



## Calendar of Events

### November

- 11/11 **NO SCHOOL** – Veteran’s Day
- 11/12 GSC Meeting at 7:15am
- 11/12 Thanksgiving Gram sales start
- 11/13 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents Only – Sacramento Trip Parent Info Meeting at 6:00pm in MPR
- 11/15 PTA Reflections Entries due to main office
- 11/16 PRC PTA Gala at PVCC
- 11/20 Dine Out – Chop Stop in Northridge
- 11/21 GSC Meeting at 3pm
- 11/22 Coffee with the Principal at 8:15am in MPR – **DATE CHANGE**
- 11/25-11/29 **NO SCHOOL** – Thanksgiving Break

### December

- 12/9 Holiday Gram sales start
- 12/9 Make Up Picture Day
- 12/13 Booster Meeting at 7:45am in MS room 225
- 12/19 Winter Performances 8:30am/10:40am/1:10pm in MPR
- 12/20 Schoolwide Minimum Day
- 12/23-1/13 **NO SCHOOL** – Winter Break

## Principal Message



Dear PRCS families, I hope that you enjoy the day off on Monday and that you are able to share with your children the importance of the service of our veterans. This Tuesday we will have veterans join us to share with the elementary students the importance of their service. I hope that you will also have a chance to view our "Veterans' wall" in the MPR, which is displaying many of our own family heroes. I am attaching a few pictures taken while in Mr. Hayden's history class last week. They are wonderful examples of how our teachers promote integrated project-driven learning. These students, in the spirit of STEAM, are understanding irrigation systems in the context of history. They are building grit as they learn that things do not always go right the first time and that failure is ok.

Have a wonderful week

Go Coyotes!

Principal Saunders



## School-Wide News

### **Minimum Days for Elementary:**

Wed 11/20, Thurs 11/21, Fri 11/22 for Parent Teacher Conferences (Monday is NOT a minimum day)

**PTA Reflections** – This year's theme is Look Within. Please submit your entries to the main office on 11/15/19.

**PTA Membership Drive** - Welcome to the 2019-2020 PTA membership drive! There is only 1 three letter word for fun at PRCS and that word is PTA!

Please participate in our PTA membership drive through November 1. Memberships are \$10 per person for the year, and anyone can join!

Please sign up using the envelopes that were sent home with students or sign up online at <https://jointotem.com/>. The class with the most memberships will receive a Kona ice Party, and the first 600 memberships will receive Skateland AND Mountasia coupon tickets worth over a \$75 value! Your participation will help continue to fund fun events for our student like THINK week and SO much more!

Remember, our little coyotes depend on us!

## Elementary School News

**Leader in Me Pride** – On Tuesdays, students grade K-5 are encouraged to wear their grade level color t-shirts.

Kindergarten- Blue

1<sup>st</sup> Grade - Green

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade - Purple

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade - Orange

4<sup>th</sup> Grade - Red

5<sup>th</sup> Grade - Yellow



## Middle School News

### **Counselor, Mrs. Almany's Office Hours:**

- Mondays 8:00AM – 1:00PM
- Tuesdays 8:00AM – 1:30PM
- Thursdays 8:00AM – 12:30PM

**Cell Phone Policy** – Cell phones must be off and Smart watches my only be used to check time during the school day. Please remind your child before drop off in the morning.

- 1<sup>st</sup> warning – student will need to pick up their cell phone after school in Mr. Saunders' office.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> warning – cell phone will need to be picked up by a parent
- 3<sup>rd</sup> warning – student will need to turn in their phone to Mr. Saunders daily and pick up after school



### School Volunteer Application Process for 2019- 2020

Volunteer application process is now open for the 2019 - 2020 school year.

The following is required for the LASUD Volunteer Application Process.

1. Submission of Online Application; printed and signed
2. Completed Volunteer Commitment Form; printed and signed
3. Tuberculosis test clearance signed by doctor; turn in a copy

Turn in all three items to the Main Office. The approval process from the District will take 3 - 4 weeks

**If you have any questions, please contact the main office.**



### LAUSD Parent Portal for Grades TK/Kinder thru 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Access to Attendance, Grades & Assignments to view Schoology, and SBAC Scores and more....**

We are looking for a 100% parent participation of one or more parents per student to sign up for the Parent Portal.

Once you have set up an account on Parent Portal and click on the Grades & Assignments button, you can then download the **Schoology App**. After the **Schoology App** is downloaded on your phone, sign in with the password that is the same as the one used for the Parent Portal. Do not enter any school name, only the password from the Parent Portal account, and then it will automatically link you. If you have any [questions or need a PIN Code, please contact Ms. Imelda for elementary students and Ms. Laura for the middle school students.](#)

**Quick links:** [Register for Parent Portal at http://passport.lausd.net](http://passport.lausd.net) Resources <https://achieve.lausd.net/Page/10470>

### TRAFFIC SAFETY REMINDERS:

- Parking lot speed limit is 8 mph
- No pick up or drop offs in the staff parking lot
- No double parking to drop off or pick up
- Double parking blocks visibility for other children and vehicles
- Students must be picked up curb side
- No Jay Walking
- Please carpool to reduce the number of vehicles at the school

### ON CAMPUS FOR VISITORS AND VOLUNTEERS:

Must sign in at the main office and have a visitor sticker or volunteer badge on at all times while on campus for safety. Parents or guardians may come on campus when the bell rings and the gates open for pick up.

- Main Gate opens at 2:19pm and 1:19pm on Tuesdays
- Sesnon Gate opens at 2:50pm and 1:29pm on Tuesdays
- ES minimum days - Main Gate only at dismissal
- MS minimum days - Sesnon Gate will open until 12:45pm and after students can walk through the main office
- STAFF parking is reserved for staff from 7:00am to 2:45pm