

## Rosedell Tuesday Telegram

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## Principal's Message:

**Spring Performances!** We are looking forward to the next few weeks as students and teachers perform in our annual Spring Performances. At this time of the year, half of the school will be preparing for our Spring Chorus Performances on March 18<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00pm. Below is a list of the classes performing and their performance dates. Doors will open at 6:30pm for the general audience to be seated. Please do not save seats for friends or other family members. We look forward to hearing the students singing their unique musical selections during their evening performances.

## **Spring Performance:**

March 18th - Mrs. Rose, Miss Aragon, Miss Perdisatt, Mrs. McGreevey

March 20th – Ms. Dickinson, Miss LaPorte, Ms. Hankla, Mrs. Fox

March 21th - Mr. Kubasak, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Follstad, Mrs. Besa, Miss Pressman

<u>"Smarter Balanced" Pilot Testing for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Grade:</u> Rosedell has been selected to participate in a computer-based pilot test launched by the Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium. We will be joining over 1100 schools across California in this pilot that will eventually replace the state's STAR testing in 2015. The pilot is expected to be a key milestone in the effort to overhaul the state's testing system. Rosedell has been assigned English Language Arts sections for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade. The new computer test items are aligned to the new Common Core State Standards and include selected response, constructed response and performance tasks. Taking part in the pilot tests will not produce scores for the students, schools or districts, but allows students and educators to experience the basic operation of the Smarter Balanced test administration system and provide feedback. Each 5/6<sup>th</sup> grade student at Rosedell will take three tests over a period of a week. The dates for the pilot are the following: 5<sup>th</sup> grade (4/8-4/12), 6<sup>th</sup> grade (3/19-3/26).

Our Spring Fundraiser is Over Today: Please make sure all orders have been turned into the office. Late orders will be accepted through Friday only! All proceeds from this fundraiser will help to support our library next year! We are selling eco-friendly, machine washable and oh-so-chic "LOVE" bags, made by the same company who produces the accessories for Billabong, Roxy, Volcom and RVCA and Mrs. Fields Cookie Dough! There will be some fun prizes for the students who sell at least 1 item. Orders will be delivered on Tuesday, April 23rd. Please make checks payable to Rosedell PTA. Please contact Jodi Osburn at <u>805 279-7100</u> or at jodisplace@sbcglobal.net if you have any questions.

<u>Yearbook Orders</u>: PTA has extended yearbook sales to March 28<sup>th</sup>. This will be the last day you can order your Rosedell yearbook!

**Box Top, LFE, and Tyson Project A+ Contest News:**-Our Rosedell families are amazing! During this contest we collected **\$872.50** in Box Tops and **over 1000** Labels for Education points and several Tyson Project A+ labels. **This school year Rosedell will receive checks totaling \$2,627,30! Plus, we have another \$200.50 being prepared to arrive in December!** We have ONE MORE contest this school year so we need you to keep collecting Box Tops, LFE, and Tyson labels. Turn them in any time marked with your student's name + teacher/room#. Our Box Tops goal is to bring in over \$3,000 and we are so close!

Congratulations to the winners of the Box Tops, Labels for Education, and Tyson Project A+ contest! In the Kindergarten: Anna V., Jonah B., Aiden P., Charlie B., Haley S., Luke Bergmann, Evan P. Congratulations to Mrs. Follstad's class, the winning Kindergarten class!

<u>The 1<sup>st</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup> grade contest winners:</u> -Cody H. in Ms. Hutt's class won the Tilly's Gift Card!

-The Top 3 classes that brought in the most labels are: Mr. McGroary, Ms. Hutt, and Mrs. Brunsman!

-The Homework Pass winners are: Tiana P., Sophie B., Jack N., Luke B., and Kaden B.

Plus, there were 25 students that won a free delicious frozen yogurt from Golden Spoon. Those certificates will be in the teacher's boxes for distribution. Thank you so much to Golden Spoon for donating award certificates to Rosedell for our students!

<u>6th Grade Baby Pictures:</u> We are coming down to the wire for getting in your baby pictures for the yearbook. Please drop off your child's photo at the front office or email Megan Edwards at <u>buppyo@sbcglobal.net</u>, if you would like to email the photo. The file needs to be a .jpg file and needs to be at least 900 kb. 1 mb or higher is even better.

<u>Community News</u>: Spartan Cheerleading sign ups for the 2013 football season will take place on March 24<sup>th</sup> from 12:00-4:00pm at Vincenzo's on Plum Canyon or you could register and pay online at <u>www.allsparta.org</u>. Fee for returning girls reusing their 2012 uniform is \$325.00 and fee for newly registering girls is \$385.00. Fee includes: cheer uniform, spanx, bow, pom poms, warm up uniform, duffle bag and practice uniform.

Spartans are a youth cheerleading organization which teaches cheerleading skills to girls that are in  $1^{st} - 8^{th}$  grade in August. Our cheer coaches are volunteers from the Saugus High Cheer Team. There are flyers available in the office.

## **Dates To Remember**

Minimum Day (Parent Conferences) – 12:30pm dismissal
California Pizza Kitchen Night
No School – Parent Conference
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Wear Camouflage Green Day
6 <sup>th</sup> grade at PAC for Dance Brazil – 9:30am – COC
5 <sup>th</sup> grade Girls Film – 2:15pm - MPR
Spring Performance – Mrs. Rose, Miss Aragon, Miss Perdisatt, Mrs. McGreevey
7:00pm – MPR
5 <sup>th</sup> grade to Ronald Reagan Library
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Pressman - 7:00pm – MPR
Principal's BBQ – lunchtime
Mrs. McCallon's class to Castaic Lake Water Agency – 9:00am
5 <sup>th</sup> grade Boys Film – 2:30pm - MPR
Math Field Day – Plum Canyon School
PTA Association meeting – 8:15am - MPR
Site Council meeting – 4:30pm
Mrs. Rose's class to Castaic Lake Water Agency – 9:00am
Miss Perdisatt & Mrs. Stanzione's 4 <sup>th</sup> grade to Rancho Camulos
Kindergarten Fairy Tale Ball – 10:15am – MPR
Wear Neon Day
Ms. Dickinson's class to Castaic Lake Water Agency – 9:00am
Mr. McGroary's class to The Getty Museum
No School – Furlough Day
Spring Break