

### **DPR Corner**

Thanks to Julie Ott and Alan Worster for taking the lead on our Environmental and Technology taskforces. We all appreciate the time and energy it takes to lead a group and get things accomplished while working and taking care of our own families. Thank you for stepping up into these roles.

Security – As you may already know, there was a lockdown on Wednesday at Chipeta Elementary School. According to Chipeta's administration this took place Wednesday from 9:00am to 12:00pm and was requested via D-11 security by the police due to a burglary near the Walgreens on Vindicator. We were not notified by the police or D11 security. While we have recently learned that it is the policy of the CS Police Department not to notify private schools, the crime prevention office has included us on their list. Unfortunately, Renaissance did not receive the information from their office in a timely manner. In response to our lack of information, Clayanna Killing requested that we be added to the call list from D-11 security, even going so far as to offer to pay a fee. However, they denied the request because if they accommodate Renaissance, they need to service every private daycare and school in their district. They have, however, reached out to Chipeta on our behalf reinforcing our request to be notified by their staff if a security situation arises in our area.

We have an outstanding relationship with Chipeta administration and have recently informed them that the police department doesn't have the manpower to phone all private organizations. Chipeta now has a new understanding of the urgency to call us about any security issues as they are committed to the safety of both public and private school children.

### **RenPac Parent Social**

Come have a glass of wine and some dessert with fellow Renaissance parents at the RenPac parent social. Meet at Casa Verde Commons from 7pm to 9pm on Saturday February 23<sup>rd</sup>. More information to come!

### **Request for Donation**

Division I is entering into a photography unit. Please donate any old cameras you may have to the classroom!

Please remember that applications for financial assistance are due this Friday, February 15<sup>th</sup>. Return completed packets to the main office by the end of the school day for consideration.