



Executive Director's Report

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November is always one of my favorite months. The weather cools and we are focused on gratitude. Grateful that harvest in Chico and surrounding communities are over and regular routines get back in place. Apple and Pumpkin Pie recipes come out and the family gathers. Watch out or I may sing you my family's traditional Thanksgiving song!

Last year we had a difficult November and the Blue Oak community spent a moment in silence the morning of the 8th to honor and care for our families, friends, and co-workers affected. This community supports you.

Favorite Moments!

8th grader - on Wednesday...you're my best friend
on Thursday...I love you...I love you as a teacher
7th grader - "My school is a place of happiness"
The visit from Miss Cheryl's class and their song!

The Halloween events are always fun, as well, and this year didn't disappoint.

I was able to join the Kindergarten classes in their **Lantern Walk** this year. The peaceful beauty is hard to describe but wonderful

Waldorf Mentors

We have welcomed two exceptional Waldorf Mentors this year. **Anna Rainville** was here early in the month and showed us new moves with a sword dance. Pretty fun. She also met with the Kindergarten, lower grades teachers and Strings. **Antje Bojarsky** is here this week supporting the rest of the grade teachers. We are enjoying having their knowledge and strength on-site and thank the board for supporting this.

Winter Concert - News from B Cisneros:

Due to a generous donation, our Winter Concert will be held at **Pleasant Valley High School** in their Center for the Arts building. This venue is very nice and will give the students a real stage experience! The concert will take place on Monday, December 16th.

We are grateful for each child, each family, each staff and board member that have given their time and love to the unique environment that is Blue Oak.



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