

## RAUNER PARENT GROUP MEETING

NOVEMBER 6, 2008

Rauner parents gathered on November 6 and made excellent progress on some important school event.

We will be holding our annual pot luck dinner on Saturday, December 6, 2008 from 3 to 5 pm. Last year we had a great turnout and we hope to repeat that this year. You will be seeing information about it in the Rauner weekly newsletter, including an opportunity for you to provide your favorite culinary delight. This year we have two important additions to our dinner. The first is music! Hilda Rodriguez has tapped her husband and his friends to provide some Latin jazz. And second is a silent auction, which is being overseen by Consuelo Gramarossa. This will be the first fundraising effort by the parents and we are hoping for a terrific response.

Parents also discussed some enrichment programs that they would love to see offered at Rauner and these include,

- English as a Second Language to be taught by Felippa Janik
- Knitting, crocheting and Mexican cooking to be taught by Consuelo Gramarossa
- A parent reading group
- A course on banking and the stock market.

We hope these can begin in the second semester.

Our next meeting will be held on the date of our pot luck dinner, December 6, Saturday.