

# WELCOME

Dear Parents,

We want to welcome each of your families to the 2009-2010 DPCA school year.

Following is information you may need before our official "first day of school" on Aug. 26th:

- \* Our office is normally open from 9:00 am—1:00 pm M-F. Dates closed are noted on the office door and on the DPCA website. Feel free to come by or call with your questions.
- \* School supplies lists are on our website, [www.dpcaweb.org](http://www.dpcaweb.org).

Lunch and milk tickets may be purchased the first day of school. You may do this personally in the school office, or send the applicable amount with your student to give to the classroom teacher. (Rates will be published in Aug.) You will find it most convenient to purchase whole tickets and/or multiple tickets.



## VOLUNTEER DAY



*Our annual Volunteer Day will be August 14th. If you are able to spend some time at the school, we will be washing windows, scrubbing the kitchen, moving classroom furniture, and in general, getting ready for a new school year. Wear old clothes, bring gloves and we will provide the rest. Any and all help is welcome.*

Our August calendar will be posted on the website by the end of July. Calendars will be sent home with K—8th graders at the end of each month. New families will note that lunch menus, special activities and school closings will be posted on the calendars.

Plan now to attend Back to School Night on Thurs., Aug. 27th at 5:30 pm. We will start by sharing a hot dog cookout and getting to know each other better. Mr. Ritschard will present valuable information about the school and you will have time to visit your student's classroom. We will plan for an early evening so that tired children (and parents) can get some much needed rest.

# 1st Day of School - August 26th - Half Day