2022/2023 Shady Creek Foundation Fundraising Programs

- ✓ If you are not the current contact please pass this on to the appropriate person at your site and/or let me know promptly, via email to attention Executive Director Marie Teria, scoef@sutter.k12.ca.us
- ✓ The Scholarship application deadline is early, so *please note the date changes*. Use the attached copy or visit our website at www.shadycreekoef.org.



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION DEADLINES:

Fall 2019 attendees: September 23, 2022*

Spring 2020 attendees: November 18, 2022*

TICKET BENEFIT PROGRAM FOR 2022/2023

The raffle tickets will sell for \$5.00 each, so one book of 10 tickets will raise \$50.00! \$4.00 of each ticket sold will stay with the schools, to be applied towards the student's trip to Shady Creek Outdoor School Program and \$1.00 will come back to the foundation, to support the program and fund scholarships. This means students may sell less tickets to achieve their goals. The Round Table Coupon has a \$5 Value!

- ✓ The Raffle Ticket program raises nearly \$60,000 each year, to assist students to attend the Shady Creek Outdoor School Program. The prize remains the same, there are Two Grand prizes of \$500 each, this school year. Winners will be chosen on June 2, 2022 and will be called. Winners will be posted on our website: www.shadycreekoef.org.
- ✓ Once I receive your completed Raffle Ticket Sales application you can download the student permission slips and any other forms from our website. I will mail the tickets to you or send them thru inter-district mail, to <u>your attention</u>.
- ✓ The "incentive program" and general program will both end on May 5, 2023. All participating schools must complete their reports and return unsold tickets, stubs and your check to Shady Creek OEF within three weeks of your trip to Shady Creek or 5/19/23, whichever is earliest. This will allow us to award the Top-Selling Student and School before the end of the school year. (To be eligible the tickets, stubs and \$ must be received on time)
- ✓ Participating in the incentive program is easy and is determined by a ratio of number of tickets sold by the number of participating students-so small schools are on an equal ground with larger schools. The Top-selling school is awarded \$500.
- ✓ The monies are generally handled through your school district and we can invoice them once your monies are deposited in the designated account.
- ✓ Please be sure your payment is made to: Shady Creek OEF (Outdoor Education Foundation)

<u>Fit Quest</u> in Yuba, Sutter, Placer, Sacramento, Solano, and Merced Counties continues to grow. Please expect to hear from the Shady Creek Naturalists to book your *virtual* assemblies.

For most schools your grant funding appears as a credit on your invoice. We are excited to continue to bring this rewarding program to five counties in our service area, please thank Sutter Health for this grant program. [Butte, Tehama, Colusa and Glenn Counties are not currently funded for Fit Quest]

Friends and Family Day will be held on Saturday, September 17, 2022, from 10:00-2:00 at Shady Creek Outdoor School [18601 Pathfinder Way, Nevada City, CA]. This is a free event for parents and students to tour the facilities and have a family day at Shady Creek. There will be a lifeguard on duty, (weather permitting) and naturalist staff available to help families experience the Shady Creek magic. More information can be found on the attached flyers. *If closures occur, we will update and reschedule for Spring 2023.*

*If Covid and the Delta Variant cause the Outdoor School to not open for the Fall or Spring Session, we will fund students' classes through the Fit Quest Virtual Assembly Program in Yuba, Sutter, Placer, Sacramento, Solano and Merced Counties and any other means we have available, so that students can enjoy a Virtual Shady Creek experience. We also encourage you to work with the Raffle Ticket Program to offset costs.

Contact Marie Teria, Executive Director, Shady Creek Outdoor Education Foundation with your questions or for more information

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