



September is Annual Giving Month!

Playa Vista Elementary's **OSPREY NEWS**

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September is Latino Heritage Month!



Monday, Sept. 18th	Tuesday, September 19th Chat With the Principal for TK, K, & 1st grade 8:25 PVES Library PD Room	Wednesday, Sept. 20th	Thursday, Sept. 21st Unassigned Day No School	Friday, September 22nd Spirit Day! Wear your Spirit Wear to school!	Upcoming Events * Chat With the Principal 2nd & 3rd Grade 9/26
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Dear Playa Vista Family,

Check out our improved and safer library windows! This past Thursday the glass department came out and installed a double layer of safety impact film and a layer of blue mist film. Now our windows are more resistant to breaking on impact and people walking by cannot see our students while they are in the library. As you can see by the picture, the library still receives a lot of light through the windows.



This improvement has been brought to you by the diligent work of our Safety Committee and its chairperson, Johnny Hartmann. The next task for the Safety Committee is to finalize the plans for the Awesome Evacuation. If you are interested in being part of this effort, please join us for a Safety Committee meeting on Friday, September 22nd at 8:20.

On Tuesday I'll be chatting with our TK, kindergarten, and 1st grade parents at our First Chat With the Principal. Remember that the Chats are our opportunity to meet and have an open discussion about your ideas and questions concerning Playa Vista Elementary School. The meeting is also a great way to network with other parents! We meet at 8:25 in the PVES library PD room.

This Friday is our next Spirit Day! On our last Spirit Day Ms. Overlock's class won by having the most students wear spirit wear to school. So on Friday be sure to send your child to school sporting their T-shirt or sweatshirt that has our Osprey logo on it. It is my understanding that spirit wear will be on sale during the Osprey Café on Friday.

Keep your eyes open for a parent survey that's coming home with your child this next week. The survey will ask you your preferences in regards to the school calendar for the 2018-2019 school year. It's important that each family completes the survey so the school board has the information it needs to make an informed decision when setting the calendar. So take a moment and either complete the paper survey or go online to the website included in the directions that will be part of the information sent home. Thanks!

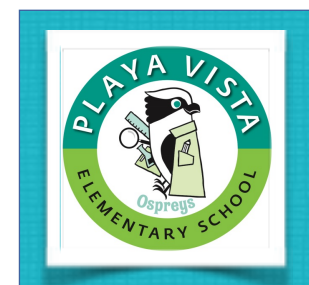
It's time to form the Playa Vista Elementary Advisory Board (PVEAB) for this school year. The PVEAB supports the decision-making process in regards to programs, use of general funds, and more. A letter detailing the duties and the election process for the board is included in this newsletter.

Please read through the information and consider being part of the PVEAB. I rely on this board to provide the parents' voice and guidance when making decisions. Volunteering your time would be very much appreciated.

Enjoy the rest of the weekend!

With the warmest regards,

Rebecca Johnson,
Principal





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Dear Playa Vista Family,

We are beginning the process of forming our Playa Vista Elementary Advisory Board (PVEAB) for the 2017-2018 school year. The purpose of the PVEAB is to advise and participate in decisions made at PVES that will support:

- Staff Development
- The School-Wide Positive Behavior Intervention and Support Plan
- Calendaring of school events
- Guidelines for the use of school equipment
- General Funds in the school's budget
- School site committees such as Safety and Parent Engagement

The PVEAB is comprised of 12 members. There are:

- 3 parents
 - 1 parent representative for Kindergarten and first grade
 - 1 parent representative for second and third grade
 - 1 parent representative for fourth and fifth grade
- 1 Friends of Playa Vista representative
- 1 LMU representative
- The Principal
- 5 teacher representatives
- 1 UTLA (teacher's union) representative

If you are interested in becoming a representative on the board, please complete the Nomination Form that will go home in your child's backpack on Monday, September 25th. The form will also be included in the Osprey News on Friday, September 22nd. Below is the PVEAB election timeline.

- September 25th – Nomination Forms Distributed
- October 2nd – All Nomination Forms are due in the school office
- October 9th – Election ballot and nominee information distributed
- October 16th – Election ballot due in the school office
- October 16th – 20th – Ballots held at the school office for the mandatory five day period
- October 24th – Ballots counted and results shared with the community

The PVEAB meets approximately six times a year. The day and time is determined by the committee. This is a great way to be involved with your school and help support all of our wonderful activities. Please consider serving on the PVEAB. Your support and involvement is appreciated by the entire community!

With warm regards,

Rebecca Johnson
Principal

WEST BASIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT
CELEBRATING 70 YEARS OF WATER RELIABILITY

WATER HARVEST *Festival*

FREE FAMILY
EVENT

**Saturday,
October 14, 2017**
10am - 2pm

Edward C. Little Water Recycling Facility
1935 S. Hughes Way, El Segundo, CA 90245

Free Parking & Shuttle Service
1960 E. Grand Street, El Segundo, CA 90245



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Water Education

Stage Shows

Games

Kids Costume Contest

Water Recycling Tours

Tour the only water recycling facility in the world that produces five "designer" waters and see wastewater purified in 20 minutes. All tour participants must be at least 7 years old and wear closed-toe shoes.

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