

# ***The Cougar Chronicle***

**Wednesday, May 22, 2019**

## **Open House: Wednesday, May 29, 5:30-7**

Please join us for Open House on Wednesday, May 29, 5:30-7:00 pm. Open House will begin with a special IB announcement and PTSO elections & updates at 5:30 in the multi-purpose room. Classrooms will be open for visits 6-7pm.

## **Incoming Kinder Parent Orientation: Thursday, May 30, 5:30-6:30**

Parents of incoming 2019-20 kindergarteners are encouraged to join our kinder teachers for our annual Kinder Parent Orientation at 5:30pm in the Caleb multi-purpose room. Kinder teachers will be sharing strategies for preparing your children and yourself for the year ahead. Adults only, please!

## **Caleb Greenwood Parent Survey: Due May 31**

We want to hear from you! Please take a few moments to complete our annual Caleb Greenwood Parent Survey. If you need another copy, please stop by the office! One survey per family please.

## **Last Day of Room 12 Homework Club is Today**

Please note that Room 12 homework club ends this week, so children who attend will need a regular pick up at 2:12 next Wednesday.

## **Garden Workday Thank You**

Thanks to the fabulous 3rd and 4th grade families for helping keep our gardens looking great. Thanks to Will and Caroline Brsiak, Micah Olmstead, Chris, Elsa, and Henry Gardner, Phoebe and Brian Nowicki and Stephanie Jentsch, Keely and Ali Bosler, Nico Puccini and Andrea Mummert, Bryce and Rosetta Porath and Tracy Keith, Helen, Caleb, Alia, Chris and Anna Symkowick-Rose.

## **Promotion Save the Dates**

Sixth Grade Promotion: Wednesday, June 12 @ 9am

Kinder Promotions: Thursday, June 13: Bond & Kitowski @ 8:30, Cherry & Le @ 9:30

## **Shortened Day: Thursday, June 13**

Thursday, June 13 is the last day of school and a shortened day. Primary students are dismissed at 12:10 and intermediate students at 12:19. There is an optional lunch until 12:40. All students must be picked up by 12:40.

## **Last Day of School Pool Party: Thursday, June 13**

The PTSO has rented the Glenn Hall Park pool for the afternoon of Thursday, June 13. When the bells ring, grab some lunch and head down the street to kick off the start of summer! Please note that children 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

## **End-of-Year Reminders**

As we enter the final weeks of school, please remember that there is still lots of important learning happening and that we haven't reached the end of our grade level standards yet. Coming to school well-rested and on time each and every day is still important! Also, as it warms up, please remember to send your children to school in appropriate clothing and footwear. Lastly, check out the Lost & Found by the cafeteria doors. Anything left on the last day of school will be donated to a local charity.

## **Not Returning for the 2019-20 School Year?**

If life is taking your family away from Caleb next year, please stop by the office or email Mrs. Hanson at [erin-hanson@scusd.edu](mailto:erin-hanson@scusd.edu) to let us know so that we can plan for the new school year.

## Arrivals, Tardies, Early Dismissals & Attendance

**Arrival:** The cafeteria is open at 7:30 for breakfast and the playground/blacktop is open at 7:45 for students to play. If your child arrives prior to 7:45, they must go to and remain in the cafeteria until 7:45 when adults will supervise the playground/blacktop.

**Tardies:** Our first bell rings at 7:58 indicating that students need to use the restroom, get a drink of water and line up. When the second bell rings at 8:00, students should be in line and ready for class. If your child arrives after 8:00, a tardy slip from the office is required for the student to enter class. If your child arrives after 8:30, you will need to accompany them to the office to get a tardy slip and sign them in for the day.

**Appointments:** Please make every effort to schedule appointments for your child outside the school day. If your child misses school for the day, or a portion of a day, due to an appointment, you will need to bring a note from the service provider to excuse the absence.

Early Dismissals: Early dismissals are allowed through

### Upcoming Dates

- Wed 5/22:** Art 2<sup>nd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>  
Leatherby's Fundraising Dinner
- Thur 5/23:** First Grade to County Fair  
Intermediate Teacher Feature
- Mon 5/27:** Memorial Day Holiday/No School
- Tues 5/28:** 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Olympics @ Burbank HS  
Music 1<sup>st</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>  
School Site Council 3-4pm
- Wed 5/29:** Mercado to Powerhouse  
Art 3<sup>rd</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>  
Open House 5:30-7pm
- Thur 5/30:** New Kinder Parent Mtg 5:30-6:30
- Fri 5/31:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade to Fog Willow  
Environmentalists to Pacific Elem
- Mon 6/3:** 6<sup>th</sup> Grade to Cabana Club
- Tues 6/4:** Music 2<sup>nd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>  
Volunteer Appreciation 5-7pm
- Wed 6/5:** PTSO Board Meeting 6-7:30  
Band Concert 6-7pm MPR
- Fri 6/7:** Future Self Day  
Friday Sing & Student Recognition
- Mon 6/10:** 4<sup>th</sup> Grade to Glenn Hall Park
- Tues 6/11:** Field Day
- Wed 6/12:** 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion
- Thur 6/13:** Last Day of School!  
Shortened Day

## May Attribute **caring**

Students who are CARING show empathy, compassion and respect. They have a commitment to service, and act to make a positive difference in the lives of others and in the world around us.

Want to develop this attribute in your child in a way that aligns with IB and our inclusive model? Check out these web sites and Instagram feeds for ideas about how to talk with your children about inclusivity, social justice and action:

RaisingInclusiveKids (Instagram)  
TeachingTolerance.org  
DoSomething.org

### 2019-20 School Year Start Date

**Thursday, August 29**

For full school year calendar, click here:

[www.scusd.edu/academic-calendars-bell-schedules](http://www.scusd.edu/academic-calendars-bell-schedules)

### Want to know what's happening? **Text Alerts!**

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