



PLAYA VISTA ELEMENTARY'S OSPREY NEWS

HIGH ACHIEVEMENT FOR ALL THROUGH STEM

<p><i>Monday, October 3rd</i></p> <p>*No School - Rosh Hashanah</p> <p>Happy New Year!</p>	<p><i>Wednesday, October 5th</i></p> <p>*FPVS Meeting 8:20 PVES Library</p>	<p><i>Thursday, October 6th</i></p> <p>* PVEAB Meeting 3:00 PVES Library</p>	<p><i>Friday, October 7th</i></p> <p>*Classroom Displays Celebrating Latino Heritage Month</p>	<p>Next Week</p> <p>★Monday - <i>Perfect Attendance</i> <i>Certificates given in classrooms</i></p> <p>★Wednesday - <i>No School</i></p> <p>★Saturday - <i>Boo Fest!!!</i></p>
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PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Dear PVES Family,

Our Latino Heritage Month is in full swing! We had a wonderful assembly presented by Las Colibri. The students enjoyed music, singing, and learned about the different instruments in the mariachi band and what part they played in the group.

This Friday our students will be sharing what they have learned about the various Latin countries they have been studying in their classrooms. The displays will be set up in the MPR and below is the schedule for when grade levels are going to visit. Parents are welcome to come and share in this celebration of learning!

Kindergarten	12: 15 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.
1 st and 2 nd grade	1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
3 rd and 6 th grade	1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

During Back to School Night Dr. Mimi Nartey shared that a parent survey would be sent to every family via email asking questions about parent participation. The intention of the survey is to gather information on what is working and what we need to improve.

Before being sent home the survey needs to be approved by the Playa Vista Elementary Advisory Board (PVEAB). This is the group that was elected last year to advise and guide activities here at school. The board meets this Thursday and at that time will be giving its final approval. So the survey is coming home soon!

With warmest of regards,

Rebecca Johnson
Principal



Calling for Library Volunteers

Are you interested in helping students find just the right book to read?

Would you enjoy supporting our library by shelving books?

Do you have skills in taking inventory?

Is laminating materials for the classroom sound right for you?

Then become a library volunteer! Thank you for providing the valuable service to our school community.



OSPREY NEWS

Thank you Playa Vista Families for your generosity during our Annual Giving Campaign. Here is the total donations given during the month of September.

\$294,191.55

Amazing! Our school community, your support, and involvement is what makes this school so special. You have made our wonderful programs possible. Thank you!



District Validation Review Parent Volunteer



Our special education program will be reviewed this year by a district team. We are assembling our school team for the review and are in need of a parent volunteer. The parent must have a child participating in the special education program. If you are interested see the flyer below for more information.

Thank you,
Mrs. Johnson and Ms. Bell

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

PLAYA VISTA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

PARENT VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY DISTRICT VALIDATION REVIEW (DVR) TEAM MEMBER

The DVR team from our Local District Special Education Service Center will conduct a one or two* day review of our school's compliance with special education legal requirements this Fall 2016.

(*Schools with over 250 students with IEPs require a two-day review. All other schools will require one day only.)

One volunteer will be needed per school site.

The volunteer must:

- Be available to volunteer on the day of the DVR.
- Be a parent or guardian of a Student with disabilities enrolled in LAUSD with a current IEP.
- Meet our school volunteer requirements.
- Be willing to sign a "confidentiality statement" accepting the responsibility to preserve the confidentiality of the information to which the team will have access.

Parents/Guardians with the ability to speak a second language are encouraged to participate.

Duties will include assisting with:

- Reviewing and summarizing parent and staff surveys
- Participate in a meeting/group interview for parents of students with disabilities
- Participate in classroom observations using standardized procedures

If you feel you can serve as a volunteer and would like an opportunity to participate as a member of the DVR Team, please contact the school's main office.

Come support the LMU Lions at the upcoming home games this fall! **Free Tickets** are available to all members of the FOS community.

Please register for tickets at the LMU Family of Schools Website: fos.lmu.edu

Men's Soccer	9/18	At 4pm	Vs Bakersfield
Men's Water Polo	9/24	At 12pm	Vs Fresno Pacific
Men's Water Polo	10/1	At 12pm	Vs LaVerne
Women's Volleyball	10/8	At 12pm	Vs Gonzaga
Men's Soccer	10/14	At 7pm	Vs Pacific
Women's Soccer	10/21	At 7pm	Vs San Francisco
Women's Volleyball	10/27	At 7pm	Vs Pacific

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