

CLIPPER MONTHLY



November 2022

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Questions or Content for CLIPPER? Email: newsletter@cusdclipco.org

Calendar

November

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
	1	2	3	4 Miller - Light it Up Dance
Muir Book Fair				
7	8	9	10 Miller Veterans Day Ceremony	11 No school Veterans Day
14	15	16	17 CLIPCO Board meeting 6pm Miller - Turkey Trot	18
21	22	23	24 🦃🦃🦃	25
Thanksgiving Recess				
28	29	30		

Social Media

Website: <https://cusdclipco.org>



twitter.com/CUSDCLIPCO

Meet the Kinder and 1st Grade IA's (Instructional Assistants)

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Ms. Jenny Chu 朱老師

K - rooms 1 & 2

- I enjoy watching American or Korean drama, and listening to music when I have free time.
- I love to read Chinese poetry.
- I enjoy having a meal or drinking coffee with a few good friends.



Ms. Helen Lin 林老師

1st - rooms 13 & 14

- I used to do Chinese dialect animation dubbing.
- I love to research Chinese tradition herbs.
- I like growing vegetables and herbs for my own consumption.
- I am also one of the CLIP Art teachers.



Ms. Liang-Hui Lee 李老師

1st - rooms 15 & 16

- I am pretty resourceful. Friends love to ask me for referrals including food and useful information from handyman to parenting! I have been called "human yelp"!
- I love to share my passion in Chemistry! I used to teach a Meyerholz kids after-school program - doing science with everyday objects.
- I enjoy watching Korean drama!
- I have hosted the Chinese Language Contest since 2020.

Ms. Deborah Lin 林老師

K - rooms 5 & 6

- I was born on Chinese Valentine's Day.
- I love slow jogging and Pilates.
- I enjoy gardening and hanging out with friends.
- I have an over 10-year-old, color-faded, but still alive goldfish.

Meet the 2nd/3rd Grade Teachers



Ms. Xue Yang 楊老師

2nd grade English

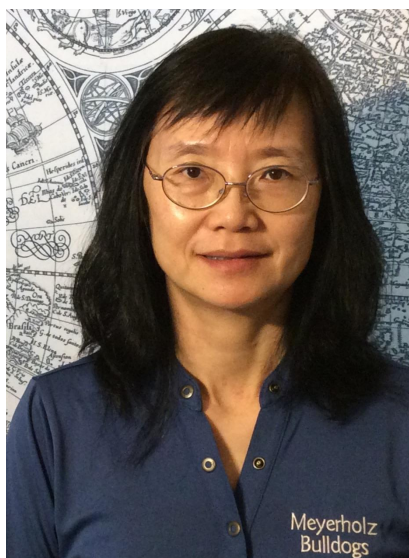
- Enjoys traveling with my family
- Hobbies include Cooking Chinese meals and watching movies
- Big fan of Friends Show since college



Mrs. Yanan Tao 陶老師

2nd grade Chinese

- Her 48 amazing 2nd graders turn in their homework every week!!
- Find her either in a FriYay T-shirt or wearing FriYay shoes on Fridays :)
- Just started learning PingPong this October---it's never too late to learn
- Enjoys watching professional sports with her family and she is a fan of Liverpool football club (YNWA!)



Ms. Catherine Huang 黃老師

2nd/3rd grade Chinese

- Was the first CLIP teacher to start the program
- Went to Australia once and took a picture with a koala bear!
- Used to sing in a choir, and now am a member of our church choir - "Yes, I love singing!"

Meet the 2nd/3rd Grade Teachers



Mrs. Jane Lee 李老師

2nd/3rd grade English

- I was born in the US but raised in Taiwan. I grew up learning to speak a mix of Taiwanese and Mandarin dialects.
- I am a CLIP mom. My daughter is a 6th grader at Miller Middle.
- Besides traveling and hiking, I also like to dabble in creative projects such as wool felting, making travel journals, and interior designs.



Ms. Ying Yi Zhong 鍾老師

3rd grade Chinese

- The last song I played on Spotify was Bill Evans Trio - Beautiful Love (Take 1).
- My favorite travel memory was a ten-day Island Hopping Adventure in the Philippines.
- Instead of gold, I discovered my green thumb in California and now I keep a garden of fruits and vegetables.



Ms. Yii Wen Chuah 蔡老師

3rd grade English

- I grew up in Singapore.
- I have 3 cats and sometimes foster a 4th cat in partnership with local rescue organizations
- I enjoy reading, knitting, hiking, playing board games, and watching anime

2022-2023 CLIPCO Board Members



Ken Huang



L to R: Patrick Chiu, Loretta Lu, Dr. Lashier, David F Chen, See-Eng Phan

Ken Huang (President)

- I am an assistant coach for 4th girls and 8th boys basketball team.
- I have passports to 3 different countries (Taiwan, Canada, US).
- I have served on CLIPCO for 4 years.

Loretta Lu (Vice President)

- Have two CLIP Middle Schoolers - one in 6th and one in 8th grade.
- Love family time and going on adventures and trying new things with them.
- Enjoy eating way too much and have a special memory bank when it comes to food as I tend to remember what people had and what they like.
- Like cooking/baking and experimenting with new recipes so you can probably find me in the kitchen baking (or eating). :)

Patrick Chiu (Treasurer)

- Have one child in CLIP at Muir.
- This is my fourth year volunteering with CLIPCO.
- Enjoy family vacations to Disneyland and Hawaii.

David F Chen (DGC Chair)

- I have 2 daughters, 1st and 6th grader. Bay Area native and lived in the area since high school, went to Lynbrook. UCLA grad, SJSU post grad.
- Hobbies are basketball, flag football, volleyball, bocce ball, pickleball and BBQs. Enjoys camping on the beach.
- Was a super shy kid until after college. Love to talk to people. Please stop me and say hello!

See-Eng Phan (Secretary)

- Have two kids, Conrad (14) at Homestead High and Claire (10) who is at Muir Room 17.
- Grew up in South Bend, IN. Go Fighting Irish!
- Love to bake and eat desserts especially anything with dark chocolate
- Like to take pictures of the kids and food :-)
- Taking care of a bunch of freshwater fish and working on saltwater fish next

CLIP Alumni Spotlight

Shannon Liu was CLIP class 2015. She was the 1st Dizi student in our After School Enrichment Program (ASEP) and still playing Dizi in college right now. She is still taking the Dizi lesson from our ASEP teacher, Yu Laoshi.

She won the Gold Medal at a 2021 National Bamboo Flute Competition in China and has performed at Carnegie Hall. She had a performance at [Carleton](#) on Oct. 30th where she performed on a Dizi as well as a Xiao.

Here is an [article](#) about the Oct. 30 concert from the Carletonian (Shannon's school newspaper).

Also, here is the "[Musician Talk with Shannon Liu](#)" (Shannon's radio interview).



Shannon Liu

Book Fair (11/1 - 11/4)

Chinese Book Fair
(online 10/13-11/4)



Use the discount code **JMbookfair**, you will receive a **10% discount** on everything storewide, except furniture. Delivery is FREE, please select PICK UP at checkout and specify student name and room number..

This discount is for Muir, Muir/Cuperdoodle, and Miller students only, and books can only be delivered to school.

<https://glorias-bookstore.com/pages/welcome-to-clipco-s-2022-chinese-book-fair>

SCHOLASTIC

BOOK FAIR

It's Book Fair Time!

Muir GLC, 11/1-11/4 (Tuesday through Friday). Open to students and their families after school until 4pm.

Students will also have the opportunity to visit with their class and to purchase books during their visit or at lunch.

Create an e-wallet for your student from our Homepage:
<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/muirelementaryschool6>

Dates/ Times/ Place

Check out with Book Fair eWallet, the convenient, cash-free payment system and earn BIG rewards for our school! Woo hoo!

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Please help grow your classroom library! There are multiple options:

- Visit the Scholastic book fair in person to purchase books from your teacher's wish list
- Donate a book from the [Chinese book wish list](#) of participating teachers
- Donate to your teacher's Scholastic e-Wallet

Questions? bookfair@cusdclipco.org



The 2023 San Francisco Chinese New Year Parade will be on February 4, 2023! CLIP will participate.

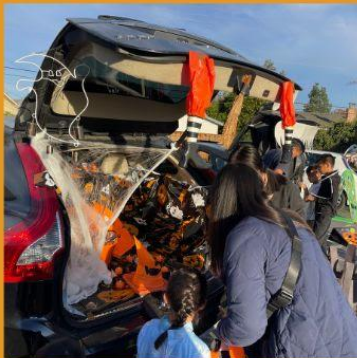
Practices will happen weekly on Wednesdays after school starting early December.

Stay tuned for more information!



CLIPCO TRUNK OR TREAT 2022





**BIG THANK YOU TO ALL FAMILIES WHO HOSTED
A TRUNK, DONATED SUPPLIES, PARENT
VOLUNTEERS, AND THE PLANNING COMMITTEE!**



Muir Trunk or Treat Thank You!

Huei-Yuan Pan
Margie Chuang
Jia Wei
Katrina Le
Chao Shi
Frances Hu
Jane Qu
Jialing Li
Marlana Tieu
Jean Tseng
Jean Ting
Kimberly Chung
Sophia Lee
Nick Lyford
Yumei Tang
Chao Shi
Diana Ong
Elly Park
Loretta Lu
Qian Wu

Julie Siripoke
Cu He
Lalaine Chen
Chao Shi
Chunlan Lin
Phyllis Yang
Connie Chan
May Wong
Wendy Briggs
Fang Ruan
I Lin Chen
Patrick Chiu
Margaret Leung
David F Chen
Imelda Bambang
Edison Chiu
Parent Treat Donors
Lynbrook HS Volunteers!

*Thank
You*

For Trunks, Treats and
Concessions help!

Project Cornerstone Projects



Room 10 Ms. Tao / Room 9 Ms. Yang
Our diverse class is a perfect fit!



Direct Give Campaign Survey Results

We received 129 responses (114 including Muir, 38 including Miller).

A quick preview:

Miller: Top 3 most important programs/services by far are IAs, other staff, and instructional materials.

Muir: Top 3 most important programs/services are also IAs, other staff, and instructional materials. Votes also supported Enrichment and Events.

Comments will be analyzed and a summary will be sent soon. Stay tuned!



CLIP After School Enrichment Program (ASEP)

ASEP Offerings

- **Monday:**
 - Erhu (2nd - 8th Grade)
 - ZhongRuan (2nd - 8th Grade)
 - Dizi (2nd - 8th Grade)
- **Tuesday:**
 - Wushu (1st - 5th Grade) - FULL
- **Thursday:**
 - Cooking (4th - 5th Grade) - FULL
 - Cooking (4th - 5th Grade, Starts 2/2/23)
- **Friday:**
 - Lion Dance (1st - 8th Grade)
 - Percussion (1st - 8th Grade)

We hope to offer Chinese Dance and Brush Painting soon!

Please go to our website to view more information and purchase classes. <https://cusdclipco.org/programs/>

Questions? Please contact: asep@cusdclipco.org

Chipotle Dine Out (10/30)



Thanks for
supporting
CLIPCO!



Pizza My Heart (Dec 8)

CLIPCO invites you to come
support our fundraiser

30% of your purchase will be
donated to our group



Come Share a
Pizza Your Heart!

Thursday, December 8th
4 – 9pm

Pizza My Heart
19409 Stevens Creek Blvd.
(408) 253-6000

Be sure to mention our
group when you order!

It's good on Dine In, Take Out or *Delivery
*Does not include online or 3rd party delivery orders

CALL IN YOUR TAKE OUT OR DELIVERY ORDERS!



Brunch on Us
Thank you 5th grade families!

October 2022 CLIPCO Board Meeting Voting Summary



Board Approvals	Yes	No	Abstain	Result
September 2022 Minutes Approval	9	0	0	Approved
Increase Community Events budget \$5k, Hospitality \$900, Staff Appreciation Week \$1k, General Teacher Appreciation \$5k	11	0	1	Approved
\$275 for neon vests to be worn on kindergarten field trips	12	0	0	Approved
\$700 to spruce up Muir staff lounge	12	0	0	Approved

Oct 20, 2022 – CLIPCO Board [Meeting Notes](#)

Next Board Meeting:
Thursday, November 17, 2022
Muir GLC or [Google Meet](#)
6pm

2022-2023 Board Members

POSITION	NAME	EMAIL
President	Ken Huang	ken@cusdclipco.org
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7th Grade	Kevin Jung	kevin@cusdclipco.org
	OPEN - Please Apply!	Email clipco@cusdclipco.org
8th Grade	Jeremy Gaustad	jeremy@cusdclipco.org
	Liyang Wei	liyang@cusdclipco.org



2022-2023 Program Leads

PROGRAM/ COMMITTEE	NAME	PROGRAM/ COMMITTEE	NAME
Book Fair	Joan Cheng	Project Cornerstone	Nicole Jaramillo Bress
Brunch on Us	Christina Thai		Stacy Wong
	Diana Ong		Tammy Wang
Chinese New Year Parade Committee Chair	Alan Fong	Promotion Event Chair	Open - Apply Now
CLIP Art	Chwen Lim		Email clipco@cusdclipco.org
CLIP ASEP	Nikki Tan	Recruiting	Diana Ong
	Josephine Wu		Lucy Howng
CLIPCO Board Election	Loretta Lu	Room Parent	Jeff Whalen
Community Events*NEW*	I-Lin Chen		Christine Kuo
Community Outreach	Open - Apply Now	Safety Patrol	Open - Apply Now
	Email clipco@cusdclipco.org		Email clipco@cusdclipco.org
Direct Give Campaign	David F Chen	Science Fair	Lalaine Chen
Hospitality	Ching Lien		Ivy Chien
Mid-Autumn Moon Festival	Edison Chiu	Survey	Open - Apply Now
Musical	Maria Joana		Email clipco@cusdclipco.org
		Technology	David Chen
		Website	Margaret Leung
		Yearbook	Ivy Chien