

Rosedell Tuesday Telegram

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> November 5, 2013 OFFICE & ATTENDANCE: 294-5335 CHILD CARE: 294-5336 DISTRICT EMERGENCY INFORMATION: 294-5354 www.rosedellroadrunners.com

Principal's Message:

Elections Today at Rosedell: Today Rosedell will be an election center for our elections. Our typical safety procedures have been put into place so that students are kept away from the MPR during the school day where voters are casting their ballots. For instance, students are sent to bathrooms in pairs and closely monitored in the 20 minutes prior to school, recess, lunch recess, dismissal, and afterschool enrichment. Yard supervisors and teachers keep students on the playground and field away from the voting in the MPR. Due to our excellent facilities, Rosedell is frequently chosen as an election center and legally required to offer the service. We're proud to offer our service to our community and for students to see "democracy in action!"

<u>SCV Final Mile Challenge –Great job Roadrunners!</u> Congratulations to all the students, parents and staff for participating on Sunday's Santa Clarita Marathon's Final Mile Challenge! We had a great amount of Rosedell student participation again this year! Students and staff did a great job running the final mile under fifteen minutes and enjoyed getting their medals at the finish line. I would like to extend a great big "Thank You" to Mr. McGroary for working with the city the last few months as our representative making sure students had their logs in, t-shirts ordered and distributed, and helping to organize the beginning and end of the race for us. Also, I would like to thank the MANY teachers who showed up to help chaperone and run with the children! It was great to see SO many Rosedell students and staff running in their new orange shirts! We hope to be invited back next year based on our excellent participation!

<u>6th Grade Valley Trails Ranch Science Camp- This Friday, November 8th:</u> A letter went home letting parents know about the details of our 6th Gr Camp field trip. If you have any questions or concerns regarding Valley Trails Camp which the 6th Grade students are attending on this Friday, November 8th, the chocolate bar fundraiser, or any other 6th grade activities, or if you would like to receive 6th grade informational updates via email, please contact Cathy Campbell at <u>clanofsoup@sbcglobal.net</u> We look forward to an amazing extended day field trip that every 6th grader can attend!

<u>Way to Go Rosedell and Girl Scout Troop 4332</u>: On behalf of Girl Scout Troop 4332 we would like to thank all of our 4th - 6th grade classes that helped us out with our Bronze Project #Keep Calm & Donate on Challenge. With all of your help we were able to collect 620 items that will be donated to Bridge-To-Home Homeless Shelter. Our winning class was Mrs. Gordon's class with a total of 162 items with Mrs. Hutt's a close second with 135 items. We applaud all of you for your generosity. Thank you Jr. Girl Scout Troop 4332 for all your efforts! Great job!

<u>Common Core State Standards Parent Meetings – Saugus Union School District:</u> The district emailed all the parents a flyer for our SUSD Community Meetings for learning about the new Common Core State Standards that are replacing the California standards. Below are the school locations for the community meetings. Please note meetings will be held in the MPR.

November 12th – Bridgeport Elementary, 6:30-7:30pm, 23670 Newhall Ranch Rd., Santa Clarita November 18th – Rosedell Elementary, 6:30-7:30pm, 27853 Urbandale Ave., Saugus December 11th – Cedarcreek Elementary, 6:30-7:30pm, 27792 Camp Plenty Rd., Canyon Country

Attention Parents! The Rosedell Elementary Harvest Festival and Silent Auction will be held November 15th. Do you own your own business? Know someone who does? Donating an item or certificate for auction is a great way to advertise your business in our community! Please contact Danielle Bendrat (661) 296-7353, <u>carfinesse@sbcglobal.net</u> or Joyce Lyznick (661) 755-3111, <u>safetychicks@gmail.com</u> for more information. You can also bring your donation to Mrs. Haynes in the office. Thank you for your support!

Rosedell PTA Twitter Page: For all you twitter fans, here is one more way to follow Rosedell PTA happenings...We now have a twitter page!!! Please follow us at Rosedell PTA@rosedellpta.

Membership: It is never to late to join Rosedell PTA. Joining Rosedell PTA gives you a voice and discounts with some vendors, but does not mean that you are required to volunteer. First class to reach a 100% membership is going to receive a pizza party. If you do not have a membership envelope, stop by the office and pick up one.

Dads Club: ROSEDELL NEEDS YOU......Calling all Dads, Grandpas, Uncles, and Men who are looking for a way to get involved at your students' school... Well here it is!!! Tomorrow, November 5th at 6:00pm in the Library at Rosedell. Dad's Club is meeting this month to discuss ways we can help our school. This is your opportunity to get involved in events, have a presence on campus while giving back to your local school community. For more information, contact Rocky Whatule at (323) 646-5826.

Parent Information: Not getting your information from Room Parents?? We need your help, the district can not release your information to the PTA or Room Parents, so the only way we can contact you is if you fill out the pink form in the office or on <u>rosedellpta.com</u> website. If you would like us to contact you please turn the forms into the office.

Dates to Remember

Nov. 6	ELAC Meeting – 8:20 – Staff Lounge
Nov. 8	6 th Grade to VT Ranch 7:30am-9:30pm
	1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd Grade to PAC for Kuniko – 9:30am-12:00pm – COC
Nov. 11	No School – Veterans Day
Nov. 12	PTA E Board Meeting – 8:15am – MPR
Nov. 15	Harvest Festival – 4:00-8:00pm
Nov. 18	Awards Assembly – 5 th & 6 th Grade – 8:20am – MPR
	Common Core Parent Information Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm - MPR
Nov. 19	Awards Assembly – 1 st & 2 nd Grade – 8:20am – Kindergarten – 1:30pm – MPR
	Site Council Meeting – 4:30pm – Staff Lounge
Nov. 20	Awards Assembly – 3 rd & 4 th – 8:20am – MPR
Nov. 22	Disaster Drill – 8:15-9:50am
	Holiday Boutique – Recess, 2:00-5:00pm
Nov. 26	PTA Association Meeting – 8:15am – MPR
Nov. 27-29	No School - Thanksgiving Holiday