

**IMPORTANT SCHOOL COMMUNICATION – MUST BE RETURNED BY JUNE 2!!!**

## **Brookhaven is Going Green & Saving Resources...**

In an effort to save valuable resources, our "Thursday Folder" contents will be 100% online for the 2008-2009 school year. We all know about the current state budget crisis, but did you know that our **school's operating budget (all expense items) for next year has been cut by more than 50%?**

By "going virtual" we are saving paper, ink, wear and tear on the copier, volunteer hours, and much more. Here is how it will work...

Each Thursday, only **ONE** piece of paper will go home with your child. It will be Brookhaven's "Green Sheet" – with important information about the school calendar for the following week and a list of what materials are posted online for viewing.

You then can go online to [www.brookhavenelementary.com](http://www.brookhavenelementary.com), click on the **Thursday Folder** link and view items that were normally sent home, such as PTA-related information and community materials (like JUSA soccer sign ups). The Thursday Folder link is currently on the website if you would like to give it a try!

Our hope is that by reducing the amount of papers that come home, we are not only streamlining the communication process, but helping to reduce our school's operating expenses.

We need each family to complete the form below and return it by **Monday, June 2**. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Fargo at 714/996-1912. We also welcome your feedback regarding this and any other communication or website ideas to [webmaster@brookhavenelementary.com](mailto:webmaster@brookhavenelementary.com).

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### **Going Green Family Information... (Due June 2)**

**Family's Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Youngest Student at Brookhaven For 08-09 School Year:**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal E-Mail Where Brookhaven Communication can be sent (up to two addresses):**

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**Our family does not have access to a computer or personal e-mail.**