



March Newsletter

Points of Interest:

Booster Club Meeting

March 1st
5:30 p.m.
Library

7th Grade California Standard Writing Test

March 2nd

TAUSD Board Meeting

March 11th
5:00 PM
WES Library

8th Grade AVID Trip

March 10th-12th

7th Grade Ashland Trip

March 16th

WES Site Council Meeting

March 17th
WES Library
3:45 PM

First Day of Spring

March 20th

Academic Pentathlon

March 22

Spring Pictures

March 31st



Dr. Suess Day March 5th

Dr. Suess Day will begin with K-3rd grades meeting in the cafeteria for a rally with music and stretching warm-ups for the Read-a-Thon. Then it's back to the classroom where reading will begin with partners taking turns reading books. One person from the team has to be reading at all times in order for the team to continue. The idea is to read as long as you can.

When the classes are finished each class will have a medal ceremony and their class can head to the library for a "photo-op" with the gold medal reader cut out.

Community members will be reading for the different classes. It will be a fun day!



March 14th

Fifth Grade Field Trip



The fifth graders in Mrs. Goodwin's and Mrs. Ravenscroft's classes enjoyed a field trip to the Schrader Planetarium and Viking Skate Country on Feb. 11. Fifth graders study the solar system, and were very impressed by this special showing of the sky. Students also were able to interact with some hands-on science displays at the planetarium. Roller skating was a fun way to end the trip. Fifth-graders had the entire rink to themselves, and many students skated for the first time. A good time was had by all!



8th Grade AVID Trip



Over the past several weeks, the 8th grade AVID class has been learning college terminology, college entrance requirements, and why it is so important for students to get a college degree. On March 10-13, we will put that knowledge to the test as we participate in the AVID College Tour. We will be touring six college campuses in four days including Cal Poly, UC Santa Barbara, Pepperdine, CSU Channel Islands, CSU Northridge, and UC Berkeley. We can't wait to see these schools firsthand, and we are sure this will be a trip to remember!

March

Reader of the Week



Clemente Garcia
Tristin McBrayer
Jenny Baudizson

Total Primary Minutes Read:

280,074

Keep reading! Every class that reaches 80,000 minutes gets a treasure hunt!



WiseQuotes

Care about others like you care about yourself.

No one can make you feel bad about yourself unless you let them.

This month let's help our children learn the importance of showing self-respect in how we treat our bodies, how we use our minds, the kinds of friends we choose and our actions.

Activities:

Write the word "RESPECT" on a piece of paper and then have each family member talk about what they think it means.

Talk with your child about the people in their lives they should listen to and respect when they are told to do something.

Colleen Thompson
School Counselor



Spring Pictures

Spring pictures will be taken March 31st. This is a fund raiser for the WES Booster Club. The monies the Boosters earn are used to help classes and clubs at our school.

Smile!



WES Booster Club

Remember every Friday is **SPIRIT DAY**. Be sure to wear school colors (green & gold) & bring in box tops to your classroom so your class can earn spirit points.

If you have a t-shirt or sweatshirt that doesn't fit anymore please donate it and it will be passed on to another student. Thanks!

WES Booster Club meetings are the first Monday of each month, at 5:30 pm.

7th Grade Ashland Bound

The 7th-grade classes will be traveling to Ashland, Oregon on March 16th to attend a production of William Shakespeare's *Hamlet*.

