



October 21, 2011

Dear Parents, Students and Faculty,

On **Friday, November 18, 2011**, Elmwood will be hosting its annual **International Night**, an evening that celebrates the cultural diversity of our student body and of the Elmwood community. We invite you all to encourage cultural appreciation and international cooperation, starting right here in our own school community. This entertaining evening will showcase Elmwood students sharing their talents and their pride in their heritage through music, songs, dances, costumes and food. The proceeds from International Night will go to our sister school in Lesotho.

The event begins at 6:30 p.m. and will include a variety show, a cultural and art exhibition, and food samplings, provided by parents and guests, from around the world. Admission to the evening is \$20.00 per person or \$30.00 per couple or \$40.00 per family (including 2 children) and any extra child \$5.00.

Your donations and participation will be greatly appreciated at this time. If you are able to contribute a food dish that can be served at the buffet following the show, please keep in mind Elmwood’s **“nut-free policy.”** Also, please indicate the name of the dish, its country of origin and a list of its ingredients, so that we can avoid allergic reactions. We anticipate a most enjoyable evening and look forward to seeing you there.

Sincerely,

Malek Purran and Laila Abada
International Night Faculty Advisors

Gloria Nabukwesi Yasmin Salehi Larissa Trescher
International Night Student Organizers

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INTERNATIONAL NIGHT 2011

Student Name: _____ Homeroom/SLG: _____

I would like to contribute: a main dish an appetizer dessert

This food is from _____ (country of origin).

There will be (#) _____ people attending. Please bill my daughter’s account in the amount of \$_____.

Parent signature: _____

Please return this portion to Ms. Douglas in the main office by November 1, 2011.