#### **SEPTEMBER**

9/28 LAUSD Unassigned Day – NO SCHOOL

### **OCTOBER**

10/2 ES Spirit Day – Crazy Hair Day

10/2 PTA Virtual Family BINGO NIGHT at 6:30PM – see flyer

10/6 Booster Club Meeting at 3:00PM – see p.2

10/8 KDLP Virtual TOUR 2021-22 Incoming Students – p.2
 10/9 MS Honor Roll Recognition Drive Thru for Spring 2020

10/13 - 15 Picture Days – details by grade level coming soon.



### **Virtual PTA Family BINGO Night**

Friday, October 2 at 6:30PM. Free Family Event!

Please join us virtually and

Let's have some fun together! Great Prizes!

RSVP by October 1

See flyer attached and also available on our website.

Sponsored by PTA & Councilmember John Lee

# Leader in Me

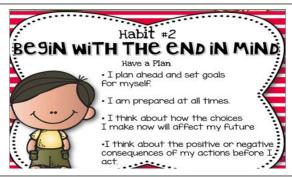
We need your voice in our ES Weekly Assemblies! There are 3 ways to participate:

- Flag Salute Leader
- Leader in Me Message
- Spirit Day Photos

Submissions are due every Friday by 5:00 pm Send to prcspublications@gmail.com

SPIRIT DAY - 10/2 is CRAZY HAIR DAY!

#### OCTOBER HABIT OF THE MONTH



## Principal Demirjie's Message:

Good evening PRCS families. This is Principal Avak Demirjie with few announcements. I want to thank all the parents who attended our Coffee with the Principal. Our next Coffee with the Principal is scheduled for October 22nd at 5pm.

This Friday's ES Spirit Day is Crazy Hair Day! Show your school spirit and take pictures and be sure to submit them by visiting our website and clicking on Tk-5 Leader in Me Submissions, which is a green button or to <a href="mailto:prcspublications@gmail.com">prcspublications@gmail.com</a>

Our PTA is hosting a Family Virtual Bingo Night, this Friday, October 2 at 6:30pm. BINGO Prizes! Please RSVP by October 1. You can find the flier on our website as well as in our HOWL newsletter.

On Tuesday, October 6th at 9 am, our local district (LDNW) will have a Coffee with The Superintendent. Preregistration is required. Please visit our website for registration information.

KDLP virtual tour will be on October 8th at 5 pm. Pre-registration is required. Please see the flier on our website at <a href="https://www.goprcs.org">www.goprcs.org</a> If your children still have school library books checked out, please return them to our main office.

We have Honor Roll Spring Semester Recognition for 7th and 8th graders scheduled for October 9th from 3-4pm. This is a drive-thru Recognition. Students with 3.66 to 4.0 GPA will receive an Honor Roll Certificate.

Tomorrow, Monday, September 28th, is an unassigned day, school will not be in session. School will resume virtually on Tuesday September 29th. Thank you all and please stay safe.

### **School Announcements**

Message from the Booster Club: Make a difference! TOGETHER IN MISSION, the Booster Club can continue to support the quality of services we expect for all PRCS students. We are aiming for 100% participation from our families. Let's take care of our Coyote Family by GIFTing Today! https://www.supportprcs.org/gift to donate or scan the QR Code

- Booster Club Meeting
  - October 6 at 300PM All are welcome!
- Meeting ID: 899 2005 6684 Passcode: 062590

Message from PTA: PTA Membership Drive is going on now. Click on the link or scan the QR code to sign up today! Only \$10 per person to join!

https://jointotem.com/ca/porter-ranch/porter-ranch-community-pta





### WE MAY BE APART, BUT DON'T FORGET TO DO YOUR PART...Join the PTA!

**Coffee with the Principal –** Next Coffee with the Principal will be on Thursday, October 22 at 5:00PM.

### Virtual PTA Family BINGO Night is Friday, October 2 at 6:30PM.

Free Family Event! Please join us virtually and let's have some fun together! Make sure to RSVP by October 1. See flyer on our website at <a href="https://www.goprcs.org">www.goprcs.org</a>



### Dine Out Week: Jersey Mike's at the Vineyard - October 5 - October 11

Save the Dates! See flyer attached for details and the QR Code. Jersey Mike's will donate 20% of the sales back to PRCS! Use Promo Code PRCS2020. Applies to Online/app orders only.

Korean Dual Language Program Virtual Tour for 2021-2022 School Year – flyer available at www.goprcs.org

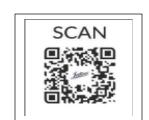
**Date:** Thursday, October 8 **Time:** 5:00PM

If you have any questions, please contact Jen Endler at jennifer.endler@lausd.net

Square One Art Fundraiser - October 16 – November 20. The Square 1 Art fundraiser provides you the opportunity to purchase keepsakes and gifts featuring your child's art! Every order profits PRCS! ES Room Parents will be sharing the details!

#### Yearbooks for 2020-21 on sale now! www.jostensyearbooks.com

For more information on 8th grade dedications, photo submissions, and other Yearbook updates, please continue to check the weekly edition of the HOWL, or email Mr. Hayden at <a href="mailto:aaron.hayden@lausd.net">aaron.hayden@lausd.net</a>
See page 5 for REPLAYIT Photo submission instructions.



## **Elementary News**

**GATE Gifted/Talented News** – Up to date information about gifted/ OLSAT testing can be found on https://achieve.lausd.net/Page/16576

**Spirit Day Fridays: October 2 is Crazy Hair Day!** - Let's see your hair in spikes! Be colorful! Wear multiple ponytails! Get creative! Have fun! Don't forget to take pictures and submit, <a href="mailto:prespublications@gmail.com">prespublications@gmail.com</a>

Weekly Leader in Me Assemblies is looking for student participation! Flag Salute, Leader in Me Message! Submissions: Please submit your videos and photos no later than every Friday by 5:00 pm to <a href="mailto:prespublications@gmail.com">prespublications@gmail.com</a> - see flyer for details on our website at <a href="www.gopres.org">www.gopres.org</a> click on Leader in Me!

### **Middle School News**

**Honor Roll for Spring Semester 2020** – Drive thru Honor Roll Recognition will be held on **Friday, October 9 at 3:00PM**. Current 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade student that are eligible for the 3.66 – 4.0 GPA from 2020 spring semester will receive an invitation from Mrs. Almany by email.

**Progress Reports** – 5 week Progress Reports are available for viewing through the Parent Portal under Progress Reports (turquoise button) and also will be printed and mailed home from the District.

### **Parent Informational Meetings & Workshops**

Supporting Your Student with Disabilities During Distance Learning – flyer at www.goprcs.org

- **Wednesday, September 30** at 2:00PM 4:00PM Please register in advance for this webinar:
  - https://lausd.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN p94IRr-0T-GJJyeg95aG Q

Coffee with the Superintendent, Mr. Nacorda with Ms. Melvin on Tuesday, October 6 at 9:00 AM.

Flyer www.goprcs.org or scan QR Code to take you to PRCS Website & on p. 4

**Stay Connected With Your Child During Distance Learning – Save the Date!** 

- Tuesday, October 27 at 10:00AM on Zoom
- Join the meeting: 830 2142 7396 Password: LEARNING



## **Distance Learning Resources**

LA Unified's goal is to support participation in daily, live interaction, and to maintain continuity of instruction and support school connectedness to the fullest extent possible. In circumstances where a student is not able to log-in for class and/or submit work on-line due to issues with connectivity or power outages, students and families are encouraged to contact their teacher or school office as soon as possible on the same day to inform the school of the reason(s) for not participating in online activities.

Counseling Office - Mrs. Almany's Bitmoji Office Link: https://www.goprcs.org/counselor-s-corner

- Counseling Office Hours
  - o **Mondays** 10:00AM 11:00AM / 1:00PM 3:00PM and
  - Tuesdays Fridays 9:00AM 12:00PM

#### Student Health and Human Services - HOTLINE 213-443-1300



School Mental Health – We promote mental health, well-being and academic achievement of all LAUSD students. Please visit LAUSD SHHS and click on <a href="https://achieve.lausd.net/domain/662#spn-content">https://achieve.lausd.net/domain/662#spn-content</a> to get access for more info to mental health services. Referral forms are available on the site or call 213-241-3840 and request mental health services. Hours are 6:00AM – 6:00PM – Monday thru Saturday on the HOTLINE at 213-443-1300

### IT Helpdesk is available at 213-443-1300

- · Parents, students, employees having trouble with their computers or other devices
- Hours for IT Helpdesk, Fieldtech
  - o 7:30AM 4:45PM, Monday Friday
- Password/reset issues for mymail
  - Contact teacher

**Tech - Trouble Shooting Tips:** Mymail, Schoology and Parent Resources! LAUSD Schoology resources for students, parents, and teachers can be found on our website at <a href="www.goprcs.org">www.goprcs.org</a> along with other how to tutorials and instructions for different platforms. Click on <a href="STUDENTS">STUDENTS</a> on the main page of our website.

Device or Hotspot Request go to: www.goprcs.org and click on Computer Device & Hotspot Internet Request

PORTER RANCH SCHOOL (1230301)

Enter Access code: Lausd2020 and only choose School to contact you – Device Distribution date will be sent by the email on the request. .

#### **Absence Notes while Distance Learning**

- Elementary Parents can send an email to their child's teacher,
- Middle School Parents can send an email to Ms. Laura at laura.castillo@lausd.net

#### Parent Portal Pin Code – Parents have 3 ways to obtain the Parent Portal Pin Code:

- 1. Main office In person only with a valid ID during office hours 7:30AM 3:00PM
- 2. Jen Endler Parent Community Rep Office Zoom Hours Email: Jennifer.endler@lausd.net
  - o Mondays, Tuesdays & Fridays 9:00AM 10:00AM or Thursdays 1:00PM 2:00PM
  - Fill out the Zoom Google Form Link:
     <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScdyJyer4e5fdKJuRKZPYCuVNwa08P8aUTLuchdBB0IAzZGRQ/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScdyJyer4e5fdKJuRKZPYCuVNwa08P8aUTLuchdBB0IAzZGRQ/viewform</a>
     Once google form is filled out, you will be sent a Zoom link to verify ID on camera
- 3. Call the LAUSD Hotline 6:00AM 6:00PM Monday thru Saturday. Call 213-443-1300



### Community of Schools (CoS)

### PRCS belongs to the Canoga Park Chatsworth CoS



CoS are all of the schools that are connected to Canoga Park High School and Chatsworth Charter High School. CoS offices support those schools from ES, MS to HS and support students, parents, teachers and staff in their Community of Schools.

Visit https://sites.google.com/lausd.net/canogacos/home?authuser=0 or scan the QR code for CoS news.



Coffee with the Local District Northwest
Superintendent is intended to be an
opportunity to meet with the LDNW staff to
discuss current issues and exchange
information. Each meeting will include
presentations by PACE, Operations,
Instruction, District/LD staff, and
Superintendent Joseph Nacorda. Board
Member representatives will also provide
updates. These meetings will give parents the
opportunity to provide input on new and
continuing initiatives, and discuss the impact
at the local schools.

Los Angeles Unified School District
Office of Parent and Community Services
Local District Northwest

Coffee with the LDNW Superintendent









Join us for the October

Coffee with the Principal Thursday, October 22 at 5:00PM

# REPLAYIT®

PRIVATE PHOTO SUBMISSION

# Get your pictures in the yearbook.

The yearbook staff invites students and parents to submit photos for the yearbook. If you've got great photos of school and community events or you and your friends just having fun, we'd like to see them.

Our photographers can't be everywhere. Help us get as many photos as possible to create a terrific book everyone will want to have.

The last day to submit your photos is:

February 1st 2021

### SUBMIT YOUR PHOTOS ONLINE

LOG ON TO: images.jostens.com

Enter Login ID:

415468760

- Browse to select the photo(s) you wish to upload, click on "Select My Images."
- Enter information about the photo and provide contact information in case the staff needs additional information.
- · Click "Upload Chosen Images."

It's that easy! Submit your photos today!



















