

Don Callejon School Weekly News

Principal Hans Barber's Newsletter for Don Callejon Families • March 10, 2010

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Dear Don Callejon Families,

Thanks so much to those of you that joined us for Family Math Night in the MPR last week. We had a great showing on this event. A big thank you goes out to the staff members that put his night on. Another big thank you goes out to DCSCO for sponsoring an outstanding International Night!

Students all over our campus are finding ways to be successful and contribute to our community. Many students participated in the Young Authors Fair on Saturday at Wilcox High; others participated in the Odyssey of the Mind Competition at Buchser Middle School that same day; still others led our boys basketball teams in the playoffs last Tuesday! It was so exciting to see all of the positive contributions from students on our campus at these events, and we are very proud of our Cubs!

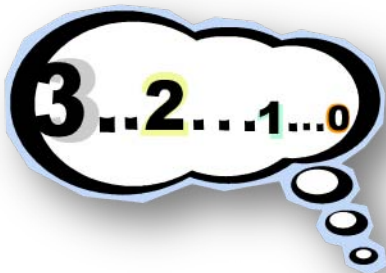
We are very excited to be hosting the second annual Don Callejon School Science Fair this Friday, March 12, in the MPR. Projects will be judged that morning and we will host a project viewing and awards ceremony later that evening from 6:00-7:15PM. We look forward to seeing what our awesome student scientists produce!

The second trimester for elementary students ends this Friday, and elementary report cards will be coming home next Friday, March 19. As always, we encourage you to contact us with any questions or concerns you may have.

Hans Barber
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Spirit Days/Spirit Wear:

Don't forget to show your DCS spirit by dressing up for spirit days every Friday. This Friday is Number Day. Wear something with numbers on it, something math-like!



An Opportunity to Meet with the Principal:

Do you have a question, comment or concern you'd like to share with me? If so, please join me for a Question and Answer session on Thursday morning, March 11, from 8:20- 9:00AM in the Multipurpose Room. You will learn about staff and schoolwide updates for next school year, and have a chance to ask any questions you may have. This meeting is open to all current and prospective DCS parents. Thank you!

Hans Barber

SCUSD Budget Information Session:

You are invited to a budget information session presented by Superintendent Steve Stavis. The presentation will provide an overview of the current financial picture for SCUSD as well as the opportunities and challenges SCUSD and the community face and their fiscal implications.

Who: All parents from George Mayne, Montague, Don Callejon and Hughes Elementary Schools and Don Callejon Middle School are invited.

When: Monday, March 29th from 6:30 – 7:30pm

Where: George Mayne Elementary School Cafeteria
George Mayne is located at 5030 N. First Street, Alviso, CA 95002

For more information, please call Tabitha Kappeler-Hurley at (408) 423-2109.



ELAC Meeting:

Attention parents of English Learners: please join us for our next English Learner Advisory Committee Meeting on Thursday, March 18th, from 5:30- 6:15PM in the front office staff room. If you have questions regarding the committee, please contact myself (hbarber@scusd.net) or our EL Facilitator, Julie Darknell (jdarknell@scusd.net). We look forward to seeing you all there.

Important Dates and Details

- **K – 8 Parent-Teacher Conferences (Minimum Days):**
March 9th – 12th
- **Science Fair:**
March 12th
- **ELAC Meeting:**
March 18th 5:30 – 6:15 pm
- **Report Cards go Home (K – 5):**
March 19th
- **School Site Council Meeting:**
March 24th 5:00 – 6:00 pm
- **End of Third Quarter (6 – 8):**
March 26th
- **Staff Development Day (No School):**
April 2nd
- **Spring Break:**
April 12th – April 16th
- **School Site Council Meeting:**
April 28th 5:00 – 6:00 pm
- **8th Grade Panoramic Picture:**
May 14th
- **Open House:**
May 20th
- **Spring Concert:**
May 25th
- **School Site Council Meeting:**
May 26th 5:00 – 6:00 pm
- **Minimum Day:**
May 28th
- **Minimum Day:**
June 4th
- **8thGrade Great America Trip:**
June 7th
- **Field Day:**
June 9th
- **Kindergarten Promotion:**
June 10th
- **5th Grade Promotion:**
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- **8th Grade Promotion:**
June 11th
- **Last Day of School (Early Dismissal):**
June 11th



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