

Don Callejon

Weekly News



Principal Hans Barber's Newsletter for Don Callejon Families · Wednesday, September 5, 2007

Dear Don Callejon Families,

We hope you had a great first week at Don Callejon School! As I walked through rooms on campus last week, I saw engaged and happy students in every classroom. The hard work of students and staff was evident all over campus!

We look forward to seeing all parents and guardians at Back to School Night tonight. We will begin the night by meeting in the multi-purpose room at 6:00. Elementary parents will be released to classrooms at 6:30PM, and middle school parents will be released at 7PM. Please refer to the handout in last week's packet for more specific information on the agenda.

Please leave children at home. This is a night for adults only. You will have a chance to tour the school, meet your child's teacher(s) and find out about plans for the year. If you have individual student concerns about your child, please make an appointment with your child's teacher for a separate time. Tonight is not a night for individual conferences.

We look forward to meeting everyone and sharing our plans for the upcoming school year.

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API Scores:

As you may already know, the state has released the API scores for all schools in the state. If you would like further information regarding the API score for Don Callejon School, please log on to our website (www.doncallejon.org), and click on the API scores link.

Supervision:

Please help us to keep all students safe and supervised. Students should not be on campus before 7:55 AM (unless they arrive on the bus). Students must leave campus 15 minutes after their day ends unless involved in a supervised activity. Timely pick-up of your children is very much appreciated.

Visitors on campus:

Please remember to sign-in at the office if you are visiting campus during school hours. Please do not plan on visiting your son or daughter during the school day, including lunch. You should only be on campus during the school day if you are volunteering through DCSCO.

Student Folders and Agendas:

Every K-3 student has been issued a student folder, and every 4-8th grade student has been issued a student agenda. The folders and the agendas are used primarily to support the academic success of your student(s). You should be looking through the student folders/agendas with your student(s) nightly to monitor his or her homework and to check for communication from your child's teacher(s). Please contact your child's teacher or the office if your child is not bringing these items home with them daily. Daily routines are a key to your child's academic success!

DCSCO meeting:

Our first, short DCSCO (Don Callejon School Community Organization) meeting will be held at Back to School Night on Wednesday, September 5th. All Don Callejon parents and community members are invited. There is no membership fee. DCSCO is our school's parent organization, and they are an integral part of the school! We look forward to seeing you at the meeting on Wednesday. Beginning in October, our regularly scheduled DCSCO meetings will be held on the second Wednesday of every month

Important Dates and Details:

- **Back To School Night and School Site Council Elections:** Tonight in the multipurpose room. See details above.
- **Fall Fundraiser Kick Off:** We will be starting our Fall Fundraiser with a kick off assembly on Monday, September 10th.
- **School Pictures:** School pictures will be taken on Wednesday, September 12th. A detailed flyer was sent home in packets last week.
- **DCSCO Movie Night:** DCSCO will be sponsoring a family movie night in the multipurpose room from 6:30-9PM. Please see the enclosed flyer for details.