



## A Message From Superintendent Dr. Nancy Lynch

Dear Parents and Guardians,

October is National Bully Prevention Month. Please join me on Friday morning at 8:30 a.m. in the Boardroom at Bel Aire to learn about bullying in schools, and what every parent needs to know. At Friday's session I will share general information and statistics about bullying in RUSD. Parents will learn what we are doing as a district to address this important issue. Our goal is to provide you with some essential tools and resources on how to support your child to not be a victim of bullying or bully others.

### **Support Our Troops**

As we approach Halloween and subsequently Veteran's Day, Marin County Office of Education invites students to donate candy and new toothbrushes to our troops on behalf of Operation Gratitude. Last year, Marin County families donated more than 600 pounds of candy and toothbrushes through this program! This is a great way to encourage student awareness for our troops overseas as well as help them understand the importance of giving back - a civic virtue. We encourage teachers and parents to consider making this a fun opportunity to have students send notes, cards, and pictures to the troops as well.

### **How to donate:**

- Collect your unwanted candy, toothbrushes, cards, pictures, etc.
- Deliver to the Marin County Office of Education - Superintendent's Office at 1111 Las Gallinas Avenue in San Rafael
- Deliveries are requested **no later than Monday, November 7**

**Thank you for supporting our troops!**

Sincerely,  
Nancy Lynch, Ed.D.  
Superintendent

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**From the Foundation**

**Grandparents/Special Friends Day at Reed and Bel Aire!**

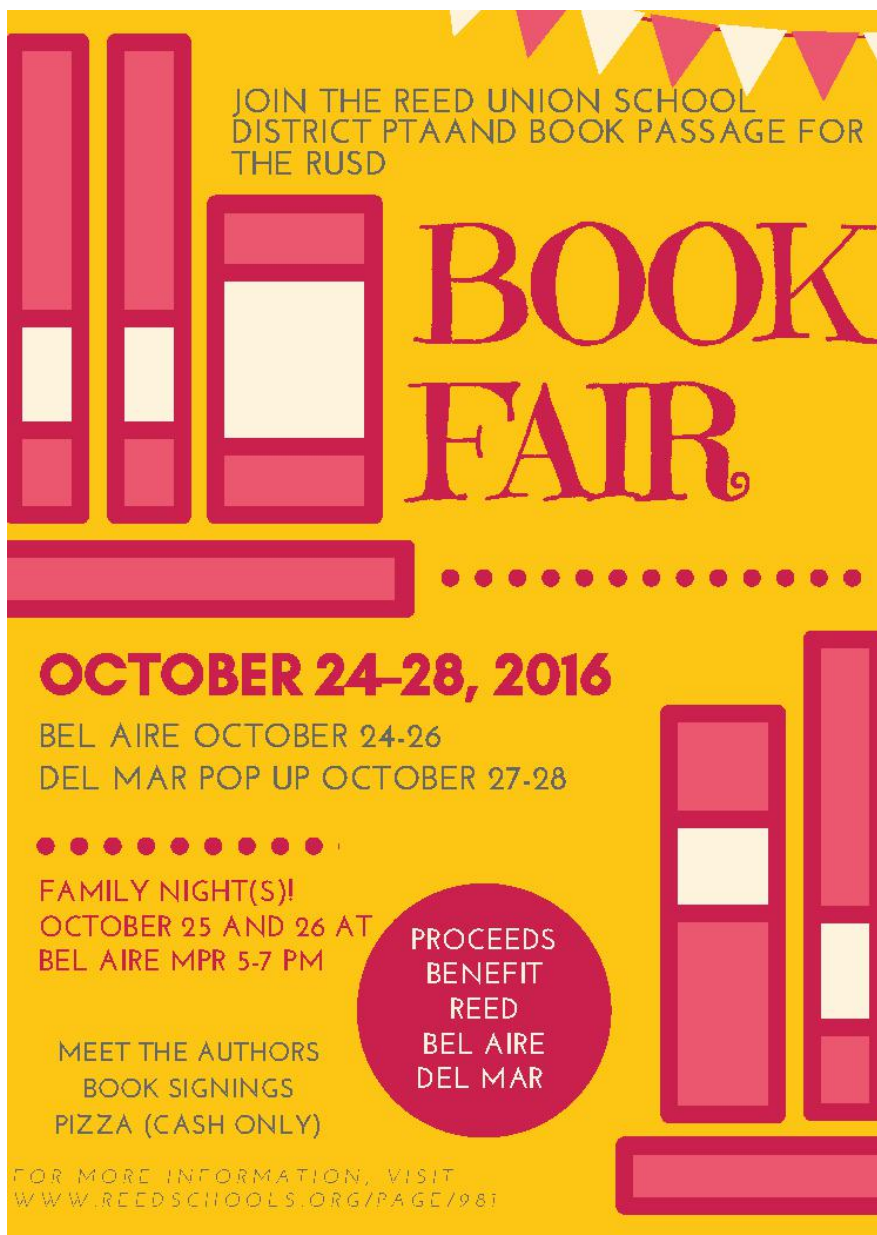
**Reed will host its Grandparents/Special Friends day on Monday, November 21st and Bel Aire on Tuesday, November 22nd.** It's not too late! If you would like your loved ones to receive an invitation to Grandparents/Special Friends day and other Foundation mailings, please provide their names, addresses and email addresses to [RSFoundation@reedschools.org](mailto:RSFoundation@reedschools.org) by **Thursday, October 27th**. [Click here](#) for more information about this fun-filled event!

**The Foundation's Pledge Day is November 17th. Support our efforts to raise \$2 million!** More than 1,500 students at our three schools count on The Foundation to ensure funding for teachers and programs in Art Education, PE, Music, Technology, Libraries, Spanish; a school psychologist, a Math TOSA, and more! **Every Donation Counts - Help us reach our goal!**

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**From the RUSD PTA**

**The RUSD Book Fair is Happening Now - Don't Miss Out!**



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# BOOK FAIR

**OCTOBER 24-28, 2016**

BEL AIRE OCTOBER 24-26  
DEL MAR POP UP OCTOBER 27-28

FAMILY NIGHT(S)!  
OCTOBER 25 AND 26 AT  
BEL AIRE MPR 5-7 PM

MEET THE AUTHORS  
BOOK SIGNINGS  
PIZZA (CASH ONLY)

PROCEEDS  
BENEFIT  
REED  
BEL AIRE  
DEL MAR

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT  
[WWW.REEDSCHOOLS.ORG/PAGE/981](http://WWW.REEDSCHOOLS.ORG/PAGE/981)

**Join PTA for the 2016-2017 school year and enjoy this upcoming free Parent Ed event!**

**"Raising Kids in a Digital World," with Todd Sarner, MFT**

Wednesday, November 2nd 7:00pm-8:30 pm

Del Mar School gym

This session is appropriate for parents of kids at all three schools! No RSVP necessary.

**"Raising Resilient Girls"**

Wednesday, November 16, 2016, 7-8:30 pm

Edna Maguire Elementary School

80 Lomita Drive, Mill Valley

Co-sponsored by the Reed Union School District PTA and It Takes a Village, Mill Valley

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER \(REQUIRED\)](#)

**"Screenagers: Growing Up in the Digital Age; Screening and Discussion"**

Tuesday, November 29, 2016, 7:00-8:30 pm

Marin Country Day School

Sponsored by the MCDS but open to the RUSD Community (Parents Only)

Open to all, no registration required.

For more information on these events, please [click here](#)

For PTA membership, please [click here](#)

To sign up for ChoiceLunch, please [click here](#)

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