



PRCS Coyote Howl

Week of March 5, 2018

Important Dates

MARCH

- 3/7** PTA Board Meeting in B35 at 8:30AM
- 3/8** OLSAT Meeting for 2nd Grade Parents at 8:00AM in Bungalow 35
- 3/12** Booster Meeting in B35 at 7:45AM
- 3/12** Enrollment for 2018-19 for incoming students -Wait list will begin in April 3
Visit <http://www.goprcs.org/enrollment-info>
- 3/12** Elementary Minimum Day Only -Parent Teacher Conferences March 12 and 13
- 3/15** Dine Out at The Stand - 11:00AM – 9:00PM all day
- 3/16** School Tour for incoming Kinder thru 8th grade - 9:00AM in MPR
- 3/21** PTA Association Election Meeting -MPR at 6:30PM - Dinner will be served
- 3/22** Carnival of Knowledge at Chatsworth High School 5:00PM – 7:30PM
See flyer for details
- 3/23** Spirit Day – Character Day
- 3/23** Coffee with the Principal in MPR at 8:30AM
- 3/23** Minimum Day School Wide
- 3/26-3/30** No School - Spring Break
- 4/2** No School – In observance of Cesar Chavez Day
- 4/3** School resumes

OPEN HOUSE K – 8th– SAVE THE DATE

- Thursday, April 12 – Times TBA

**ALL TUESDAYS FOR K – 8
WILL BE EARLY OUT FOR
STAFF DEVELOPMENT**

**Kinder end time 1:44pm
1st – 5th end time 1:29pm
6th – 8th end time 1:30pm**

Spirit Days

March 23	Character Day
April 20	Color day
TK/K	Red
1st	orange/pink
2nd	yellow/white,
3 rd	green
4 th	blue
5 th	purple/black,
MS	neon
May 25	College Day

Minimum Days for 2018

March 12, 2018 **Elementary Only
March 23, 2018
April 13, 2018
May 25, 2018 ** Middle School Only
June 4, 2018
June 6, 2018
June 7, 2018

Class Assigned Traffic Duty for March

- **March 5 – 9** Ms. Lois Kim's Class
- **March 12 – 16** Mrs. Kalma's Class
- **March 19 – 23** Mrs. Hansen's Class

Thank you for volunteering to keep our students safe!!! We couldn't do it without the help of every class participating in the traffic duty.

THE LEADER IN ME

PRCS is launching a new leadership and anti-bullying program this year. It's called "The Leader In Me". It's based on Stephen Covey's book The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People. Each month the students learn about the 7 habits for children. Please check out the program at: <http://www.theleaderinme.org/main-menu-items/resources/7-habits-posters/>

Habit #4 - Think Win-Win

I balance courage for getting what I want with consideration for what others want. I make deposits in others' Emotional Bank Accounts. When conflicts arise, I look for third alternatives.

Schoolwide News

5th Grade thru 8th Grade students will be attending an assembly on Monday, March 12 with Officer Howard from LAUSD School Police to learn more about safety and responsible use of internet and social media. We encourage parents to always have an ongoing conversation and to know about your child's internet and social media use. If you have any questions, please contact the school.

Save the Date!!! 5th Annual PRCS Golf Tournament will be held on Friday, May 4. Come enjoy a game and support PRCS! Registration now open at www.goprcs.org

Vegan Menu will be available beginning the week of March 12. We will have a sample day for students on Monday, March 5th during lunch to try the teriyaki patty sandwich. Vegan menu item is available only during lunch.

Check out the 3rd issue of **The Paw Print** by our middle school journalism class! Pick up a copy in the main office or check on line at www.goprcs.org

Our **Korean Dual Language Program** (KDLP) is now being offered through E CHOICE for LAUSD Students

School Tours for 2018-2019 Incoming Students: All incoming families for Kinder thru 8th grade

- March 16, 2018 at 9:00AM in MPR

Elementary School

4th and 5th Graders - Speech and Debate will be available for 4th and 5th grade students as an enrichment class by Perfect Score Academy beginning on April 10 thru May 29. The class will be held on Tuesdays from 2:00pm – 3:00pm. Flyers and more information will be available to sign up for class next month. Space will be limited. If you have any questions, please contact Jen Endler at jennifer.endler@lausd.net

OLSAT Testing for all 2nd grade students: OLSAT testing will be given to all 2nd grade students on March 14 and 15. If you would like to learn more about the test, please join us on Thursday, March 8 at 8:00AM for a half hour meeting. Mrs. Wamsley will be presenting and will be able to answer questions.

- Learn about OLSAT Testing
- Thursday, March 8
- 8:00AM - 8:30AM in Bungalow 35

If you would like to attend, please RSVP by email to Jen Endler at jennifer.endler@lausd.net

Our carpool lane is a volunteer run program that helps ease traffic and keep our students safe. However, we need your help to make it run! This week Mrs. Harp's class has been working and next week Mrs. Yang's is volunteering. If you have not signed up to volunteer with your child's class, please contact your room parent. Starting in February we will not have enough volunteer support to have the carpool lane open on Thursday's and Friday's. If you can help those days please let me know.

Middle School

May 7 – 11 6th Grade SBAC Testing and 8th Grade Science Assessment

May 14 - 18 SBAC Testing for 7th and 8th Grade

Block Schedule for all middle school will follow

5/7 and 5/10 will be Period 1,2,3

5/9 and 5/11 will be Period 4,5,6

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CELL PHONES:

REMINDER: Cell phones must be OFF during the school day. Smart watches may only be used to check time during the school day. Please remind them before drop off in the morning.

- 1st warning – student will need to pick up their cell phone after school in Mr. Demirjie's office
- 2nd warning – cell phone will need to be picked up by a parent
- 3rd warning – cell phone will be turned in everyday and picked up at the end of the day by student for the remainder of the school year

Correction for 8th Grade Activites: Please note that Grad Nite at Magic Mountain date is Friday, May 18.

SAVE THE DATE: 8th Grade Culmination will be held on Thursday, June 7 in the MS Gym at 10:30AM.

Middle School Counselor - Ms. Almany's Hours: Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays: 8:00am – 1:00pm

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

PARKING HOURS ON CAMPUS FOR PARENTS AND VISITORS

Carpool Lane Parking

Regular Schedule	8:05am – 2:00pm
Early Tuesdays	8:05am – 1:00pm
Minimum Days	8:05am – 12:00pm

Faculty Lot

Regular Schedule	*8:15am – 2:00pm
Early Tuesdays	*8:15am – 1:00pm
Minimum Days	*8:15am – 12:00pm

***Time for parents and visitors to park has changed to 8:20am in the Faculty Parking Lot to ensure staff to have priority and for safety. Thank you for your cooperation.**

AMAZON SHOPPING REWARDS PROGRAM - Remember to click on the Amazon banner on the PRCS home page to enter Amazon.com to ensure a percentage of your Amazon purchases are credited to PRCS.

Attention PRCS Volunteers: Important Update: We have processed everyone that has submitted an application to be a parent volunteer at PRCS. IF you have not received a letter from us that you have been approved, please contact Jen Endler at jennifer.endler@lausd.net

Parents that have not been processed by the district to be on campus to volunteer or attend any field trips as chaperones. It takes at least 2 weeks to be processed by school level then on to the district level. Thank you for your understanding to keep our campus safe.

RETURNING VOLUNTEERS MUST FILL OUT AN APPLICATION FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR. For returning volunteers, please check information on the volunteer application on line and print out, sign and turn into the main office. TB results are good for 4 years, so if we have one for you on record from the previous year, we will be able to look up that information.

NEW VOLUNTEERS – If you are interested in volunteering at our school, you must first be approved by the Volunteer Management System. A prospective volunteer must access the online registration process and submit the application at <https://volunteerapp.lausd.net> then turn in all paperwork to the main office.

- Submission of online application, printed and signed
- Volunteer Commitment Form, signed and dated
- Tuberculosis test clearance signed by a doctor – if you are a returning volunteer, TB test will be on file. TB tests are valid for 4 years from the test date.

Only when you have been approved, you will receive a volunteer badge which you will be required to wear in clear view when you are volunteering at our school. Always make sure to sign in and out at the Main Office. Thank you in advance for your dedication to our school! If you have any questions, please email Jen Endler in our Parent Center. Jennifer.endler@lausd.net