

THE SUNDIAL



"We remember only the sunny days"

True education includes an adherence to fine character traits and worthy citizenship. It enables the student to see life in true focus and orients the individual to the real values of life.

Let's Bring Them Up Sensibly by Mae Carden

Geography Bee

The Geography Bee was held in the auditorium on Wednesday, January 9th. After competing in elimination rounds in the homerooms, the top 10 in Grades 4 and 5 met together in the auditorium for the final rounds. We would like to congratulate our first place finisher, **Rohan Shivakumar** (5th), and the runner -up, **Nate Hurst** (5th). As the winner, Rohan took an online geography exam to see if he will advance to the national bee. We wish him good luck.



Celebration Open House

On Thursday, February 28th, from 6:00— 7:00 pm, we will be having our annual Celebration Open House. This is a time for the children to show you all the wonderful work they've been doing. Families have a chance to socialize, enjoy the school, and visit with teachers in a comfortable relaxed atmosphere. Please come and visit your children's classrooms, look at their school work and art work on the walls. This is a great opportunity to leisurely peruse the upcoming grades as well. All doors will be open. The specialist teachers will also be available to discuss their classes. Feel free to bring any friends and relatives that might be interested.

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CARDEN CONEJO SCHOOL



School Theme for February:

<u>Black History Month</u> will offer us a chance to celebrate and recognize the achievements and contributions of African Americans in U.S. History.

Happy Hearts

Leila Denny Vance Johnson Noorsa Khoddami Vivian Prickett Vyom Shah Kassidee Smith Mark Torpoco Nickolas Winnerkrans

Busy Bees

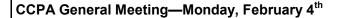
Kiani Abrums
Elise Cromb
Miles Cromb
Natalie Edge
Faith Green
Katia Lysobey
Olivia Milosavljevic
Sonia Nazari

Victoria Prickett
Preston Rufi
Ryder Rufi
Dmitry Savostyanov
Jai Shivakumar
Hafiz Vahdat
Faizi Vahdat





CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Please come out to learn about what important activities are being organized by the Parents' Association. The morning meeting will begin in the Auditorium at 8:30 am.

Staff Meeting-Monday, February 4th

Carden teachers and staff will hold their monthly staff meeting in the auditorium from 3:15—4:30 pm. There will not be Academic Support on this day. Study Hall for 3rd—5th will be available in the Science Lab.

Casa Pacifica Valentine's Cards Due—Tuesday, February 5th

Please make sure completed envelopes are brought to the office by the end of day Tuesday.

Mrs. Sharma's 5th Grade Class Play – Thursday, February 7th

On Thursday morning at 9:00 am, Mrs. Sharma's 5th Grade Class will be performing "*Shakespeare Unshackled*" in the auditorium. Parents and Grandparents are invited to enjoy the dramatic performance.

Father-Daughter Dance - Friday, February 8th

6:00—8:00 pm in the Carden Auditorium. This year's dance has a Royal Ball theme. Come join us for a fun-filled night of dancing, games, dessert, and raffle. We will also have a photo booth where you can take some fun pictures! We will have a special rose ceremony and a special dance to end the evening. The cost is \$25 per person.

CCPA Jog-a-Thon and Jr. Jog-a-Thon Fundraiser— Tuesday, February 12th

The Kindergarten through 5th Grade students will be jogging laps during their regular Sports class, to raise funds for their school while promoting wellness and fitness.

This is the Carden Conejo Parents' Association's primary fundraiser for the year. Our goal is to continue to update our outdoor space by:

- Providing a much needed shade structure over the K-2nd Grade playground;
- 2) Resurfacing the running track that students use on a daily basis;
- Providing a creative & interactive playground for the Primary school.

Valentine's Day Parties - Wednesday, February 14th

In the afternoon, each K-5th Grade class will be having Valentine's Day parties in their classrooms. Please be sure that your child brings valentines for all of their classmates. We would not like to see a child being left out.

Room parents are encouraged to keep the re-

freshments simple and candy to a minimum.

Mrs. Martilik's 5th Grade Class Play –Thursday, February 14th

On Thursday morning at 9:00 am, Mrs. Martilik's 5th Grade students will be performing "*U.S. Constitution: The Reality Show*", in the school auditorium. Parents and Grandparents are invited to enjoy the dramatic performance.

Carden Advisory Board Meeting – Thursday, February 14th

Carden Conejo's <u>Advisory Board</u> will hold their monthly meeting at 7:00 pm. Please direct any inquiries or suggestions to: advisory.board@cardenconejo.com.

Themed Assembly – Friday, February 15th

All K-5th Grade classes will be presenting contributions to honor our Presidents starting at 8:30 am.

Presidents' Day Holiday – Monday, February 18th
NO SCHOOL TODAY.

5th Grade Field Trip to Dana Point—Tuesday, February 26th—Wednesday, February 27th

Our 5th Grade students will be experiencing life of a sailor in the 1830s, learning about the "Pilgrim" ship, the rigging and its operation. In the afternoon, the students will take "The Spirit of Dana Point" ship out in the harbor for a real-life sailing adventure.



CCPA Book Fair—Wednesday, February 27th to Friday, March 1st.

Fun for everyone while the Scholastic Book Fair is set up in the Auditorium.

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