

UPCOMING DATES

April 20
IHMS Apple Night
7:00 In Walnut Creek
Apple Store

April 21
Spring Photos

April 28-May 1
STAR Testing Week

May 5
Incoming 6th Graders
Parent Night
7:00 PM in the MPR

May 7
PTA Meeting
7:00 PM in Media Center

May 12
IHMS Choral Concert
7:00 PM in MPR

May 13
IHMS Instrumental Music
Concert
7:00 PM in the MPR

May 13
SRVUSD "Day of the
Teacher"

May 14
Open House—7:00 PM

May 15
8th Grade "Civil War Day"

May 18
Staff Development Day—
No School

May 19
Battle of the Books

May 25
Memorial Day—No School

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A Message from the PTA President

It is hard to believe that spring break has passed and we are well into the fourth quarter!! I hope you all are enjoying the fabulous spring weather.

The PTA still has several important activities on the calendar. In May we will be honoring our wonderful Iron Horse teachers during Teacher Appreciation Week. Currently **Cynthia Byers, Joan O'Brien** and their committee are planning a fabulous and fun 8th Grade promotion party. Plans are being made for the August Registration and finally we had our Annual Election meeting at our April

meeting on Thursday, April 16th.

We have some very important committee openings for the 09-10 school year. We are still looking for a **Legislative V.P. and Directory, Ice Cream Social and Super Jaguar Liason Chairpersons**. If you are interested in serving in any of these positions or want to know more about the position, please feel free to contact me at jmu110@juno.com. We always welcome new ideas and parents to serve on the Board.

Last month I had the opportunity to meet

with the Distinguished School committee from the State Dept of Education. I was extremely proud to tell them of the support we receive from our parent community for PTA and I was able to detail how that support enriches the student's experiences here at Iron Horse. You are to be congratulated for all your part in making Iron Horse a California Distinguished School.

Judith Upchurch
IHMS PTA President

Mrs. Cooper Writes



To the Fabulous Families of the Iron Horse Community,

First and foremost, a huge "Congratulations!" to Iron Horse for being named a **"2009 California Distinguished School."** Our State Superintendent of California Schools, Jack O'Connell, called Iron Horse on April 1st to give us the fabulous news personally. The Iron Horse Community is continually focused on providing our students with the best educational experience we can offer. All of this hard work has not only earned us this prestigious award but has also improved student learning. Bravo!

Believe it or not, the last quarter of the 2008/09 school year has officially begun. Spring Break will soon end and

then we will be busy preparing for the many events scheduled for the remainder of this school year. STAR testing is the last week of April, Open House is on May 14th, and we have many "End of the Year" activities planned for our students (especially our 8th graders) in June. What an exciting time of the year! Make sure to look at the calendar included in this newsletter to see all of the other fun activities scheduled for our student community.

Now, what can you as parents do to support your child during this exciting, yet hectic time of year? Well, most importantly, you can help keep your child focused on his/her school work (considering the many distractions of TV, friends, computers, and Spring Fever) by making sure they have a structured homework routine at home. Even better, would be to sit down at the end of

each evening and have your child present their completed homework to you as a way of "bragging" about the hard work they have put in to the process. This will give your child a sense of accomplishment for fulfilling a responsibility and will afford them the opportunity to demonstrate their strong work ethic. Also, take advantage of schoolloop.com as this is one of the ways our teachers support their students and parents by keeping them informed of assignments and academic progress. Lastly, understand that your child's teachers are working hard to provide a quality education for all of their students. Never forget that our teachers choose to teach because they want to serve our children and the San Ramon Community. We need to do our best to work collaboratively with one another as we

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*Mrs. Cooper Writes
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support our students in making the best decisions for their education and giving them the tools they need to be independently successful.

So for now, please take a few moments to read through the pages of this newsletter so you are informed about all of the activities and programs that are currently in progress. Also, make sure to pay special attention to the "What's-Up" weekly e-mail that is sent via our LYRIS communication system. This weekly communication is e-mailed to all parents each Monday and includes important details for that week's activities. We want our parents to be in the "loop" as much as possible!

I wish you all a wonderful fourth quarter and hope that you enjoy all of the excitement that comes during this fun-filled and festive time of year!

Sincerely,

Michelle Cooper

Proud Principal of Iron
Horse Middle School



Iron Horse Middle School Education Fund Update

This is a critical time for school funding in the San Ramon Valley Unified School District. Because of reductions in education funding from the State of California, our school board has recently approved significant budget cuts that will affect all educational programs in our schools. Approximately 25% of our Iron Horse staff members have received layoff notices.

The school board is considering many options not only to cut expenses but also to raise additional revenue. All property owners in our school district recently received a ballot proposal for Measure C, a parcel tax designed to provide a local funding source for our schools. The Measure C ballot was mailed in early April. Property owners are asked to return the ballot by mail according to the instructions on the ballot. The IHMSEF supports Measure C. We believe that this local funding measure is critical to offset some of impact of the state budget cuts.

The IHMSEF also provides a local source of funding exclusively for Iron Horse. During our school's 12 year history, the IHMSEF has raised money to fund additional staff members for class size reductions in all grade levels and also to fund specific technology purposes. IHMSEF relies on parent donations for the majority of our annual fundraising.

The IHMSEF will soon begin its annual fundraising campaign for the 2009-2010 school year. We will be looking for your support during the campaign, which starts in May and continues through Registration in August. We encourage you to continue your support for Iron Horse with a donation to the IHMSEF. These are difficult economic times for all, but we believe that the quality of education at Iron Horse should be a priority for our community.

New Board Members Needed

IHMSEF is looking for new board members for the upcoming 2009-2010 school year. Please consider this unique opportunity to be a school leader and work proactively to meet our school's educational needs.

If you are interested in serving as an IHMSEF board member for 2009-2010, or if you have any questions, please contact Bob Anderson, hey.bob.a@comcast.net. Thanks again for your support.

Upcoming IHMSEF Meetings:

Monday June 1, 2009

7:00 PM in the Iron Horse Media Center

From Ms. Allison!

Now that it is second semester, our Iron Horse chapter of California Junior Scholarship Federation has added seventh grade members. All members must complete 5 hours of community service every semester. Members have also been fundraising throughout the year; funds will be used for an upcoming field trip for 8th grade members to a nearby university.

CONGRATULATIONS
TO 2ND SEMESTER CJSF MEMBERS!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION SCHOOL YEAR 2009-2010

Packet Pick-up Dates:

August 10 & 11 8:00 AM until 3:30 PM

Registration Dates:

August 17 8:00 AM -11:00 AM and 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM A – K*

August 18 8:00 AM -11:00 AM and 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM L – Z*

Jaguar Camp Date:

August 20 9:00 until Noon (Students Only)

Make-up Registration Date:

First Day of School – August 25

(We suggest that you try to register on your given date as **Make-up Registration can take as long as 2 hours.**

Remember: *First Day of School is a MINIMUM Day – Dismissal at 11:45)*

California Junior Scholarship Federation

2008-09 Semester 2 – 7th Gr.

Austin, Rainier
Apte, Shriram
Bernier, Bryn
Camenzind, Kathy
Cantoni, Erin
Chang, Justine
Durazzo, Kristian
Fisch, Samantha
Golchereh, Omid
Gonzalez-Aviles, Jascylette
Goodman, Christopher
Heath, Christopher
Ito, Kelly
Kannan, Anand
Kashikar, Devashish
Kawaguchi, Jennifer
Koo, Stephanie
Lofaso, Joseph
Louie, Norvin
Malloy, Sean
Murdech, Kanani O'Makena
Nakajima, Mia, - *Secretary S2*
Nathlich, Mark
Nemeth, Sophia
Pathak, Mahek
Pratt, Ryan
Ramirez, Andrew
Randall, Kyle
Ravipati, Vikki (Vivekavardhan)
Rebro, Scott
Schneider, Michael
Shemirani, Rozana
Suh, Jiehee
Syed Kasim, Abdui Kareem
Talwar, Tanya
Tortolero, Lauren
Walker, Mitchell
Williams, Kelsey
Williams, Rhea
Worth, Anna
Villafuerte, Allie

2008-09 Semester 2 – 8th Grade

Akkawi, Jonathan * *Activities Director, S2*
Albert-Hall, Casey
Anderson, Brooks * *President, S*
Avancena, Kara Danielle *
Baronia, Avanti
Bandler, Alec *
Battu, Varun *
Cantoni, Nick *
Cheng, Hsiang
Diaz, Maria Elena
Fajardo, Nicholas
Fisch, Cameron
Gath, Kenneth *
Gee, Jacob *
Gill, Jennifer
Gole, Shalaka *
Harris, Lindsay * *Vice President, S2*
Ho, Natalie *
Hsia, Melody
Iversen, Jennifer *
Jalihal, Aditya * *Treasurer, S2*
Kim, Innæ * *Lifetime Member*
Kim, Michelle *
Kim Seohyun *
Knigge, Courtney *
Li, Julie *
Li, Lucy *
Linford, Katelyn *
Lyall, Kayla *
Lyall, Rachel *
McHugh, Victoria
Motekaitis, Alyssa
Piehl, Tyler *
Shim, Iris
Shen, Alice (Yaqi)
Sivaraman, Timothy *
Tilahun, Mekaleya
Upchurch, Jennifer
Wang, Yicheng
Waychal, Soham
Wiedeman, Katherine
Young, Liane *
Zhu, Jillian *



Counselor's Corner

Catherine Carle and Jennifer Benz, Counselors

SUMMER SCHOOL INFORMATION

As you begin making plans for the summer, it is time to think about summer academic programs offered through the District, as well as programs offered throughout the community. SRVUSD offers an Academic Summer School program for students needing academic remediation.

Students who meet the following criteria should attend summer school:

- Current sixth and seventh grade students who have received semester grades of D or F in any of the required subjects should enroll in Middle School Summer School, which will be held at Iron Horse Middle School from June 19 through July 17, 8:00-12:15, daily. Summer School applications are available in the Counseling Office and need to be completed and returned by April 24. Space is limited, so we will be putting a date on completed applications as they come in on a "first come, first served" basis.
- Current eighth graders who have failed a class in any required subjects should enroll in the Independent Study District Summer School Program which will be held at Venture School. Counselors will notify parents of students who will be conditionally promoted, contingent on participation the district summer program.

If you have not received information regarding summer school, please call the counseling office as soon as possible to discuss available options for your student. All summer school applications are due to the Iron Horse Counseling Office no later than April 24.

SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

For those students who are not in need of remediation but are looking for enrichment programs in the area, there are many programs available. The SRVUSD offers a Summer Enrichment Program; please see the District website at www.srvusd.net for details. In addition, DVC College for Kids offers a comprehensive program, including many classes at the San Ramon Campus. The College for Kids website is www.dvc.edu/college4kids/. Some are purely academic, while others include study skills components and/or recreation or special interest. There are also many wonderful sports camps available throughout the summer. Dates and fees vary widely, so look around in newspapers, flyers and word of mouth to see what's available.

Important Notice for Current Eighth Grade Students and their Parents: Students, who wish to participate in extracurricular activities, such as sports, leadership, cheerleading, etc., during the freshman year of high school, must maintain a 2.0 GPA during the second semester of their eighth grade school year. By policy, students who do not maintain a 2.0 GPA by June of their eighth grade year may be excluded from the extracurricular programs in the fall, even if they qualified for participation at the time of any spring signups or tryouts that may have been held. It is the responsibility of the parent and student to monitor academic progress since academic ineligibility may result in the loss of all deposits or fees paid.

2009-2010 SCHEDULING

At this time, all 8th grade students should have turned in high school course selection sheets for the 2009-2010 school year.

Counselors will be meeting with all current 6th and 7th grade students the

week of April 20. The course catalog is online at the IHMS website, www.ihms.srvusd.net and course selection sheets will be distributed to all 6th and 7th graders in Advisory class on April 20 (7th graders) and April 21 (6th graders). There will also be a short assembly during Advisory on April 20 and 21 to inform 6th and 7th graders of elective class options.

STAR TESTING

STAR testing will once again take place this spring all across California. 6th and 7th graders will be taking the Content Standards Test (CST) in English Language Arts and Mathematics. 8th graders will be taking the CST in English Language Arts, Mathematics, Social Science (History) and Science. *At Iron Horse, we will be testing in a morning testing block period, 8:15 – 10:00 am, April 28 through May 1.* 8th graders will have an additional day of testing in their core classes on April 27 and will be testing until 11:17 on April 28. The STAR testing schedule is available online at www.ihms.srvusd.net at the What's Up link. It is very important that your child is in school during the testing dates and times so that he/she can complete the entire battery of tests and you can receive a complete score report. STAR testing, which consists of the California Content Standards Tests, measures how well students are learning basic academic skills and meeting standards.

Important Dates

May 6	Mid-quarter 4
May 8	Mid quarter Progress Reports mailed
May 14	Open House 7PM
May 25	Memorial Day - No school
June 11	Last day of instruction
June 19	2 nd Semester Report Cards mailed

From the City of San Ramon

The City of San Ramon Parks & Community Services Department offers a variety of programs and classes. Visit www.SRTeen.org for a complete listing of what's going on for teens in San Ramon. To register for classes or other programs stop by the San Ramon or Dougherty Station Community Centers or you can register online at www.SanRamonRecGuide.com. If you have questions or need more information please call 973-3200.

Upcoming Events.

Teen Hiking Trips

The Teens Outside Project has received a grant from the National Recreation and Park Association to

take teens on outdoor education trips. We are offering a variety of trips that are free of charge to get teens to experience the outdoors. There is a small \$10 deposit that is required for registration that will be refunded after the teen attends the trip. Deposits will not be refunded if the student does not attend. Limited space so register early.

May 30 - Hiking Trip to Uvas Canyon County Park, Santa Clara County
9:00 am - 3:00 pm
ACT#61804

Dodgeball Tournament (Friday, May 1)

The infamous Dodgeball Tournament is back! Test those hard earned skills from back in the day. We will cover the rules and then

teams will play round robin matches to determine your ranking for the playoffs. Captains get your team together and sign up your team of 6. Cost is \$60 per team. Prizes will be awarded to the champions! Pre-registration recommended (ACT#57533). This event will take place from 7:00-11:00 p.m. at the Iron Horse Gym.

Visit SRTeen.org

Go to San Ramon's Teen website, www.SRTeen.org, to get information on teen events, programs, classes, and other programs. Click on the Survey tab and complete our online surveys to be eligible for free prizes such as gift cards to Jamba Juice or Regal Cinema. Check out www.SRTeen.org to get the 411 on teen programs.

In response to the parent demand for additional information and support, we are proud to present . . .

"It's Not What You're Eating, It's What's Eating You!"

A Panel Discussion and Question/Answer Session Including Parents, Students, Nutritionists, Physicians and Therapists. This evening is dedicated to providing information and an opportunity for adults and young people to talk open and honestly.

The overall term "Eating Disorder" refers to a variety of disorders, including Anorexia Nervosa, Bulimia Nervosa and Binge Eating Disorder. The common feature of all the disorders is abnormal eating behavior, often accompanied by a distorted body image.

DATE: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

TIME: 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Pine Valley Middle School
3000 Pine Valley Road, San Ramon, CA 94583

Please RSVP to Nancy Clarkson at 925-829-5554 or labilmo@pacbell.net

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**WE'RE LOOKING
FOR A FEW GOOD PARENTS!!**

Like the Army, IHMS PTA is looking for a few good parents to serve on the Board of Directors!! The training is much easier, time commitment shorter and we don't make you wear green uniforms!! We have a couple of positions that need to be filled by the end of the school year:

1. Directory Chairman
2. Ice Cream Social Chairman
3. Super Jaguar Liason
4. V.P for Legislation

If you are interested or have questions about the position, please email me at jmu110@juno.com.

Library Media Center News

Iron Horse students are looking forward to competing in the Battle of the Books with other SRVUSD middle schools on May 19th. California High School is hosting the event after school in their library. Iron Horse is the defending champion and will attempt a win again. The Battle uses the form of Jeopardy with students quizzed on details from the 10 books selected by the Middle School Teacher Librarians earlier this year. Good luck, Iron Horse!

If your student is working on research and needs help with bibliography, please check my School Loop page for copies of our bibliography forms. They are fill-in-the-blank forms with space for notes and are printed in colors to signify the source: yellow for books, gold for internet resources, salmon for encyclopedia articles, pink for periodical articles, blue for interviews, and green for videos.



The district has announced that it plans to staff the middle school and

high school libraries at 50% next year. It is so unfortunate for our students because they use our library all day long every day, to learn and develop 21st Century information literacy skills, read, study, check out books, and to escape the pressures of life. The week prior to Spring Break, students checked out over 1000 books and on the Monday after, they borrowed over 330 books! Every day there are several students asking me if I've gotten the latest copy of some book they want to read, so I am busy ordering and borrowing from other schools in the district. We currently have over 15,000 books, about half of which are nonfiction books that students read to gain information about topics they are interested in or are researching for class assignments. This is a community of readers and to deny them access to our collection of books and the other resources and educational experiences in the library is a shame. Please support legislation that will guarantee a higher level of funding for education.

Judy Linhares
Librarian

Student Body News

During the month of April, Leadership will had a snack drive for our Riverside Elementary School. Students were asked to bring in healthy snacks and/or donate money to purchase snacks for the students of Riverside during the week of STAR Testing.

Staff Appreciation Week is May 4th through May 8th. Leadership will present our staff gifts throughout the week. The week will end with a fabulous staff breakfast. We are grateful for all

of our Iron Horse staff members and hope they enjoy the week!

May 29th is Jaguar Day! The students have a shortened schedule so they can spend the last half of the day playing games that Leadership will set up for them. I am sure everyone will have a great time with the games and barbeque!

Sincerely,
Sophia Nemeth,

Warren W. Eukel Teacher Award

The Warren Eukel Teacher Trust is **now accepting nominations** for its 2009 Teacher Awards. Teachers, parents, and students are encouraged to nominate gifted teachers who have exhibited extraordinary commitment to their students. Each teacher selected will receive an award of \$10,000. **Nomination forms** are available at www.eukelteachertrust.org or by calling (925) 945-0200.

9th Annual Grizzly Boys Basketball Day Camp

The Coaching Staff at California High School (the *2007 EBAL Champions!*) has a passion for teaching young people the game of basketball!

We will be offering Basketball Session I Day Camp, **June 22nd thru June 26th** from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., and Session II Shooting Camp **July 7th thru July 9th** 10:00-a.m-12:00 p.m. Registration Forms are available from Mr. Matek or from the Main Office.

There is a \$25 discount for registration before June 1st.

For more information, go to www.calhighbasketball.com or contact Cary Willson at cwillso@calhigh.net or Scott Matek at smatek@srvusd.net.

“Enjoying Adolescence”

From a pamphlet published by the National Middle School Association

Article #7 Worries:

Understanding adolescence does make a difference!

As much as parents worry about preadolescents, don't forget that preadolescents worry about themselves. Most have difficulty falling asleep at night; many are inordinately concerned about minor aches and pains; they have trouble making decisions; they wonder about the changes in themselves and their relationships – changes over which they suddenly have no control. Although most of their anxieties are centered on themselves, their increasing awareness of the bigger world leads them toward concerns about ecology, social justice, and other moral issues.

One result of this worrying is the need to belong and to be just like everybody else. There is safety in numbers and continuity. Sometimes dramatic changes in a middle schooler's life are unavoidable: divorce, an illness in the family, a move, or a change in financial status. Often preadolescents refuse to admit these changes to outsiders. They are generally convinced that they are the only, only ones that this has ever happened to and they do not want to be “different.” Middle schoolers feel as if the WHOLE WORLD is watching them, and if they say or do (or wear) the wrong thing, they will be so embarrassed they will just die.

Another way of dealing with this anxiety is to show bravado in other areas. Middle schoolers love gory movies; here is something they can face and not be frightened. Some take physical risks, like jumping off the garage roof, or participating aggressively in a sport. But all of them avoid emotional and social risks such as being seen with one's parents.

We can help middle schoolers through this time by being their safe haven. Even if turbulent times are going on in a household, try to make time to assure the preadolescent that you or someone will be there for him or her. Surround your young adolescent with familiar things. Listen to their worries, no matter how small they may seem. Offer calm, reasonable explanations for their aches, pains, an restlessness, assuring them that you will not allow them to fall seriously ill or be left out.

This is also a good time to capitalize on their broader concerns. Encourage them to participate in service projects; discuss current events and their implications; listen to their thoughts, no matter how idealistic they may be. In a few short years this preadolescent will be a citizen, a worker, an adult contributor to this small and fragile planet's society. During these years, we help middle schoolers form a basis for their future actions as responsible citizens.

Gold Honor Roll

6	Abadir, Jarrett	8	Ennis, Emily	6	Kim, Karina	6	Muralidharan, Sucharita
6	Adami, Christopher	6	Fabia, Alyssa	8	Kim, Seohyun	7	Murdoch, Kananiomakena
6	Adams, David	6	Farmer, Jeanina	6	Kim, So Hyung	6	Nadeem, Maha
8	Akkawi, Jonathan	8	Feldman, Rachel	7	Kim, Yunha	7	Nakajima, Mia
7	Alam, Sai	8	Findley, Autumn	8	Kirkpatrick, Joshua	7	Nathlich, Mark
6	Albert Hall, Annelise	8	Fisch, Cameron	6	Klassen, Fiona	6	Naziruddin, Mina
6	Albert Hall, Ashlyn	7	Fisch, Samantha	7	Knezeak, Kody	7	Nemeth, Sophia
8	Alfaro, Amanda	6	Forgey Jahn, Charlotte	8	Knigge, Courtney	6	Ng, Wan Jee
7	Ampil, Adianez	7	Fornataro, Amanda	6	Ko, Sean	8	Nguyen, Hung
8	Anderson, Brooks	6	Fox, Samantha	8	Ko, Vivian	7	Ordway, Natalie
6	Anderson, Isabella	7	Frias, Sergio	6	Kolluru, Ajay	6	Orito, Derin
7	Anees, Samra	6	Friedman, Mason	7	Koo, Stephanie	6	Ouyang, Andrea
7	Annunziato, Jonathan	7	Gabler, Hannah	7	Kumaran, Uttam	7	Panos, Kate
6	Ansari, Imadh	6	Gabrielson, Ariana	6	Kumarasivan, Adith Shamruth	6	Parente, Alicia
7	Apte, Shiriram	8	Gaddam, Neehar	7	Kuo, Ellen	7	Parwito, Pradipta
8	Ardestani, Maysam	8	Gath, Kenneth	6	Kwong, Sarah	6	Patel, Nilam
7	Ardestani, Melika	7	Geary, Shannon	7	Kwong, Stephen	7	Pathak, Mahek
6	Ashley, Kenneth	8	Gerlach, Danielle	6	Lait, Gillian	7	Patil, Aditya
6	Austin, Pacific	6	Ghosh, Dibya Jyoti	6	Larking, Callum	7	Pavone, Bianca
7	Austin, Rainier	8	Gill, Jennifer	7	Larson, Christopher	8	Perfect, Ellen
8	Avancena, Kara Danielle	8	Gillespie, Jessica	6	Latheef, Aafreen	6	Phadnis, Shalaka
6	Baird, Sterling	8	Glugatch, Sarah	6	Laughton, Daina	6	Pham, Thuy Linh
7	Balabhadra, Nisha	8	Gole, Shalaka	6	Laux, Joseph	7	Pidgeon, Mikaila
8	Bandler, Alec	8	Gomm, Kirsten	6	Law, David	8	Piehl, Tyler
7	Bandtell, Serena	7	Gonzalez Aviles, Jascylette	8	Le, Bryan	7	Pisio, Madeleine
6	Barlow, Scott	6	Gooding, Christopher	6	Lee, Bryant	6	Polasu, Yasaswani
8	Barratt, Nicole	7	Goodman, Christopher	6	Lee, Caroline	7	Powada, Bryce
8	Battu, Varun	8	Grauss, Brooke	6	Lee, Esther	8	Prange, Alex
7	Bengco, Karina Rose	6	Guo, Scarlett	6	Lee, Hyun Soo	6	Prange, Joseph
7	Bergman, Noah	6	Gupta, Hardik	6	Lee, Trevor	7	Pratt, Ryan
7	Bierwith, Blake	6	Guse, Kara	8	Leung, Jade	7	Pray, Matthew
8	Blythe, Daniel	8	Gyamfi, Akosua	6	Leushina, Maria	7	Probets, Hannah
6	Boienipelly, Harini	7	Haefling, Brandon	8	Li, Alberto	6	Puri, Chiranjeev
6	Boutros, Silvia	6	Halawani, Maen	8	Li, Julie	7	Quan, Menchus
6	Boyle, Ruby	6	Haller, Lara	8	Li, Lucy	6	Rad, Andrea
7	Bringer, Alexandra	8	Haller, Leonard	8	Li, Vivian	7	Randall, Kyle
6	Brown, Jamal	8	Haraguchi, Holly	7	Lim, Chelsea Diane	7	Randall, Tyler
7	Burhanuddin, Fatema	8	Harkins, Patrick	7	Lindberg, Daniel	6	Ravipati, Jageeshadurga
6	Caito, Nathaniel	8	Harris, Lindsay	8	Linford, Katelyn	7	Ravipati, Vivekavardhan
7	Camenzind, Katherine	7	Harwood, Alaina	8	Livschitz, Jennifer	6	Re, Carly
6	Cameron, Brianna	7	Heins, Bridget	7	Lorenz, Matthew	7	Re, Danielle
7	Cantoni, Erin	8	Ho, Natalie	7	Louie, Norvin	7	Rebro, Scott
8	Cantoni, Nicholas	8	Holsworth, Alyssa	6	Lum, Kianna	7	Reik, Zoe
6	Carr, Tyler	6	Howard, Benjamin	8	Lyall, Kayla	7	Rendich, Mackenzie
7	Casadont, Tatiana	7	Hoyt, Brian	8	Lyall, Rachel	6	Richardson, Christina
7	Cavalier, Joshua	8	Hsia, Melody	8	Maggio, Matthew	7	Rienhart, Gabrielle
6	Chambers, Melissa	6	Hsieh, Michael	6	Mahony, Michael	6	Rienhart, Moshe
8	Chan, Alvin	8	Huang, Michelle	6	Mai, Ngoc	8	Riley, Conner
8	Chan, Lai	6	Hui, Alvin	7	Maier, Cheyenne	7	Riley, Grant
7	Chang, Justine	7	Hulse, Corey	7	Maiti, Esha	8	Roe, Natalie
7	Chang, Samantha	8	Hundal, Sahil	7	Majdalani, Rosemarie	8	Rovai, Juliana
8	Cheng, Hsiang	7	Hwang, Bum Sik	6	Manickam, Vishal	6	Rovai, Kristen
6	Cheung, Andrea	6	Ilindra, Abhiram	7	Martin, Luke	8	Runyon, Kelly
6	Chevez, Mia	7	Ilmain, Juliana	7	Masoian, Taline	6	Sachdeva, Vidhi
8	Chew, Charlene	8	Ip, Pak See	6	McFarlane, Logan	8	Sackett, Stacia
7	Chin, Michael	7	Islam, Raim Ul	8	McHugh, Victoria	8	Salamatina, Alina
6	Clements, Madeleine	7	Ito Gamarra, Kelly	6	McMillan, Samantha	7	Sandoval, Taylor
6	Costelli, Ryan	8	Iversen, Jennifer	6	Medikonda, Kamala	7	Sarkany, Zsanett
6	Cristiano, Alexis	6	J usrey, Christine	6	Meisel, Jennifer	6	Savage, Julia
6	Cvetovac, Kaitlin	7	Jachowski, Tyler	6	Meng, Helen	6	Schaer, Talia
6	D Emilio, Colin	8	Jeong, Woo Young	6	Minwalla, Zara	7	Schumann, Hans
8	D Emilio, Nathan	8	Johnson, Rachael	7	Mishra, Bibhuti	6	Sebastiani, Matthew
6	Dalal, Samantha	7	Kan, Amber	6	Mistry, Chandni	6	Segelke, Haley
8	Damiano, Katherine	8	Kang, Tai Hyun	6	Mitchell, Mary	6	Shaw, Stephen
6	Daniels, Andrew	7	Kannan, Anand	7	Miyakado, Lyndsey	7	Shemirani, Rozana
7	Davis, Kaycee	8	Karan, Hasnain	6	Mizuhara, Mariko	8	Shen, Yaqi
6	Delaney, Kaelin	6	Karbo, David	7	Molloy, Sean	8	Shim, Iris
6	Dennedy, Ciana	7	Kashikar, Devashish	6	Montes, Marisol	6	Shokri, Kimiya
6	Dimalanta Kim, Danielle	6	Kaul, Priyanka	6	Morelli, Christine	6	Sigamony, Brandon Nathaniel
6	Dohmann, Cole	7	Kawaguchi, Jennifer	8	Morgan, Olivia	8	Sivaraman, Timothy
8	Doshi, Kush	6	Keeran, Vaidya	7	Morgan, Zachary	7	Slavens, Dallin
7	Drake, Erica	7	Kenney, Tyler	7	Mosbacher, Tyler	6	Speltz, Oliver
6	Dunford, Derek	8	Khul, Isaiah	8	Motekaitis, Alyssa	6	Spence, Nicholas
8	Emmons, Michelle	8	Kim, In Nae	6	Mun, Emily		

8 Srimongkol, Mitchell
 6 Stalcup, Dylan
 8 Starck, Tarrant
 7 Steigerwald, Gabrielle
 6 Stein, Caitlin
 8 Steller, Amanda
 7 Suh, Jiehee
 6 Suresh, Sneha
 7 Syed Kasim, Abdul Kareem
 6 Tafazzoli, Arman
 7 Talwar, Tanya
 6 Tantoco, Isabelle
 8 Tekell, Dennis
 8 Tey, You Sheng Ryan
 7 Thakur, Ashka
 8 Thomas, Ashley
 7 Thompson, Hailey
 8 Tilahun, Mekaleya
 8 Tran, Dylan
 7 Tran, Tiffanie
 6 Vahabzadeh, Yasmin
 7 Vasquez, Mackenzie
 6 Vaughn, Mia
 6 Vincent, Shaina
 6 Vishwakarma, Prithviraj
 6 Vodanovich, Samantha
 6 Wadhvani, Divya
 8 Wang, Yicheng
 7 Watson, Mary
 8 Waychal, Soham
 8 Williams, Joelle
 7 Williams, Kelsey
 7 Williams, Rhea
 8 Winning, Rebecca
 6 Woodward, Bryce
 6 Woodward, Pierce
 7 Worth, Anna
 6 Ye, Brandon
 6 Ye, Chenyang
 6 Yee, Morgan
 7 Yen, Carissa
 6 Young, Kaila
 8 Young, Liane
 6 Zhou, Christine
 6 Zhou, Katherine
 8 Zhu, Jillian

7 Abiharb, Sarah
 8 Albert Hall, Casey
 7 Alizadeh, Sam
 8 Altomare, Kevin
 8 Alvarez, Deonna
 7 Arnold, Chelsea
 7 Asencios, Andrea
 7 Banoth, Aravind
 6 Barekzia, Madina
 8 Barnard, Lauren
 8 Baronia, Avanti
 6 Baronia, Neel
 8 Barrett, David
 7 Bartlik, Brianna
 7 Becerra Bautista, Shawntel
 7 Bernard, Jacob
 7 Bernier, Bryn
 8 Birlangi, Venkat Meher Ashish
 7 Bluestein, Matthew
 7 Boehler, Maximilian
 7 Bondoc, Brandy
 6 Bouchet, Olivia
 7 Bramer, Max
 6 Brehm, Thomas
 8 Brotherson, Graham
 8 Buechler, Sandra
 8 Byers, Olivia
 6 Cabrera, Maximiliano
 8 Cabrera Paz, Marlene
 8 Caito, Anthony
 7 Call, David
 6 Calosso, Chandra
 7 Canestro, Mario
 8 Castillo, Sydney
 7 Cautiverio, Trina
 7 Chan, Ernest
 7 Chauvin, Austin
 7 Chin, Andrew
 8 Chin, Brandon
 8 Choe, Kevin
 8 Choing, Christina
 6 Church, Brandon
 8 Clark, Breanna
 7 Clark, Kathryn
 8 Clayton, Sabrina
 7 Coite, Olivia
 7 Cookson, Thomas
 7 Cui, Wenbo
 8 Cutler, Nicole
 7 Dadgari, Olivia
 8 Dami, Alexandra
 7 Darden, Michaela
 8 Davidson, Collin
 6 Deal, Makenna
 8 Dedekind, Rebecca
 8 DeFazio, Daniel
 7 DeMain, Karly
 8 DeRuyter, Paige
 8 Diaz, Maria
 7 Diaz, Mario
 6 Dickman, Elizabeth
 6 Diemdownicz, Nathan
 6 Dohmann, Alec
 7 Dong, Kevin
 7 Dunford, Cody
 7 Durazzo, Kristian
 8 Durkin, Emma
 8 Eiges, Melanie
 7 Eshghipour, Shaheen
 7 Espanola, Reynaldo Lee
 8 Everhart, Jacob
 8 Ewert, Dylan
 6 Fabrique, Trevor

8 Fagundes, Jessica
 6 Fajardo, Alessandra
 8 Fajardo, Nicholas
 6 Ferrer, Earvin
 7 Filo, Mason
 7 Filosa, Jamie
 6 Fotoohi, Donna
 8 Freels, Alyssa
 6 Freitas, Marcus
 7 Garwood, Jake
 7 Ge, Jiaying
 8 Gee, Jacob
 8 Godfrey, John
 7 Goel, Charvee
 8 Golabi, Nakisa
 7 Golchereh, Omid
 6 Good, Steven
 7 Grabanski, David
 8 Granieri, Marlena
 8 Grauss, Bianca
 7 Greb, Elyse
 7 Grewal, Ashwin
 6 Gunning, Erika
 7 Gupta, Naomi
 7 Ha, Minh Thy
 8 Haddad, Angel
 7 Hannah, Kristen
 6 Hansen, Curtis
 6 Harp, Karaline
 7 Harp, Kelly
 6 Harrison, Alic
 7 Heath, Christopher
 7 Heisel, Emilie
 8 Hernandez, Daniela
 6 Hillyer, Matthew
 6 Hingano, Pasimi
 6 Hingano, Sisileti
 7 Hollfelder, Robyn
 8 Holloway, Elie
 8 Hornett, Daniel
 6 Howe, Annabelle
 6 Hrkalovich, Sabine
 6 Huang, Ivan
 7 Huber, Lindsay
 7 Huettenhain, Jeffrey
 7 Hulse, Cole
 7 Hyrn, Brooke
 8 Ilango, Satveka
 6 Jackson, Adam
 8 Jalihal, Aditya
 8 Jenkins, Sean
 7 Johnson, Dean
 8 Kal, Layth
 6 Kalich, Andrew
 8 Kang, James
 6 Kang, Taewoo
 6 Kang, Tai Hun
 8 Karbo, Stephanie
 7 Kasin, Hope
 6 Kearns, Kyle
 7 Keefer, John
 6 Ketelsen, Jaden
 8 Kim, Michelle
 6 Kim, Sojung
 6 Kimber, Helen
 8 King, Mariah
 8 Kleinman, Justin
 7 Kovler, Eden
 7 Kurtz, Brandon
 8 Kwong, Andrew
 7 La, Dylan
 7 Lampron, Robin
 7 Lamsen, Ronalyn

Silver Honor Roll

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8	Latef, Mursal	8	Salavitch, Mathew
7	Lau, Justin	8	Sarmenta, Megan
7	Lee, Spencer	8	Saviltri, Aninda
7	Levan, Jason	8	Schaer, Danielle
8	Ley, Heather	7	Schneider, Michael
8	Lillig, Benjamin	7	Schofield, Nicole
7	Lin, Andy	8	Schumann, Heidi
6	Linford, Samantha	6	Scott Jester, Andrew
7	Livingston, Stephanie	6	Shah, Namrata
7	Lofaso, Joseph	7	Shair, Omar
7	Loos, Melissa	7	Shi, Celine
7	Lopez, Amanda	7	Silva, Pulith
8	Lyjynen, Aari	8	Simpson, Laura
8	Ma, Anthony	7	Smith, Ryan
6	Mah, Ariana	6	Smith, Sofia
7	Mai, Ryan	6	Smith, Timothy
6	Mallari, Brianna Nicole	7	Snashall, Nicole
7	Mann, Joshua	6	Snyder, Matthew
7	Marek, Mindee	7	Solares, Daniel
8	Martin, Alea	8	Souza, Andrew
7	Matharu, Deepak	7	Spitzer, Andrew
7	McDougall, Trent	7	Starck, Tristan
7	Mendoza Perez, Danahe	6	Stewart, Jaida
7	Merrick, Cole	6	Stewart, Jessica
7	Miller, Melinda	8	Stinson, Shawna
8	Mitchell, Ryan	6	Stoneman, Dana
8	Modaressi, Arian	8	Stovall, Dariane
6	Mohan, Ashwath	7	Strickland, Troy
6	Montag, Alexandria	8	Suezaki, Andrew
6	Montes, Esteban	6	Sufi, Arman
6	Moore, Rockford	7	Suico, Janelle
8	Mosier, Melissa	6	Sylvia, Kyle
6	Mostaghimi, Raz	7	Tacconi, Alec
7	Murdoch, Alexander	8	Tautalatasi, Dasmond
6	Neil, Natalie	7	Thayer, Andrew
8	Ng, Benjamin	8	Tibrewala, Rajvee
6	Ng, Samuel	8	Ton, Nhi
8	Niazi, Imran	7	Tortolero, Lauren
7	Niazi, Subhan	7	Um, Richard
7	Niles, John	8	Upchurch, Jennifer
7	Olson, Kurt	7	Urvinitka, Megan
8	Padron, Isaac	8	Utchen, Audrey
8	Pang, Erica	6	Utchen, Lauren
8	Paniagua, Brian	8	Utley, Matthew
6	Panthari, Suhas	6	Vasquez Gutierrez, Alejandro
7	Parikh, Jessica	8	Vaughn, Zoi
6	Patel, Swati	7	Villafuerte, Alexandra
7	Petty, Jessica	7	Walker, Mitchell
8	Pevzner, Anna	6	Wang, Alberta
8	Pham, Amanda	6	Weber, Alanna
7	Potter, Madeline	7	Welch, Christine
8	Prembabu, Bhuvanesh	8	Westwick, William
7	Price, Nicole	6	Whisenhunt, Tyler
6	Prieur, Remi	6	Whitaker, Cole
8	Prilutsky, Laura	8	Wiedeman, Katherine
8	Purser, Jessica	7	Williamson, Claire
7	Rackmil, Seth	7	Winslow, Melania
7	Ramirez, Andrew	8	Wojcik, Chelsey
6	Ramsey, Jordan	7	Wong, Isabella
8	Reddy, Gautam	8	Wu, Corey
7	Regets, Chandler	8	Wurmitsch, Danielle
7	Reynolds, Hanna	7	Yeh, Breannah
8	Ricca, Taylor	8	Yim, David
7	Ritter, Maxwell	7	Yu, Anita
8	Roberts, Travis	7	Zarate, Alexander
8	Rodrigues, Marisa	7	Zheng, Andrew
7	Roehrs, Ashley		
8	Rogers, Frederick		
7	Rogers, Jay		
8	Rosemond, Julian		
6	Ruckman, Trent		
6	Saavedra, Gabriel		
8	Sadler, Blair		

Bronze Honor Roll

Gr.	Student
6	Adair, Kyle
8	Adeyanju, Shannon
8	Alcozai, Omar
8	Alejandrino, Daniel
6	Andersen, Gabriel
8	Anderson, Cameron
7	Andrus, Cassandra
8	Apaliso, Adrian Viel
7	Baker, Hannah
6	Barlow, Corey
8	Batyuk, Elizabeth
7	Belloso, Alondra
7	Bennett, Morgan
8	Bondoc, Marcus
8	Calcagno, Benjamin
6	Calilung, Mikayla
7	Chandran, Yassin
6	Cheng, Chi
8	Coiner, Shelby
8	Collins, Justin
8	Cothran, Jacob
6	Crabb, Tristan
8	Crivello, James
8	Cruz, Joseph
8	Dangerfield, Shaquille
7	Davidson, Emilee
8	DeCoteau, Matthew
6	DeMera, Gigi
6	Diehl, Brennen
8	Diehl, Devin
8	Durkin, Monica
8	Emmel, Shelbie
8	Ertassi, Rachel
8	Fagenboym, Marta
8	Figueroa, Macario
8	Fox, Danielle
8	Frambes Wheeler, Christopher
7	Frias, Alexander
8	Garcia, Michael
8	Garrison, Johanna
7	Glazzy, Spencer
8	Gomes, Allie
8	Gonsalves, Melissa
7	Gonzales, Jasmyn
6	Gredell, Matthew
8	Halawani, Omar
7	Haley, Cache
8	Hayfield, Miles
6	Herrera, Maria
7	Horschman, Anne
6	Jafri, Kazim
7	Jepson, Brittany
6	Johnson, Erik
7	Johnson, Lauren
6	Jorgensen, Kyle Dane
8	Kanjee, Hannibal
7	Khan, Hussain

Gr. Student


- 6 Kim, Daniel
- 6 Kleinman, Brandon
- 8 Larking, Ceri Megan
- 7 Lee, Ariel
- 8 Lubarsky, Jordan
- 7 Lucas, Jordan
- 6 Lyijynen, Alex
- 7 Martin, Jonah
- 8 Medina, Adrianna
- 8 Mezzapelle, Lauren
- 7 Miller, Alexandra
- 6 Miller, Samuel
- 8 Morones, Nathan
- 6 Morris, Allison
- 7 Nunez, Francisco
- 6 O Brien, Kylie
- 8 Patten, Nicholas
- 8 Peterson, Christopher
- 7 Phuon, Lindsey
- 6 Pollard, Angelica
- 8 Poyer, Allison
- 7 Rahimi, Harris
- 7 Ramirez, Monica
- 6 Ramseck, Ryan
- 8 Rashydi, Marcel
- 7 Reese, Kamar
- 7 Rinear, Jasmine
- 7 Rivers, Haley
- 6 Rostratter, Michael
- 8 Saavedra, Stephen
- 6 Sage, Timothy
- 6 Sandoval, Nathan
- 8 Sehgal, Satwik
- 8 Sheppard, Morgan
- 8 Simon, Nava
- 8 Smith, Nicole
- 8 Sonsteng, Jacob
- 6 Souza, Luke
- 8 Taylor, Desanique
- 8 Thornton, Kirra
- 6 Torres, Joaquin
- 6 Tovchigrechko, Anna
- 8 Tran, Loc
- 8 Tristant, Amelie
- 6 Tsang, Lillian
- 6 Upchurch, Allison
- 8 Vahey, Marissa
- 8 van den Berg, Simone
- 8 Vik, Brian
- 6 Voss, Eric
- 7 Wali, Zakee
- 8 Westwick, Kurt
- 8 Wick, Connor
- 8 Wurnitsch, Brittany
- 7 Wyrsh, Taylor
- 6 Zhu, Jasmine

**MARCH
STUDENT OF THE MONTH**

Teacher	Student	Grade
Mrs. Adragna	Ben Howard	6
Ms. Alexander	Sami Chang	7
Mr. Armstrong	Johanna Garrison	8
Mrs. Beggs	Ben Ng	8
Ms. Bencik	Kristen Hannah	7
Ms. Bertolero	Alex Lee	7
Mr. Borghi	Ryan Mai	7
Mrs. Cicatelli	Andrew Thayer	7
Ms. Cline	Maen Halawani	6
Mrs. Gonzales	Shelbie Emmel	8
Mrs. Goodhue	Liane Young	8
Mrs. Green	Shannon Geary	7
Ms. Hill	Kyle Jorgensen	6
Mrs. Irwin	Heather Ley	8
Mrs. Jaspan	Rozana Shemirani	7
Mrs. Keeler	Alyssa Motekaitis	8
Mrs. Korsgaard	Diane Dickman	6
Mrs. Lin	Stephanie Koo	7
Mrs. Linhares	In Nae Kim	8
Mr. Matek	Jennifer Livschitz	8
Mrs. McDonald	Michael Chin	7
Mrs. Mihin	Nate Caito	6
Mrs. Prochnow	Kelly Ito Gamarra	7
Mrs. Rowe	Andrew Kalich	6
Mrs. Serzen-Dayton	Kevin Dong	7
Ms. Shea	Cody Dunford	7
Ms. Taylor	Erik Johnson	6
Mrs. TenElshof	Joseph Laux	6
Ms. Tully	Tyler Randall	7
Ms. Ware	Makena Murdoch	7
Ms. Zinn	Taylor Breshear	7



APRIL/MAY CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
19 APR	20	21 SPRING PHOTOS DURING P.E. 	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 STAR TESTING WEEK —————→	29	30	1 MAY	2
3	4	5 INCOMING 6TH GRADER PARENT NIGHT 7:00 PM	6	7 PTA MEETING 7:00 PM MEDIA CENTER	8	9
10	11	12 CHORAL CONCERT 7:00 IN MPR	13 SRVUSD—DAY OF THE TEACHER INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC	14 OPEN HOUSE—7:00 PM	15 8TH GRADE CIVIL WAR DAY	16
17	18 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY—NO SCHOOL	19 BATTLE OF THE BOOKS CAL HIGH LIBRARY	20	21	22	23
24	25 MEMORIAL DAY—NO SCHOOL	26	27	28	29 JAGUAR DAY	30