

Del Mar News Flash

Bi-Weekly Del Mar Campus, PTA & Foundation News

November 6, 2019

Key Dates:

Nov. 7th
PTA Meeting
8:30 Del Mar Library

Nov. 7th
The Del Mar spring musical will be revealed!

Nov. 8
End of 1st Trimester

Nov. 11th
Veterans' Day-No School!

Nov. 22nd
Turkey Trot race at the end of the day.

Nov. 25th- Nov. 29th
Thanksgiving Break. No school for the whole week.

Dec. 2nd-5th
Basketball tryouts AND play auditions

Dec. 5
Make-Up Picture Day

Dec. 6th
Del Mar School Dance

Dec. 18th
Holiday Music Concert.
6:30PM. Del Mar Gym

Dec. 23- Jan. 6th
Winter Break

Jan. 6th
Teacher Work Day- NO students

Jan. 7th
Students back to school

NEWS FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents,

I hope you and your families are doing well and finding your way back into your rhythms and routines as we head into November. Due to the cancellation of school last week, we've grading end of trimester summative assessments and projects and inputting grades into our student information service, ALMA. Consequently, we've closed parent and student e with our new standardized-based grades are scheduled to be distributed by Thursday, November 21st.



Del Mar is very active as the fall season winds down, particularly in regards to our school's **sports teams!** The Dragons have been competing in both volleyball and cross country. Our 6th and 7th grade teams finishing this week with away games. Our 8th grade team finishes its regular season next Wednesday at home, before heading to the playoffs. The Cross country team finishes their season on Thursday. Thanks to our coaches and players for a great fall season andGO DRAGONS!

Our basketball season will be gearing up soon, starting with sign ups in the office from November 18th through November 22nd and tryouts after the Thanksgiving break, from Del Mar website, linked [HERE](#) under the ATHLETICS tab. Also, students will hear announcements about the signups and tryouts in our morning bulletin, which can also be accessed through the website.

Finally, please look out for information about our PTA-sponsored school play, which will be "revealed" in Advisory class tomorrow. Tryouts will be the week of December 2nd.

Brian Lynch
Del Mar principal



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO DONATED TREATS TO OUR PTA-SPONSORED STUDENT

CHOICE LUNCH--DON'T FORGET TO ORDER!

Please be sure your student has ordered Choice Lunch in advance. We have noticed more and more students coming to school thinking that they are everyone without advanced warning. To sign up for lunches, click [HERE](#).

IF YOUR CHILD NEEDS TO LEAVE EARLY

If your child needs to leave early for an appointment, please have them meet you in the office. You can send them with a note to hand to their teacher. We hate to interrupt classes with a phone call. Better yet-make appointments after school (we get out early on Wednesdays!)

8th GRADERS:

If your 8th grader is applying to private schools, please be sure to notify the front office of your plans by this Friday, November 8th. Details here.

PTA NEWS

DISTRICT PTA UPDATE

Reminder - YOUTH TRUTH PARENT SURVEY - Deadline is November 15!

The RUSD is using Youth Truth - a nonprofit organization that supports hundreds of schools and districts across the country - to conduct an anonymous survey to gain feedback platform.

[TAKE THE PARENT SURVEY HERE](#)

Please note:

- The survey needs to be completed in one sitting.
- We ask that one member of each household fill out the survey.
- If you have more than one child who attends the same school, you may respond to the survey multiple times - one time per child.
- If you write any comments, please do not include your name or anything else that might identify you. Your responses are anonymous, and they will be combined with the rest of the responses.

Thank you for taking the time to provide your feedback. If you have any questions about the survey, please contact Dr. Nancy Lynch at RUSDSuperintendent@reedschools.org.

Save the Date for a MORNING Parent Ed event!

Join the PTA and take advantage of special Parent Education events, like our upcoming **MORNING** screening of the documentary "Angst", followed by a Q&A on anxiety with Dr.



DEL MAR PTA UPDATE

8th Grade Hoodies are here and will be distributed today, Wednesday, 11/6!!!

If you missed your chance to pre-order your 8th grade hoodie, there are a limited few available for purchase in the office for \$45. Please make your checks payable to the *Del Mar PTA*.

Calling all actors, singers and dancers! The Wait is almost over...

The Del Mar PTA Play is coming to a stage near you! Keep an eye out for the play reveal on **Thursday, November 7th** during Advisory, starring some of your favorite teachers.

All interested students are invited to the MPR on **Monday, November 18th** at noon for an informational meeting with the play director Marissa Joy Ganz. Grab a friend and join the fun!

Auditions are December 2nd from 3:30-6:30 and December 4th from 5:00-7:00. Callbacks are December 5th from 3:30-6:30.

Rehearsals will be on Thursdays (Jan-March) with 2 production weeks in April.

Play Performance dates are April 15-18, 2020. More details will be coming soon.

See you all on the stage!

Questions? Contact us at delmarschoolplay@gmail.com

FOUNDATION NEWS



THE SPANISH PROGRAM!

Your donation enables us to fully fund **FOUR** Spanish teachers.

NEW THIS YEAR: Spanish instruction begins in Kindergarten!

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