, "What do students do outside?"

Next I wandered on over to Ariel Varner, who stated, "We just wander out pretty far off Patty's Place," which is almost synonymous with Sophia's statement of, "Well I like to walk around. [I] like to break the rules by climbing the tree that's out of bounds," but not nearly as vague as Joseph's statement of, "I just walk around." Which, don't get me wrong, is quite concise and to the point.

That concludes my series on the "walkers." Next up, my "those people out there on the playground who play sports" group. The question was, of course, "What do you do on the playground?"

"[I] play basketball usually" Elie told me. "Basically soccer," said Diego. "Playing basketball," Jasper announced. "Uh, I just usually play basketball a lot," was Levi's answer. Thomas O'dell said, "I'm not out there much... When I'm out there I get attacked with squirrels that are foaming at the mouth with hate." Whoa, is that a sport? That's crazy! How do you tell who wins? Is it like, the person who gets hurt the most, or the least? Wait, let me guess. You get 5 points for every bite on your legs, 10 points for every bite on your arms and about 50 points for every lost finger, right? No wait! I'm betting it's calculated by every square inch of skin taken off the body! Yeah, that's it.

Marielena and the Spanish students will be providing quesadillas, burritos, sandia, and lemonade for a Cinco de Mayo feast on, of course, May 5. The cost of the feast will be \$2 per person, and all of the money will be contributed to the school

Marielena needs clean, hollowed eggs (you know, egg shells with their insides blown out) so Spanish students can make cascarones for the Cinco de Mayo celebration.



Thomas McNiece 4/25/06

Either that or square centimeters, it might be a European game, you know.

Anyway, where was I? Oh yeah back to the article. Here is what Andrew Davies said, "I haven't been out on the playground for a very long time, but when I did I used to build shrines and stuff. I would follow around Nick and harass people." Speaking of harassing people, here's what Eric had to say. "Yeah ... annoy you and Ben and Andrew." How sweet. He also told me, "(deleted due to inappropriate content) some (deleted due to inappropriate content) up duh (deleted due to inappropriate content) also smash (deleted due to violent content) with a rock (deleted due to violent content) with a . . .

To be continued . . .

CALENDAR

April 29	Yard Sale
May 4	Coffee House Concert 7 pm
May 5	Cinco de Mayo celebration
May 7	Open House 2 - 4
May 10	Ian Wheeler's graduation
May 18	Senior Project Sharing / General Meeting 7 pm
May 26	Graduation, 7 pm

Early Childhood Snacks- May 1-5

Monday	cooked squash and milk
Tuesday	corn bread and milk
Wednesday	cooked carrots and juice
Thursday	rice and beans
Friday	fruit smoothies

Maloo is interested in finding a diesel vehicle of any kind, but especially a light pick up truck or other cargo-able type vehicle (including the one year Volvo made a diesel wagon). She would love to hear of any leads.

Cartoons by Thomas McNiece and Thomas O'Dell-- featuring adventures in and out of Kino-- promise to be a weekly feature of the Kino Connection.