

Carden Conejo School's Monthly Newsletter

THE SUNDIAL



"We remember only the sunny days"

Parents are expected to teach their children how to live. It is only by daily exposure to and application of high standards that children can build the habit of living with a purpose and establishing a wise pattern of behavior in a family situation.

Let's Bring Them Up Sensibly by Mae Carden

CCPA Book Fair—Thank You!

The CCPA Book Fair was a great success and we were able to raise funds as well as purchase many of the "wish list" books and media for the teachers, science classes, and Charles V. Bush Library. Thank you for supporting this fantastic event for the children that shines a light on the importance of books and reading.

Thank you to **Forest & Gino Roy** for decorating the auditorium to the theme of "Elephants, Tigers, and Books Oh My!" Thank you also to Mrs. Roy and **Kiera Abrums** for all of their hard work and leadership in running the Book Fair. We greatly appreciate all of the parents who helped run the checkout line and who re-stocked the shelves.

Campus Volunteer Day

The fifth annual Campus Volunteer Day was held on Saturday. The Auditorium was decorated for the CCPA Book Fair and the outdoor classroom was completely renovated with new plants, irrigation and mulch. Two sessions were held with about 40 very hard-working volunteers donating their Saturday to make these wonderful improvements at their school.

A big thank you to Board Chairs Mrs. Jennifer Molina and Mrs. Tania McErlane for organizing and bringing their usual energy to this successful event.

Also huge thank you to Mr. Ivan Milosavljevic for his leadership and hard work at getting everything completed by the end of the day.

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Happy Hearts

Andre Mazaheri Mason Morgan

Busy Bees

Mark Salo Capri Linn





CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Enrollments Contracts Due – Friday, February 28th

Enrollment contracts for the 2020-21 school year are

due for current Carden Conejo families. Please be sure
to return the contract to secure a place for your child in next
year's class before we open up enrollment for new students.

Staff Meeting—Monday, March 2nd

Carden K-5th 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 will be available for students in 3rd—5th Grades.

Ms. David's & Ms. Garcia's Jr. Kindergarten Class Play – Thursday, March 5th

On Thursday morning at 9:00 am, Ms. David's & Mrs. Garcia's students will be performing "The Three Little Pigs and the Somewhat Bad Wolf", in the school auditorium. After the play, all are invited to the classroom to enjoy refreshments.

5th Grade Overnight Field Trip to Dana Point— Tuesday, March 10th—Wednesday, March 11th

The 5th Grade students will be experiencing life of a sailor in the 1830s, swabbing the decks, keeping night watch and sleeping in berths below deck on the "Pilgrim" ship. They re-enact the indentured service of Richard Henry Dana that they study in, *Two Years Before the Mast.*

Sacramento Trip – Thursday, March 12th – Friday, March 13th



Ms. Schohl & Mrs. Martilik will be leading their 4th Grade students on a two-day trip to Sacramento and gold rush country. The group will pan for gold and "camp" overnight near the American River and learn about life during the time of the California Gold Rush. The students will also visit California's state Capitol building.

tour Old Sacramento, and visit the historic railroad museum and Sutter's Fort.

New Student Testing Day - Saturday, March 14th

New students (K-5th), applying to attend Carden Conejo School for the 2020—21 school year, will participate in academic testing starting at 8:30 am.

Family Dance—Saturday, March 14th 6:00-8:30 pm

Step back into the 50's at the <u>Carden Family Dance!</u> Enjoy contests, games, photo booth, selfie station, an ice cream bar, a raffle and so much more. Fathers & Daughters; Mothers & Sons, will get their own special dances together. <u>Please click here for information and registration.</u>



Ms. Ramirez's & Mrs. Wachtel's Pre-Kindergarten Class Play – Thursday, March 19th

On Thursday morning at 9:00 am, Ms. Ramirez's and Mrs. Wachtel's students will be performing "The Little Rabbit Who Wanted Red Wings", in the school auditorium. After the play, all are invited to the classroom to enjoy refreshments.

Carden Advisory Board Meeting – Thursday, March 19th

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

Spring Recess Day (No School) - Friday, March 20th

Friday, March 20th marks the end of the 3rd Quarter. The school will be closed on this day.

Mrs. Aupperle's & Mrs. Udell's Pre-School Class Play – Thursday, March 26^{nth}

On Thursday morning at 9:00 am, Mrs. Aupperle's & Mrs. Udell's students will be performing "*Peanut Butter & Cupcake*", in the school auditorium. After the play, all are invited to the classroom to enjoy refreshments.

Spring Break Camps

Pre-School, Pre-K, and Jr. K students are welcome to attend "Little Cubs Spring Camp" with Miss David during the two weeks of the upcoming Spring Break. Activities include arts & crafts, water play, scavenger & treasure hunts, and science experiments, daily from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm ("After Care" available until 3:00 pm). For details on pricing and to make reservations, please pick up the form in the school office.

Upper school students are invited to attend "Spring Break at Camp Carden" with Mr. Schlosser during the two weeks of the break. The theme of week one is "Science"; the theme of week two is "Roxaboxen." Camp hours are from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm; before and after care is also available. For details on pricing and to make reservations, please pick up the form in the school office or <u>click here</u>.