Westlake Charter School
Expanding Opportunities… Connecting Children to the World
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Happy Conference week Westlake Families!

This is Katondra, Mrs. Burwinkel, and Ben with this week's Connect-Ed message.

Parent-Teacher-Student Conferences are this week! This means that all students have early dismissal on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Students on East Commerce campus releases at 1:00 PM, and our Del Paso Campus releases at 1:15 PM. If you still need to schedule your parent-teacher conference, please contact the school office.

Don't forgot to wear your sneakers to participate in the PE obstacle course, wear your creative hats for the art project and your best Español skills on **Tuesday** for the **Olympic Triathlon** event day! We're looking forward to our Westlake students participating in a variety of activities that highlight our specialty classes. Thank you to those who have already signed up to volunteer on Event Day. We still have open spots for parents and family members to help, so please sign-up in the office or contact our event chair, Nancy at kong-vasquez@comcast.net.

This is the last week for donations collections that will count towards prizes for our students. Our last donation day is this coming Wednesday on the Del Paso Campus and Thursday on the E. Commerce Campus. The Olympic Triathlon team has a goal of 100% student participation this year. This means, we are asking each student to bring in at least $5 for the Triathlon. We can do it! Please make this last week count towards our school wide goal!

Come Join us on **Tuesday, November 16th** for **Family Night Out at BJ's in Natomas from 11 am – 12 am**. Westlake Charter will receive 15% of proceeds that day. Download the flyer on our website: http://www.westlakecharter.com/pdf/events/FNO/FNO_BJs_111611.pdf

Picture Retake Day on both campuses is December 1st. The fall pictures are with school uniforms.

We do not have school starting Monday, November 21st through Monday, November 28th for Thanksgiving Break. School will resume on **Tuesday, November 29th**.

Again, we are so appreciative of all of the Olympic Triathlon Donations that you've brought in so far! Westlake is able to provide the unique program is does because of you!
Have a wonderful week and a great Thanksgiving!

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