

# Leonardo da Vinci eK-8 School

Integrated Thematic Instruction Through Arts & Sciences

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## Dates to Remember

- April 8**  
Fundraising mtg 5:30 pm  
PTC 6:30 pm/LIB
- April 9**  
Mandatory  
2015-2016 eK, K & 4th grade  
Parent mtg  
9:15 am or 5:15 pm/AUD
- April 10**  
End of Quarter - 1:30 dismissal  
7&8 grade only
- April 17**  
6-8th grade movie night 3 pm  
"Into the Woods"
- April 18**  
Learning Garden Workday  
8-noon  
Pancake Breakfast 9am-1pm  
in the LdV cafeteria
- April 29**  
Move Up Class Meetings

## LdV CAASPP Testing Information

LdV students will be taking the annual California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) test next week. Please see the attached schedule for details about when your student will be testing. Attendance is always important, however, **during this period of testing, please avoid making any doctor's appts, etc.** We really need to have all students here every day.

If you are interested in seeing an example of the test, you can find a practice test link here: <http://californiatac.org/practice-and-training/index.html>

The link below is to a very helpful video explaining how to use the universal tools embedded within the test: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iXp6l7oiGrE&feature=iv&src\\_vid=BbSdw0EEJnc&annotation\\_id=annotation\\_1296606259](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iXp6l7oiGrE&feature=iv&src_vid=BbSdw0EEJnc&annotation_id=annotation_1296606259)

The above video can also be found by conducting this internet search: "Student Universal Tools 2015"

## Congratulations...

...to our Boxtops and Labels contest winners!!! Room 6 had the most labels, with a rare 100 pointer to throw them over! Room 7 had pretty stiff competition but finally pulled ahead with their boxtops collecting! And an honorable mention to Claire Rios, who turned in 233 boxtops!! Good job kids! Your popcorn party is on its way!! Keep collecting and turning them in!

## Join the PTC Board

Are you interested in serving on the PTC? All Board positions are open for election but we specifically need a President Elect, Ways & Means VP and Secretary. Please contact the PTC President, Katherine Barrett at [k.b.barrett@comcast.net](mailto:k.b.barrett@comcast.net) if you are interested.

## Attendance

Please email [chereese-conner@scusd.edu](mailto:chereese-conner@scusd.edu) with your child's absence or tardy.

## More Science Fair Winners!

Apologies to Isabella Basquez-6th grade, and Claire Bryant-5th grade, who won Honorable Mentions for their LdV Science Fair projects and whose names were left out of last week's newsletter.

## Spirit Days!

Wed April 8 - Pajama Day  
Tues April 14 - Nerd Day

## Thank You

To UnChu Littlefield and her band of volunteers who worked so hard to create yet another memorable and fun Renaissance Faire. The number of high school students who return to volunteer is just one indication of how the Faire impacts LdV students.

Thank you to the Howes family for bringing the goat and baby alpaca. One highlight of this year's Faire. This event just gets better and better.



**Middle School End of Quarter  
Early (1:30 pm) Dismissal  
this Friday, April 10**

## No More Short Shorts!

LdV has a dress code, and just like when you were in school, all girls skirts and shorts must pass the fingertip length test. See more details in this newsletter.

## Spring Grams!

On sale April 7-10th, in front of school before and after school, at the cafeteria during lunch. Only 25¢ to send a student a happy treat.

## Pokeman Card News

After many persuasive pleas and petitions filled with student signatures, Ms. Buxton has agreed to save the day! Below is our new school Pokeman Card policy:

Students may play Pokeman during lunch on Thursday and Friday in the library. They may not trade, bet, or gamble in any way. Students will eat first in the cafeteria and when excused for recess they may go to the library on Thursday and Friday only. Students must continue to follow all library rules while they are in the library.

## We Have the Ugliest Classroom!

Thank you to everyone who voted in the Ugly Classroom contest. We won!

## LdV Talent Show Information

The last day to turn in permission/info slip was Friday March 27. For students who turned in permission forms, auditions will be on April 17th 3:00-3:45 in rm 25. Students need to bring EVERYTHING they would use to perform (CD, instrument, etc.)  
TALENT SHOW DATE: May 15th. TIMES: K-3gr: 9:15-10:15am; 4-6gr:10:45-11:45am; 7-8gr: 1:35-2:30pm.

## Shoes Wanted

The Kops&Kids program are want your gently used shoes, kids and adult sizes for participants and their families to wear during the summer camp. They will accept any sizes and donation bins are set up and available to the public Mon-Fri 8-5 at: Public Safety Center, 5770 Freeport Blvd. or the Richards Police Station, 300 Richards Blvd.

## Dolphins

This week's dolphin artist is 7th grader **Sammy M.**

## Your school-related event could be featured here!

This newsletter is distributed every Monday of the school year. The submission deadline is 8:45 am on the last, non-holiday Thursday preceding distribution. Please email your articles to: [dsanderson@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dsanderson@sbcglobal.net). Events and services advertised in this newsletter are not necessarily endorsed by LdV PTC or SCUSD. Published by the parents of Leonardo da Vinci eK-8

**Next Issue: April 18  
Deadline: April 9**

## Grade Specific Photos Needed

I am working on a tri-fold poster to be used at different visitation days at LdV and I need your help. This particular poster will highlight grade specific field trips as follows - eK: Train Museum; K: Pumpkin Patch; 1st: Wetlands; 2nd: Mt. Diablo; 3rd: Maidu Field Day; 4th: Balclutha; 5th: Exploratorium; 6th: Sly Park

If you have any photos from these events, any year, please either email them to me at [terrie\\_hammad@hotmail.com](mailto:terrie_hammad@hotmail.com) or download them to a disc and drop them in the HISTORY box in Diane's office. Thank you so much for your assistance. —Terrie Hammad, LdV Historian and Yearbook Coordinator

## Got Bugs?

Students in room 20 love to visit with them. Live ones are good! Drop them off to room 20 whenever you find an interesting one.

## Lifetouch Info

[www.lifetouchnorcal.com](http://www.lifetouchnorcal.com) or 1-866-955-8342

## Word of the Week

Does the following situation sound familiar? Two children are sitting down to eat their dessert. One child protests that his piece is smaller than the other child's piece. It may seem at times that children have built-in radar that looks for examples of unequal treatment. Whether it is the size of a piece of cake or that ability to do something that only older children can do, children have a keen sense of fairness. This type of fairness, of course, is EQUALITY, our character word of the week. While equality has long been a part of our American heritage, it is often misunderstood or poorly practiced.

"All of us do not have equal talent, but all of us should have an equal opportunity to develop our talents." —John F. Kennedy

## LdV Soccer Schedule

### April 7

LdV T @ SES  
LdV B vs Didion

### April 9

LdV T @ MLK  
LdV B vs LAS

### April 13

LdV T vs Carson  
LdV B @ SES

### April 15

LdV vs LdV B

### April 20

LdV T vs Didion  
LdV B @ Still

### April 22

LdV T vs SES  
LdV B @ MLK

Tournaments May 4, 6, 8 & 9

## From the SCL (School Community Liaison)

**Badges:** Every parent on campus must sign in to the main office. If you are working anywhere on campus get a "Volunteer" badge and sign in the Volunteer book. If you are visiting a classroom, please sign in the book under Mona Lisa and wear a "Visitor" badge. Please sign out in the appropriate book before leaving. These precautions are for the safety of everyone on campus.

**Tally Sheets:** March tally sheets are due! Please turn it into your child's class or to the Volunteer Office. Tally sheets are available in the front office and on the LdV website.

**Updates:** Check those backpacks for updates that went home 2 weeks ago...

**Carry Over Hours:** Hours from 2013-14 are only carried over to this year if they were worked AFTER May 15, 2014 (and turned in). Thank you to every parent who worked over their required hours last year (most of you). Our program shines because of you!

**TB test results and Sex Offender Background check clearances:** Must be on file before working in the classroom. Fingerprinting must be cleared before driving on or chaperoning fieldtrips.

**Feel free to stop by** the garage door Mon-Fri 7:30am-3:30pm or email me at [diane-soule@scusd.edu](mailto:diane-soule@scusd.edu), or leave a message at 277-7034.

## Please Remember

When approaching an leaving our campus...We ALL have children to drop off or pick up. We ALL have places we need to go. But the most importantly ALL of us need to be safe and courteous. Good behavior under pressure is a great lesson for the children in your car to witness.

And please do not block driveways, walk on lawns or run the stop signs in our neighborhood!

## Fingerprinting Requirements

Yes, you do need to be fingerprinted to go on a field trip...whether you are driving children or not...whether you are going by bus or not. The District requires any adult who is not fingerprinted to be in sight of a certificated person at all times, but it is vital that teachers be free to watch their students, not the grown ups who are there to help. So fingerprint please!

## Driving on a Field Trip?

The district requirements for insurance (when driving kids on field trips) are as follows: minimum of liability \$50,000/\$100,000 and property is minimum \$25,000.

## No Free TB Testing

SCUSD no longer offers free TB screening. It is recommended you see your primary care provider, or make use of a community clinic. For your convenience, the following are resources you could use:

**Rite Aide:** 980 Florin Rd or 2751 Del Paso Rd. NO appointment necessary. \$20

**Wellspace Health:** four locations. Please call 737-5555 for details. \$16

**Elica Health Center:** 3701 J St, suite 201, Sacramento. Call 454-2345 for an appointment \$40.

## About the Newsletter

This newsletter is provided by the LdV PTC in conjunction with the LdV School Community Liaison. Please read it weekly in order to keep up with what is happening in our community. This is where you can get ideas about where and how to participate. This is also where you can announce any school related activities by submitting a short article about the event. Please be sure to include the date, time, and a contact name and number.

**Déja Vu?** If you read the newsletter weekly, some of the content may see familiar. Many parents choose to read the newsletter sporadically, and articles are run repeatedly so they can catch up. It may be frustrating for you (and me) but read carefully since pages might seem the same but rest assured no two issues are exactly alike!

## LdV on the Web & Facebook

The weekly newsletter can be found on the **LdV web site: [leonardodavincischool.org](http://leonardodavincischool.org).**

You may also download Tally Sheets in either Word or Excel. The files can be completed and emailed to [diane-soule@scusd.edu](mailto:diane-soule@scusd.edu). When you email a tally you will receive a reply. If you do not receive a reply it means your email was not received.

Like us on Facebook and stay up to date on LdV events! <https://www.facebook.com/LeonardodaVinciK8>. Please remember the FB page is purely informational and to support our school and it's culture.

## Free E-Waste Pick Up

Schedule your FREE pick up by visiting [www.eWaste4good.com](http://www.eWaste4good.com) Fill in your contact information and within a few days a dispatcher will contact you to schedule an at home or office pick up date. Your electronics will be picked up, recycled and the proceeds will be donated to LdV. You can also call for pick up at 800-317-3112

Items that can be picked up, WORKING OR NOT! Televisions, monitors, fax machines, desktop copiers, telephones, vacuum cleaners, keyboards, mice, networking equipment, wires and cords, household phones, medical equipment, video games, computers, calculators, cell phones, printers, scanners, laptops, power tools, small appliances, stereo systems, refrigerators, washers and dryers...and more. All electronics are recycled locally in California.



## Looking for Something to Do?

### Staff Appreciation

If you would like to contribute to our monthly Teacher Appreciation Breakfasts, please contact Stacie Lo at [stacielo@live.com](mailto:stacielo@live.com)

### Highlight Your Culture

Volunteers are needed to create interesting cultural displays for the CIE display case located in the main hall by the office. The case can be adopted by an individual, family, or group of friends to highlight a cultural of their choice. Choose a culture to highlight or a topic that celebrates our cultural diversity, then decide on the month and contact Stacie Lo at [stacielo@live.com](mailto:stacielo@live.com)

### Taste of LdV

If you want to be part of the planning and vision for Taste of LdV, please contact one of us to find out more: [niemeyers@comcast.net](mailto:niemeyers@comcast.net), [gwynnaeb@gmail.com](mailto:gwynnaeb@gmail.com) or [fordkat@sbcglobal.net](mailto:fordkat@sbcglobal.net).

### The Red Rabbit is Coming...

The Red Rabbit Kitchen and Aioli Bodega are just two of the fine restaurants that will be providing for A Taste of LdV. Mark your calendar for May 2 at the Clunie Clubhouse. "Like" us on Facebook - [Facebook.com/ATasteofLdV](https://www.facebook.com/ATasteofLdV)

**The next meeting for Taste of LdV is March 23 at 6 pm in the library.**

### Fundraising Committee Needs Your Help!!

Interesting in hearing about what is upcoming for school fundraising? Want to have a voice in what direction we take? Interested in running a fundraiser next year? Please come join our current fundraising chair, Laura Walter, at a meeting on Wednesday, **April 8** at 5:30pm in the staff conference room.

### Be a Part of PTC Next Year

Several positions are up for grabs next school year, including President elect. Nomination forms are attached to this newsletter.

## Warm Weather is Here and YES! We Have a Dress Code

The dress code at Leonardo da Vinci eK-8 School sets a standard that is in the best interest of students and is considered appropriate for school. All students, staff, teachers, parents, and volunteers are expected to be neat, clean, and wear clothing that does not draw undue attention to the wearer. Examples are bare midriffs, short skirts/shorts, tank tops and cut offs.

Students' clothing and shoes should be appropriate for physical activities such as running, jumping, dancing, and kicking. Safety should be a factor when dressing for school.

**The following apparel is not considered appropriate for students and cannot be worn at school:**

- Shoes without back and toe support, or with high heels, cleats, or spikes. Examples of inappropriate shoes are platforms, flip flops, slippers, t-strap sandals, clogs, and "jellies." Students who choose to wear "salt water" type sandals are at risk of bee stings and stubbed toes.
- Bare midriff, t-strap, see-through material, spaghetti-strap tank tops, low scoop neck, deep 'v', or tank tops with straps that are less than one inch wide. Shirts meant as underwear that are thin, revealing, or see-through. Muscle shirts with low cut armholes. Undergarments may not show.
- Cutoffs, pajama pants, baggy clothes (more than one size larger), or saggy pants (not belted at the waist).
- Short shorts, skorts, or skirts - the test for required length of shorts, skorts, and skirts is to stand and extend the arms straight down at the side. **The garment must be longer than where the fingertips touch.**
- Shirts or jackets with inappropriate slogans: beer, cigarettes, insults, money, or promoting a negative or illegal lifestyle, etc.
- Headgear of any kind in the classroom. Hats may be worn outside only to shade the face/eyes.

The best advice is that if you are unsure whether the item of clothing will comply with the dress code, then it is best to wear something else. When students violate the dress code, parents will be notified and students will be sent home until they are dressed appropriately for school. If a student continually violates the dress code, he/she will serve detention and receive appropriate behavioral consequences. Parents will be notified in the event that the dress code is altered.

Thank you for your cooperation, and your good example of appropriate dress for our students!



## What's Happening After School?

### Science Club

The remainder of upcoming dates are as follows: 4-24, 5-8, 5-22  
TIME: 8:00 - 9:00 am  
WHERE: LdV Science Lab (room 28)

### Dolphin Store is Open

Every Wednesday after school the Dolphin Store is open for business. Selling fun pencils, erasers, school supplies and more!

### Art

After school art lessons painting, drawing, watercolor, mask making, collage and printmaking \$12 per class (all materials included). For 2nd-8th grade students. Call Leslie Colby at 502-1227 to sign up.

### Learn Spanish

For any questions about this program please contact Mrs. Garcia Email: [ingridspanishstudio@gmail.com](mailto:ingridspanishstudio@gmail.com) Phone: (916)585-6020

### On/Off Stage

Call Cynthia Speakman 502-0336 or e-mail [cynthia.speakman@gmail.com](mailto:cynthia.speakman@gmail.com).

### LdV Ballet Folklorico

For more information call (916)585-6020 or e-mail [inlandsurfclub@gmail.com](mailto:inlandsurfclub@gmail.com)

### Basketball News

#### LdV's Annual K-6th Basketball Skills Camp

COST: \$50 PER STUDENT

50% OFF for students who have participated in any LdV K-6 basketball teams/programs in 2014/2015

DATES: APRIL 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, & 17th

TIMES: 3:05 - 5:00 PM

CAMP FOCUS: Teaching kids fundamental basketball skills; such as form, ball handling (dribbling/passing etc.), man vs. man defense, team play, conditioning, and how to have fun while being competitive.

WHERE: LdV CAMPUS, IN THE GYM (At the back of the school)

Spaces are limited so email [Anthony-Bell@scusd.edu](mailto:Anthony-Bell@scusd.edu) if you wish to confirm or get more information.

Intel Presents...

### Internet Safety Training for Families

Keeping up with kids in today's digital landscape means staying connected to the world in which they live. In order to make sure they're acting responsibly and staying safe, the Intel® Security Digital Safety Program gives caregivers like you the necessary tools to reinforce good online behavior in today's digital age. LdV parents are invited to attend the Intel Parent Assembly, scheduled for Friday, April 24th from 10:30 – 11:00 in the LdV Auditorium.

### From the District

Kindergarten Readiness Summer Academy July 1-31, 2015. at ten sites throughout the district. Apply now through June 3. Call 643-7858 for information.

### Summer Programs

CASA de ESPAÑOL is a private language school in Midtown, offering Spanish classes to children and adults. We will be hosting a variety of fun filled, one week long, summer camps from June 22nd - August 13th.

**Times, Ages and Prices** Classes are divided by age and skill level: 4-5, 6-7 and 8-10. Classes are held Monday-Thursday: 9-12pm & 1-4pm. We offer a half day option for \$165 (materials and snacks included, lunch not provided); as well as a full day: \$330 (materials and snacks included, lunch not provided).

**About Our Camps** All of our camps have been designed with age appropriate activities to help develop students' language skills by encouraging them to be creative and thoughtful. We use traditional rhymes, art, music and play to activate imaginations and teach students to appreciate the Spanish language and its many cultures. We offer eight one-week camps from June 22-Aug 15. There is a morning and afternoon session for parents to choose from. The morning and afternoon activities are different, so students can choose to stay all day if they wish. Also, a light healthy snack is provided once in the morning and then again in the afternoon for all students. Students, who choose the all-day option, must bring their own lunch. For availability, please call us at 916-346-4535.

Leonardo da Vinci

Pancake  
Breakfast



**Saturday April 18<sup>th</sup>**

**9 am - 1 pm**

Proceeds support the middle school

Science Club trip to

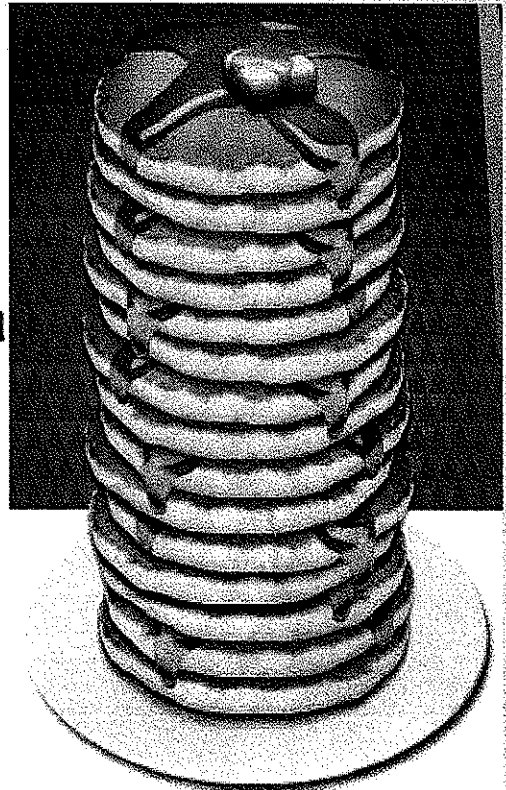
**Costa Rica**

**Pancakes, Beverages,  
Sausage, & Fruit --- \$ 7**

Located in the **Leonardo da Vinci**

**School Cafeteria 4701 Joaquin Way**

\*Near Freeport Blvd x Stacia Way



Tickets will be on sale in advance and at the door

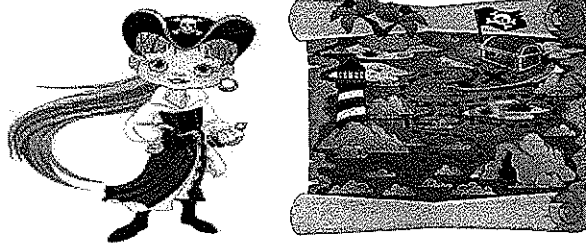
## Leonardo da Vinci eK-8 School 2014-2015 CAASPP Testing Schedule

Monday April 13 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday April 14 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday April 15 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday April 16 <sup>th</sup>	Friday April 17 <sup>th</sup>
Session 1 – MS/31	Session 1 – MS/31	Session 1 – MS/31	Session 1 – MS/31	NO TESTING
Session 2 – Grade 4/20	Session 2 – Room 20	Session 2 – Grade 4/20	Session 2 – Grade 4/20	Session 2 – Grade 4
Session 3 – Make-up	Session 3 – Make-up	Session 3 – Make-up	Session 3 – Make-up	
Monday April 20 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday April 21 <sup>st</sup>	Wednesday April 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Thursday April 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Friday April 24 <sup>th</sup>
Session 1 – MS/31	Session 1 – MS/31	Session 1 – MS/31	Session 1 – MS/31	NO TESTING
Session 2 – Grade 4/20	Session 2 – Grade 4/Room 20	Session 2 – Room 20	Session 2 – Grade 4/20	Session 2 – Grade 4
Session 3 – Make-up	Session 3 – Make-up	Session 3 – Make-up	Session 3 – Make-up	
Monday April 27 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday April 28 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday April 29 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday April 30 <sup>th</sup>	Friday May 1 <sup>st</sup>
Session 1 – Grade 5, 3.1, 3.2	Session 1 – Grade 5, 3.1, 3.2	Session 1 – Grade 5, 3.1, 3.2	Session 1 – Grade 5, 3.1, 3.2	NO TESTING
Session 2 – Grade 6, 3.3, 33A	Session 2 – Grade 6, 3.3, 33A	Session 2 – Grade 6, 3.3, 33A	Session 2 – Grade 6, 3.3, 33A	
Session 3 – Make-Up	Session 3 – Make-Up	Session 3 – Make-Up	Session 3 – Make-Up	
Monday May 4 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday May 5 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday May 6 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday May 7 <sup>th</sup>	Friday May 8 <sup>th</sup>
Session 1 – Grade 5, 3.1, 3.2	Session 1 – Grade 5, 3.1, 3.2	Session 1 – Grade 5, 3.1, 3.2	Session 1 – Grade 5, 3.1, 3.2	NO TESTING
Session 2 – Grade 6, 3.3, 33A	Session 2 – Grade 6, 3.3, 33A	Session 2 – Grade 6, 3.3, 33A	Session 2 – Grade 6, 3.3, 33A	
Session 3 – Make-Up	Session 3 – Make-Up	Session 3 – Make-Up	Session 3 – Make-Up	
Monday May 11 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday May 12 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday May 13 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday May 14 <sup>th</sup>	Friday May 15 <sup>th</sup>
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	<b>Session Schedule Middle School</b>		<b>Session Schedule for Elementary</b>	

**Ms. Devon Davis' Dragonfly Theatre, Presents**

**Pirates and Pirate Princesses Search For the Black Pearl**

An Original Play Based on a True Pirate Adventure



**Summer Performing Arts Camp (for 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Graders)**

Location: Hollywood Park Auditorium (next to Leonardo da Vinci School)

June 29-July 3<sup>rd</sup> 2015

Performing Arts Camp 9:00AM-3:00PM

Extended Day (**included**) 8:30-9:00 and 3:00-4:30

\$250.00 (if student is registered before May 15, 2015)

\$275 (if student is registered after May 15, 2015)

Performance July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00PM

Reception will follow with awards and treats!

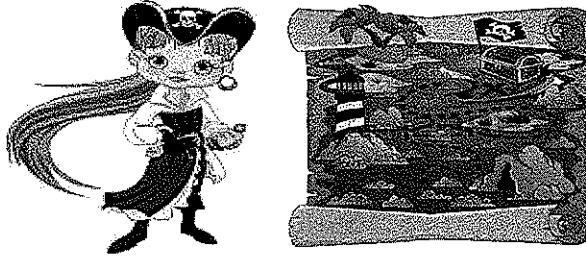
**Pirates and Pirate Princesses Search for the Black Pearl: An Original Play Based on a True Pirate Adventure**

Aswilda and the pirate mates must search the seas in a race to discover the secret location of the black pearl. Join a spectacular musical play production! Every student will sing, dance, act and be cool under summer stars. The performing arts are a wonderful way to develop confidence, teamwork, and an appreciation for the arts that will extend into a lifetime of skills. Most of all, the performing arts are exciting and fun!

**Ms. Davis, Director and Producer:** Before becoming a school administrator, for ten years, Ms. Davis produced large play and musical productions for Courtyard School, Very Special Arts, San Juan Unified Performing Arts Center, and her own Dragonfly Theatre Company. Ms. Davis has a B.A. in theatre arts and background in teaching children to love the performing arts. Last summer, *Grease* was a huge hit.

**Ms. Kelly Joseph, Assistant:** Ms. Joseph is the assistant play manager and director who debuted her theatre talents last year in *Grease*. The children will love her!

Ms. Devon Davis' Dragonfly Theatre Presents  
Pirates and Pirate Princesses Search For the Black Pearl



**Summer Performing Arts Camp**

Location: Hollywood Park Auditorium (next to Leonardo da Vinci School)

June 29-July 3<sup>rd</sup> 2015/ Performance July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00PM

8:30AM-4:30PM

Performing Arts Camp 9:00AM-3:00PM

\$250.00 (if student is by registered before May 15, 2015)

\$275.00 (if student is registered after May 15, 2015)

**Registration Form**

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Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (in fall) \_\_\_\_\_

Student pant size: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks out to Devon Davis. Emergency Card and questionnaire packet will be sent to students who register.

**Return Registration Form to Box in Parent Center. Thank you!**





## Leonardo da Vinci School eK-8

Minimum hours encouraged for each family per school year:  
one child-40 hours; two children-45 hours; three or more children-50 hours  
Parent participation for late-entry students will be pro-rated

**All hours (on & off campus) must be recorded on the monthly Tally Sheet** and must be documented by: signing in and out (on campus in the front office, at a class or committee meeting, or with the supervisor of a work event); OR a blue verification card (available in the front office) signed by the teacher, class manager, or person overseeing your work hours. Blue verification cards must be attached to the corresponding Tally Sheet (verification cards turned in separately will not be counted); OR the authorized signature line on the Tally Sheet must be signed by the teacher, class manager or person overseeing your work hours.

- 20 hours completed by January 31<sup>st</sup> of the current school year.
- All parent hours completed and documented by May 15 of the current school year.
- Parents are strongly encouraged to attend all class meetings.

### **TALLY SHEETS: keep a copy of your Tally Sheets at home for your own reference**

- One Tally Sheet per family per month unless there are two households where the child(ren) live.
- Tally Sheets are sent home monthly with the weekly PTC newsletter. (They are also available in the front office).
- Tallies are due the 5<sup>th</sup> of the following month, and no later than two months following participation.
- Updates of parent hours will be given out throughout the school year. Families are encouraged to find ways to get their hours, but if you need help, please feel free to contact the School Community Liaison (SCL).
- In addition to your family, work may be done by any person over 18 who does not have children enrolled at LdV. No person can be paid or compensated to perform parent hours.

### **IN-CLASS PARTICIPATION**

- In-class volunteers must have a current TB (negative) test on file with the SCL. Tests are "good" for four years. A current, cleared SCUSD Sex Offender Check Authorization or fingerprints on file with the district.
- If you are unable to work in the classroom during your designated time, YOU must arrange for a substitute and inform the teacher or class manager.
- Do not bring siblings to class when you are working.
- Field trip drivers must have a current TB (negative) test on file with the SCL and fingerprints on file with the district.

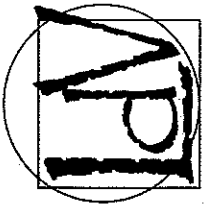
### **HOURS ARE GIVEN FOR THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES:**

At-home work for class	Length of time worked (signed blue card or authorized signature on tally sheet)
In-class work	Length of time worked (sign in front office)
Babysitting	Length of time worked – 20 hours maximum per school year (signed blue card or authorized signature on Tally Sheet). Must be for children of other families who are performing work at LdV and approved in advance by SCL
Back to School Night	Length of attendance (sign in at classroom)
Class Meeting	Length of meeting (sign in at classroom)
Committee Meeting	Length of meeting (sign in at meeting) SSC (School Site Council), PTC (Parent Teacher Council) and its subcommittees: <i>Arts, Science &amp; Tech, CIE, Sports, Ways &amp; Means</i>
Field Trips (day)	Length of trip (sign in, or authorized signature on Tally Sheet or Authorization card)
Field Trip (overnight)	Length of trip including sleeping hours (sign in, or authorized signature on Tally Sheet or blue card)
Food Preparation	Length of time worked – maximum 10 hours per school year – one hour per 2 dozen cookies, 1.5 hours per cake (authorized signature on Tally Sheet or blue card)
Library	Length of time worked (sign in front office)
Other on-site programs	Length of time worked – maximum 20 hours (sign in, or authorized signature on Tally Sheet or blue card) <i>Childcare Center, Indian Education, Very Special Arts</i>
PTC Newsletter	Length of time worked (sign in front office)
Parent Training	Length of attendance (sign in front office)
Pet Care	Out of class – maximum 5 hours except vacation care 10 hours maximum (signed verification card)
Special Events	Length of time worked (sign in)
Telephoning/Typing	Length of time worked (authorized signature on Tally Sheet or blue card)
Yard/Cafeteria	Length of time worked (sign in front office)

### **HOURS ARE NOT GIVEN FOR THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES:**

Winter Faire (unless you work), Morning Sing, Open House, classroom observations, Parent Teacher Conferences, student performances (unless you are a volunteer), money spent on supplies, donations, store purchased food or drink.

If you are unsure which activities qualify for parent hours, call the SCL at 277-7034 or email [diane-soule@scusd.edu](mailto:diane-soule@scusd.edu).



# April 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
	Spring Break					
5	6 6 <sup>th</sup> grade Sly Park Week	7	8 NO SSC 5:30 pm Fundraising mtg 6:30 PTC	9 Mandatory mtg for 2015 eK & K parents 9:15 am or 5:15 pm	10 FT 3 <sup>rd</sup> gr MS end of quarter 1:30 pm dismissal	11
12 CAASP Testing Begins	13 After School Skills Camp 3-5 pm ALL week	14	15	16	17 1 <sup>st</sup> grade Ocean Play 2-3pm/AUD 6-8 <sup>th</sup> grade Movie Night "Into the Woods"	18 Learning Garden Workday 8-noon
19	20	21	22 FT rm 3	23 FT rm 4 Parent Breakfast On Stage 5:30 pm	24 Internet Safety Assemblies On Stage 6 pm	25
	Volunteer Appreciation Week					
26	27	28	29 Move Up Class Meetings	30		



# May 2015 - tentative

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 May Day Walk	2 Taste of LdV
3	4 Indie Craft Fair 11am-4pm	5 Cinco de Mayo	6 SSC 5:30 PTC 6:30	7	8 Solar Regatta K Mother's Day PTC Teacher Lunch Learning Garden Workday 3-6 pm	9
Teacher & Staff Appreciation Week						
10	11 FT rm 9	12 FT rm 10 On Stage 5:30 pm	13 FT 5 <sup>th</sup> gr IMAX  2015 Kinder Parent mtg/aud 5:30 pm eK parents 5:30/rm 2	14	15 FT rm 8 Hours Due Talent Show k-3 @ 9:15 4-6 10:45 7&8 1:35	16
17	18	19 ELAC 9:15 am potluck Spirit Rally 9am	20 FT rm 8, 6 <sup>th</sup> gr 5 <sup>th</sup> gr overnight	21 FT rm 9 Parent Coffee Chat	22 Ft rm 10	23
				Book Fair		
24	25 NO SCHOOL Memorial Day	26	27 FT 8 <sup>th</sup> gr Open House	28	29 Awards Assembly History Alive	30
		Book Fair Scholastic Book Fair				
				Jog A Thon		



# June 2015 - tentative

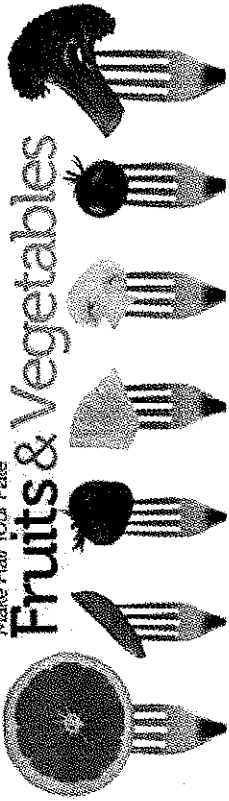
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	1	2	3 5:30 SSC TBA 6:30 PTC	4 FT 1 <sup>st</sup> gr Fairy Tale Town	5 FT 2015 K visits 4-5pm	6
7	8 FT 5 <sup>th</sup> gr Swim	9 K End of Year Performance 1 <sup>st</sup> grade Picnic 5:30 pm	10 FT 3 <sup>rd</sup> gr 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion in Land Park 5 pm	11 LAST DAY 1:30 pm dismissal ALL	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 Learning Garden Workday 8-noon
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

K-6/K-8

MENUS FOR APRIL 2015

Make Half Your Plate

Fruits & Vegetables



Sacramento City Unified School District  
Brenda Padilla, M.S., Director, Nutrition Services

Student Lunch Price \$2.00

USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer. Menus subject to change.

Monday, April 6

**Breakfast**

Maple Burst  
Mini Pancakes

**Lunch**

Kona Coast Teriyaki  
Chicken  
Or  
Mini Beef  
Cheeseburger Sliders  
Side: Hawaiian Style  
Whole Grain  
Brown Rice

Tuesday, April 7

**Breakfast**

Harvest Apple Grain Bar

**Lunch**

Tyson Chicken Tender  
Filets  
Or  
Grilled Ham & Cheese  
Sandwich  
Side: Cheese-it Crackers  
Side: Whole Grain  
Biscuit w/Jelly

Monday, April 13

**Breakfast**

Pillsbury Mini  
Blueberry Waffles

**Lunch**

Mandarin  
Orange  
Chicken  
Or  
Cheese  
Pizza  
Wedge  
Side: Brown Rice

Tuesday, April 14

**Breakfast**

Italian Turkey Sausage  
Breakfast Square

**Lunch**

Tyson  
Chicken Tender Filets  
Or  
Spaghetti w/Beef  
Marinara Sauce  
Side: Garlic Cheese  
Toast Half

Wednesday, April 15

**Breakfast**

Sunrise Pork  
Sausage Sandwich

**Lunch**

Beef Cheeseburger on  
Whole Grain Bun  
Or  
Fernando's Cheese &  
Bean Whole Grain  
Burrito w/Taco Sauce  
Baked Potato Spuds

Thursday, April 16

**Breakfast**

Chicken Tortilla  
Crispito Wrap w/Salsa

**Lunch**

Sweet Baby Ray's  
BBQ Roasted Chicken  
Or  
Coleman's All Natural  
Chicken Hot Dog  
on Bun  
Side: Biscuit w/Jelly

Friday, April 17

**Breakfast**

Pillsbury Mini Cinni Buns

**Lunch**

Trout Treasure Shapes  
Or  
Kettle Cooked Saucy  
Beef & Cheese Taco  
w/Taco Sauce  
Side: Tortilla Chips

**NUTRITION 101**

As a rule, Americans don't eat enough beans! Beans are the best plant source of protein and contain little of the fat and cholesterol that accompany the protein in meat. Beans also provide more fiber than almost any other plant food and nearly as much calcium as milk. Plus, beans' slow release of glucose makes them a superfood for people with diabetes. Wow!

**A TASTY MORSEL FOR PARENTS**

Wednesday, April 8

**Breakfast**

Cheese Toast

**Lunch**

Zesty Chicken Patty  
on Whole Grain Bun  
Or  
Fernando's Cheese &  
Bean Whole Grain  
Burrito w/Taco Sauce  
Side: Baked Potato Spuds

Thursday, April 9

**Breakfast**

Chicken Tortilla  
Crispito Wrap w/Salsa

**Lunch**


House Baked Whole  
Grain Wedge Pizza:  
Pepperoni  
Or  
Cheese  
Side: Sour Watermelon  
Raisels

Friday, April 10

**Breakfast**

Sunnyfresh  
French Toast Sticks

**Lunch**

**Catch of the Day!**  
  
Fish Filet on Whole  
Grain Bun w/Tartar  
Sauce  
Or  
Macaroni & Cheese  
Side: Goldfish Crackers

\*Break begins at the end of classes:

Friday, March 27

Classes resume:

Monday, April 6



**STATE OF MIND.**

Physical activity is just good for your body. Regular exercise has been shown to help stave off the mind against depression, too.



EAT BETTER. PLAY HARDER. LIVE HEALTHIER. LEARN EASIER.  
**WELLNESS IS A WAY OF LIFE!**

Monday, April 20

**Breakfast**

Whole Grain Waffle Sticks

**Lunch**

Chicken Taquitos  
Or  
Artisan Style Whole Grain French Bread Cheese Pizza

**Side:**

Vegetarian Baked Beans

**SIMPLE, SAFE & SECURE**

**EZSchoolPay.com**

**LUNCH \$2.00**

**Pay for meals on-line at EZSchoolPay.com!**

Thursday, April 23

**Breakfast**

Chicken Tortilla Crispito Wrap w/Salsa

**Lunch**

Beef Sloppy Joe Manwich Or  
Corn Doggy (Chicken)

**Side:**

Baked Potato Spuds

Friday, April 24

**Breakfast**

Apple Cinnamon Texas Toast

**Lunch**

Chicken Littl' Grilled Sliders Or

**Hot Off the Grill!**

Grilled Cheese Sandwich

**Available Daily**

**Lunches Include:**  
Garden Salad Bar Choices & Sides, plus Milk -- Non or Low-Fat, Unflavored/White

**Entrée Choices:**  
Meatless: Both w/Mozzarella Stick  
#1 Vegan Smbutter & Jelly Sandwich  
#2 Yogurt Meal

**Other Hot Lunch Entrées:**  
#3 (see monthly non-cheese options)  
#4 House-Made (see daily menu)

**Menu is Subject to Change**

Tuesday, April 21

**Breakfast**

Bean & Cheese Breakfast Wrap

**Lunch**

Tyson Chicken Tender Filets Or  
Chile Verde Cheese Enchiladas

**Side:**

Vegetarian Refried Beans  
Side: Tortilla Chips

Wednesday, April 22

**Breakfast**

Pancake Pork Sausage Wrap

**Lunch**

Spicy Sichuan Chicken Or  
Mini Beef Cheeseburger Sliders

**Side:**

Whole Grain Brown Rice



**What's on YOUR plate?**



**WHAT**

I have a head but cannot think.  
I have eyes but cannot see.

**AM I?**

I have ears but cannot hear.  
I have ribs but no bones.

Monday, April 27

**Breakfast**

Maple Burst Mini Pancakes

**Lunch**

Kona Coast Teriyaki Chicken Or  
Mini Beef Cheeseburger Sliders

**Side:**

Hawaiian Style Whole Grain Brown Rice

**Daily Options for Breakfast**

**Entrées:**

#1-General Mill's Whole Grain Cereal Choices Or  
#2-Daily Choice, (listed on the menu)  
And/Or

Self-Serve Produce Bar, 100% Orange Juice, Milk, Graham Crackers



Tuesday, April 28

**Breakfast**

Harvest Apple Grain Bar

**Lunch**

Tyson Chicken Tender Filets Or  
Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich

**Side:**

Cheese-it Crackers

**Credit Policy**

If your student forgets meal money, credit will be given for up to three days for each meal. Students and households will be reminded of negative balances. To avoid charges, Prepayments are accepted in the lips with a check or on-line at [www.EZSchoolPay.com](http://www.EZSchoolPay.com). Please clear balances promptly. Thanks!

**OUR NATION'S HISTORY**

The first Earth Day took place 45 years ago this month on April 22, 1970. Wisconsin Senator Gaylord Nelson, a Democrat, and California Congressman Pete McCloskey, a Republican, co-chaired events at schools, colleges, and parks across the U.S. that drew 20 million Americans outside on a Spring day to make a commitment to care for the environment. Earth Day is now celebrated in nearly 200 nations around the world.

**WITH LIBERTY & JUSTICE FOR ALL**



Answer: I'm a VEGETABLE GARDEN, planted with lettuce (heads), potatoes (eyes), corn (ears), and celery (ribs). YUMMM!  
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