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Dates to Remember

- Sept 28**
Taste of LdV Planning Mtg
6 pm/LIB
 - Sept 29**
ARTLinks Open Studio
3:15 - 4:15/rm 21
 - Oct 1**
Fall Photo Day
ARTLinks Open Studio
3:15 - 4:15/rm 21
 - Oct 2**
ASB Elections
LdV Movie Night for
4-8 graders "The Avengers"
LAST magazine turn in
 - Oct 6**
Open Enrollment Visitation
9:15 am/LIB
ARTLinks Open Studio
3:15 - 4:15/rm 21
 - Oct 7**
SSC 5:30 PTC 6:30
 - Oct 8**
ELAC 9:15 am/LIB
ARTLinks Open Studio
3:15 - 4:15/rm 21
 - Oct 12-16**
Scholastic Book Fair
 - Oct 13**
ARTLinks Open Studio
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 - Oct 15**
ARTLinks Open Studio
3:15 - 4:15/rm 21
- 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
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to: dsanderson@sbcglobal.net.
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Deadline: Oct 1

Leonardo da Vinci eK-8 School

Integrated Thematic Instruction Through Arts & Sciences

Harvest Hoedown 2015 - Even Earlier!!! NEW DATE!

Can you believe Fall is upon us already? That means it's time for the annual Harvest Hoedown here at LdV, an event which benefits the orchestra and band programs here at our school. This fun, family-friendly event is like a carnival: with games, bounce houses, ZippyPets (a stuffed animal you can ride!), the world-famous Cake-Walk, and much, much more. We had to change our date for the Hoedown this year as our neighbors at Hollywood Park had their Fall Festival scheduled the same time as ours...so our new date is **Friday, October 23rd from 3pm - 7:30pm**. Admission is free, and we have great deals on tickets for all of the food and games and fun! We hope to see you there!

Don't forget...if you need to earn parent participation hours, you can sign-up outside of Room 1 to volunteer at the Hoedown or help by donating supplies like hot dog buns, bottled water, or a cake for the Cake-Walk! (You don't need to be a band or orchestra parent to help out.) Thank you for all of your help and support! --Mrs. Gueffroy (Orchestra) and Mrs. Nakayama (Band)

Taste of LdV

Want to find a fun way to get your volunteer hours in? Come be a part of planning the next "A Taste of LdV!" A Taste of LdV is one of our biggest fundraisers of the year. It's an off-site party for LdV parents and their friends to come together to enjoy great food and drinks, and bid on amazing auction items, such as cooking classes at Mulvaney's, a ride to school on a fire truck, or paintball with your favorite teachers! Our kick-off planning meeting will be Monday, September 28th in the school library from 6-8pm. Come be part of making this year's event a great success! --Kimberly Niemeyer

ELAC Meeting on Oct 8

The first ELAC meeting has been rescheduled to October 8 at 9:15 am in the library.

Lost? Get a Bumper Stickers

The oval LdV bumper stickers are available in Diane's office. They are only \$3 (cash please). They are a great way of identifying the other drivers while on an LdV field trip (or even when you are just driving around town). Proceeds benefit LdV fourth grade.

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 culture of their choice. Oct., Nov, Feb., and May are reserved, the rest of the months are open for you to highlight your culture or a topic that celebrates our cultural diversity, contact Stacy at stacielo@live.com

Dolphin Store Open

The LdV Dolphin Store is open after school on Wednesdays (until 3:15 pm). The store has school supplies and healthy snacks for students.

Emergency Cards

We really appreciate you taking the time to complete the new blue emergency cards being sent home this week. The version provided for the first day packets did not have enough information to be useful. Please include pertinent medical information and attach custody agreements.

Dolphins!

This week's dolphin is by 8th grader Becky P.

Volunteers are Desperately Needed

Book Fair is coming to LdV!

If you love books and your school library, come and volunteer at the Scholastic Book Fair! The profit from the Book Fair allows us to purchase new books for the LdV Library and classrooms.

The Book Fair will run from October 12th thru Oct 16th, 9 am to 3:30 pm and during Class Meeting night on Oct 14 from 6:00 to 8 pm.

We are in desperate need of volunteers for all shifts, including setting up the Book Fair on October 9th, from 3 pm to 6 pm, and take down on Oct 16th, from 3 pm to 6 pm.

Please sign up to help at VolunteerSpot: <http://vols.pt/Y35BSh> or contact Sara Kennedy at 916-220-5033 or sarakennedy@comcast.net with questions.

Attendance

I am pleased to announce that the Attendance Line is now up and running. You may continue to email me at Chereese-Conner@scusd.edu or call the Attendance Line at (916) 557-0389. Please remember to speak slowly and clearly as it is sometime a little difficult to understand. Be sure to state the reason for the absence, a simple "sick" is enough. As to the emails I will continue to respond as I receive them.

Thank you for being patient and for the emails.

—Chereese Conner, LDV Clerk/Attendance (916) 277-6496

Magazine and Entertainment Book App Sales Have Begun!!

Our sale will run from September 21st-October 2nd. This is our only Fall Fundraiser so please support LdV by participating in it!

We are asking that each FAMILY commit to selling 6 magazine subscriptions or Entertainment Book APPS!

There are two remaining turn in days **in front of school from 8:15-9am**, so that students can immediately collect their prizes!!

Tuesday, September 29th & Friday, October 2nd

You can also order online (and ask friends and relatives to, by using our school code: 2692168 on the GA website: gafundraising.com).

Let's make this our most successful Fall fundraiser ever!!!

More Front Page News!

Learning Garden News



A quick garden update Last year the garden underwent an expansion to include more garden boxes and outdoor classroom spaces. This year will see the addition of a new entrance gate as well new planter boxes within the main garden space to be used as part of the cooking and nutrition program. The garden area specially-designed for visually impaired students will see the addition of some artful outdoor learning creations, including a large stone abacus and Braille tile rack. And, new garden boxes will be added near the fifth grade classrooms.

The cooking and nutrition garden program is conducted by garden committee member Alexis Wasilchin, while the day-to-day maintenance of the garden space, building of new features, and the coordination of the classrooms using the garden are overseen by committee members Greg Richards, Linsey Martin, Jessica Waterbury, and Jennifer Jennet.

There is a large and growing group of parent volunteers who consistently help keep the garden maintained and growing. A big thanks goes out to them. The committee members would like to give a very special thank you to former garden chair Jeri Clark for her inspiration and many years of dedication to the garden and key role in making the garden the amazing place that it is today. And we would also like to thank her for her continued mentoring and tutelage. Thanks Jeri!

For any questions or suggestions, or offers to help with the garden, please feel free to contact Greg: greg_richards@rocketmail.com or 916-716-6910 or Alexis Wasilchin: alexis-bartine@sbcglobal.net

Neighborhood Food Vendors

Please do not patronize the food carts in front of school. They do not have food sale permits.

Teacher Appreciation

Thank you all for your contribution and support in making our first breakfast a success!!! The breakfasts are always the morning following class meetings, below are the dates of future breakfasts: Oct. 15, Nov. 19, Jan. 14, March 10, April 28 (Tentative) and May 28.

If you are interested in helping, please let me know which dates work for you. As usual, any donation you can provide is appreciated.... baked treats, fruit, snacks, juice, etc. —Stacy Lo stacielo@live.com

Succulent Cuttings

We are looking for donations of small succulents or cuttings for art projects. Please leave in front office, thank you.

Gears of Many Sizes

Got some old 1, 2 or 3 inch gears sitting around? Let our Open Studio kids make them into ART! Please bring donations to the front office.

Got Bugs?

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

Feel like a Hot Cup of Coffee or Tea when Cafe da Vinci is Closed?

LdV PTC School Climate Committee has donated a KEURIG K Cup coffee maker for the use of teachers and parents. It is located in the front office for your use. You are welcome to bring your own pod and cup, or purchase a pod from Diane for only \$1. We have several strengths of coffee, as well as hot chocolate, and flavored coffees. Available for ONLY \$1

NEW LdV Shirts?

YES, there will be INSPIRING new shirts this year... watch for designs and order forms!

Word of the Week

This week our character word is DIGNITY. Whitney Houston sang a memorable song, "The Greatest Love of All." The lyrics were about self-love and dignity. The simple but powerful phrase: "No matter what they take from me, they can't take away my dignity" speaks to the true meaning of the word. Dignity is what a person of character would never willingly sacrifice. Dignity is self-respect.

Community Events

• Anton Chekov's **Three Sisters** at Sac City Theatre. Cast includes LdV alumni Tim Sapunor, Tony Brisson and Zelia Gonzales. The play runs through Oct 18. citytheatre.net for tickets and info.

• **Shred Day:** October 3 from 9am-noon at 3159 Land Park Drive. Only \$10 per file box proceeds benefit St Vincent de Paul Society.

• **2nd Annual Walk4Literacy** Sat, Oct 17. Registration at 7 am. Walk begins at 9 am. Register at www.walk4literacy.org. Proceeds support children's literacy nonprofits in the Sacramento region.

E not O

Please note the correct email to use to report absences is chereese-conner@scusd.edu



Learning Garden Workdays

Oct 18th 8-noon
Nov 15th noon-4pm
Jan 18th 8-noon
Feb 6th 8-noon
March 12th 8-noon
April 16th 8-noon
May 6th 3-6pm
June 18th 8-noon
July 10th 8-noon
Sept 5th 8-noon



Looking for Something to Do?

Duplication Help

Middle school science teacher, Mr Androlowicz is looking for someone to copy the VHS tapes he uses for his classes to DVD. If you can help, please email stan-androlowicz@scusd.edu. Thank you

Volunteer at the Book Fair

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Please sign up for Scholastic Book Fair - here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

1. Click this link to go to our invitation page on VolunteerSpot: <http://vols.pt/Y35BSh>
2. Enter your email address: (You will NOT need to register an account on VolunteerSpot)
3. Sign up! Choose your spots - VolunteerSpot will send you an automated confirmation and reminders. Easy!

Note: VolunteerSpot does not share your email address with anyone. If you prefer not to use your email address, please contact me and I can sign you up manually.

Contact Sara Kennedy at 916-220-5033 or sarakennedy@comcast.net with questions.

Collate and Conversate

OVER 800 newsletters are collated and stapled every Monday morning. If you would like to help we would love your company and its worth at least an hour of volunteer time (one newsletter a week guarantees you at least 37 hours for the year). We begin at 8:30 am (no children please).

From the SCL (School Community Liaison)

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.

Déjà 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 (without additional flyers) can be found on the **LdV web site: 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. 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. Please "like" us if you would like news about LdV, meeting reminders, and event updates.

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: A September tally sheet is in your first day packet. Please turn it into your child's class or to the Volunteer Office at the end of the month.

Carry Over Hours: Hours from 2014-15 are only carried over to this year if they were worked AFTER May 15, 2015 (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!

First Day Packets: Please complete your first day packet and return them to the classroom as soon as possible. Extra forms can be found on our web site or in the front office.

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, 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:

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

Elica Health Center: 3701 J St, suite 201, Sacramento. Please call 454-2345 to make an appointment \$40.

Several **Rite Aide** locations also provide this service for a fee.

ART Links OPEN STUDIO New Location!

Tuesday, Sept 29 & Thursday, October 1

Tuesday, Oct 6 & Thursday, October 8

Tuesday, Oct 13 & Thursday, October 15

Tuesday, Oct 20 & Thursday, October 22

Tuesday, Oct 27 & Thursday, October 29

in Room 21 from 3:15-4:15pm

Open Studio is a free after school Art Studio opportunity available to every child at LdV. Students will create artwork for an LdV ART Links or community service project. **Parents, please plan to be with your child** during all Open Studio visits. We need you as volunteers for the students and it facilitates end of project timing. Yes, you can bring a friend's child to the open studio but please make sure each parent has had a conversation about attendance and pick-up to keep the Open Studio session light and fun for each child. PLEASE remind your student artists that they are attending Open Studio to make artwork and that this time is an extension of their learning day. Snacks may be eaten outside room 21 before the session begins. They are to remain in Room 21 throughout the duration of the project.

Open Studio is made possible by the LdV PTC.

Please email UnChu.Littlefield@tateskitchen@gmail.com with questions



LdV MOVIE NIGHT

Grades 4-8 Only Please

Friday, October 2nd 3:00 - 6:15
LdV Cafeteria

\$5 per person (includes a slice of pizza, a drink, and the movie)

We're watching Marvel's Avenger, Age of Ultron!
We'll be eating pizza, and enjoying refreshments.
Snack Bar on-site including popcorn, red vines and frozen treats.



Fund Raising News

Fall Fundraiser News

Our TWO BIG FALL FUNDRAISERS are now wrapped into ONE! Magazine Sales and Entertainment Books are happening now. Entertainment books are being sold as an app for your phone...so you will never leave it behind! Apps can be ordered on the same form as magazines and will be sent to you. No books to return!

Remember, the sale of only 6 subscriptions or Entertainment Apps per family is all it takes for us to make our fundraising goal! You can also order online (or ask friends and relatives to, by using our school code: 2692168 on the GA website: gafundraising.com).

Are you wondering where this money will go? PTC money supports enrichment for every LdV student. The Renaissance Faire, Science Fair, Family Science Night, LdV Sports teams, Blues Band, Teacher Appreciation and Classroom start up funds are just a few of the things made possible by this fundraiser.

Contribute without Paying

SCHOOL CENTS Fundraiser at Arden Fair Mall After you have finished shopping/eating at Arden Fair Mall, take your receipts to the customer service desk near JC Penney's. Tell them that you are from LdV and would like to record your receipts. They will record and stamp them for you and then give them back to you. It is that simple. For every dollar we spend and record at Arden Fair Mall, LdV receives 5 points. At the end of the school year in May, the highest points schools will receive cash prizes! Please encourage family and friends to record their receipts for LdV as well. If you forgot to have them recorded, no problem! You can take them back for up to 90 days from purchase. There is also a box in Diane's office for you to drop off the receipts, so that they can be turned in for you. There will be envelopes provided near the box for you to fill out and put your receipts into. Thanks for participating!!

How Do You Shoparoo? It's so simple even I can do it. Look up Shoparoo on your smartphone, download the app, answer some easy questions (you can choose to be anonymous) then shop! Within 2 weeks of your shopping at stores like Raley's, Target, WalMart, Trader Joe's, even Berkeley Bowl - take a picture of your receipt through the Shoparoo app and submit it. You can cross out any purchases or credit information you wish. It's that simple. Shoparoo then uses the information to help retailers market their products. It remains anonymous and LdV wins!

Shopping Online for Business or Personal Needs? Go to our website: leonardodavincischool.org or the LdV Facebook page; Click on the Amazon link; Log in to your Amazon account just like you normally would; Complete your purchase. It's just that easy and LdV will earn up to 8% on all of your Amazon.com purchases!

Free E-Waste Pick Up Schedule your FREE pick up by visiting 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.

Clip, Save, and Send In Box Tops & Labels for Education Help the LdV PTC raise much needed funds and points for school-wide programs and events by submitting box tops and labels in a zip-top plastic bag or envelope with your student's classroom number on it and send it to school.

Labels for Education can be found on Campbells Soup, Pace, Pepperidge Farm, Glad products, and more. Go to labelsforeducation.com to see product lists and special offers. We use these labels for points that help us purchase balls and other playground equipment.

Boxtops 4 Education can earn money for LdV in three ways: **1. Shop and clip:** boxtops are found on General Mills cereal, Hanes apparel, Ziploc food storage, Arvey office supplies, Hefty bags and more; **2. Shop online:** boxtops can be earned shopping online for Lands End, Toys R Us, and more; **3. Earn Bonus points:** by going online to boxtops4education.com

Don't Forget to Use Your Something EXTRA Card... Truly the easiest and cheapest fundraiser at LdV...it costs you nothing to remember to use your EXTRA card (registered to help LdV) when you shop at Raley's and Bel Air. You get points and groceries and we get cash, it's a win-win!

...and your Target card Whenever you use a Target card (debit or credit), Target donates 1% of your purchase to the school of your choice. (Plus you get a 5% discount and free shipping online).

It's Never Too Late for Magazines You or your family and friends can order magazines throughout the year by shopping at the online site www.gaschoolstore.com and using our SCHOOL CODE 2692168. Late orders will not warrant prizes. Thanks for supporting LdV!

Thank You for Your Old Car... Action Donation Services will take cars, boats or RVs and turn them into money for the school and possibly cash and a tax donation for you. Call toll free 866 244-8464 or go to www.actiondonation.org for your no obligation evaluation of your donation.

What's Happening After School?

On Stage Classes Questions? Contact cynthia.speakman@gmail.com or 916-502-0336 with questions.

LdV Ballet Folklorico Club for boys & girls K-8 grade. The group will perform at LdV's annual Cinco de Mayo Festival. Contact Mrs. Garcia (916)585-6020 or pick up a registration form (front office)

Spanish Immersion Classes for Kids New Classes of different levels start every month. Pick up a form in the front office or contact Mrs. Garcia (916)585-6020 for info.

Backyard Art Academy 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.

Wrestling One Size Fits All

Sac Metro Lions Jr. Wrestling Club
open registration grades K-8

Big or small, fast or slow, boy or girl, wrestling is for everyone. Join Sac Metro Lions to see how this physically and mentally demanding sport prepares one for life through character development, confidence building, and improved self esteem. This is very cost effective and allows kids an opportunity to experience sports. Many kids who would like to make a sports team in high school are not equipped with any formal background. This is a wonderful opportunity to give them a head start.

Cost is \$20 per month or \$35 for two kids. One time registration of \$30 which will follow them through high school should they stick with the sport. Annual USA Wrestling Membership of \$40 which is required everywhere. Good Sept. 1 to Aug 31.

For more info: Contact Maylanie Bevins at 916 607-5720 (also available by Facebook message)

From the District

• **SCUSD Infant & Toddler Playgroup:** Sept 8-June 16, 2016 Monday-Thursday times vary. Accepting applications now 277-7047 ext 1025, 643-7858 for information

• **Sacramento Covered's 15th Annual Healthy Kids Day.** October 3, 2015, from 10am to 3pm at Sleep Train Arena.

It's a FREE event for family members of all ages.

- Dental screenings
- Vision screenings
- Blood Pressure testing
- Financial literacy information
- Flu vaccinations *
- Free Farmers' Market *
- Free Lunch *

*While supplies last
414-8338 for information

From the Office

Attendance Information: Email Sick and Tardy

Please email chereese-conner@scusd.edu with your students' absences and tardies or call 557-0389 wait for the message to begin and then press 49#. By email or phone, leave the child's name, room number, date of absence and reason for being out of school (i.e.: illness, doctor appointment, religious, out of town, death in family). Please use "absence" in the subject line of your email. You will receive a reply if your email has been received. Absence verification must be made daily. Doctor's notes must accompany any medical excuse including tardies and early dismissals over 30 minutes. Unverified absences will result in truancies.

Llamada para avisar de enfermedad o retraso

Favor de llamar a 557-0389 (y seleccione 49 #) al empezar el mensaje para avisar que su hijo/a va a estar ausente o va a llegar tarde. Deje su nombre, el nombre de su hijo/a, el número del salón, el día de ausencia o retraso, y la razón ("está enfermo/a", "tiene una cita con el doctor", tiene un funeral familiar", etcetera es suficiente). Le pedimos que llame antes de las 11:00 de la mañana para evitar una ausencia sin excusa.

Students are allowed 10 excused (illness with a parent's excuse, death in immediate family, child's appearance in court) absences per the year. Each additional absence from illness must have a doctor's note to be cleared.

Bring a Doctor's Note - If your child misses school for a visit to the Doctor or Dentist, please bring a school excuse note for their attendance. It does make a difference on a student's attendance report. The attendance code for a Doctor's visit is "M" which is unlimited and without the doctor's note it is an "A". All students get 10 health absences "A" for the year, after that a doctor's note is required.

Leave a Reason - We are asking that you email your child's absence report to chereese-conner@scusd.edu as early as possible (before 10 a.m.). Please use "attendance" in the subject line and include the child's name, teacher, room number and the date of illness and/or tardy, and the reason. The reason is very important but does not need to be detailed; a simple "She/he is sick today" will suffice. You will receive a confirmation email. Many parents report absences stating their child will be absent, but do not state the "REASON" please remember to so.

Did You Know... When your child has chicken pox, a skin rash, lice or other infectious health challenges you need to follow up with the main office when your child returns to campus. A doctor's note that the child has been treated and is okay to be back among our other students after a rash or chicken pox is required by SCUSD health services.

Late to School? Students who are over 30 minutes tardy must be accompanied to the main office by their parent or guardian to obtain a tardy slip. All tardies over 30 minutes must have an official doctor's note. Three tardies over 30 minutes without such documentation will result in a truancy notice.

Check Your Child's Schedule

The lunch and recess schedules for all grade levels are readily available on the school website (leonardodavincischool.org). If you are picking your child up for an appointment, or bringing a lunch they left behind, it is easier and quicker to find them in class than on the playground. Please consider timing your trip around your child's schedule. Thank you.

Please Bring Your ID

If you are taking your child for early dismissal or are sending someone from your emergency card list, please note ID will be required. It is school policy to show proper ID before a student is released. It is for the safety of your child, please do not grouse at the staff who are keeping our children safe!

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.

Medications at School

Parents need to renew their children's medication forms every year. If your child had medication administered by school staff last year, you need to submit a new form this year. You will also need to bring in new medication for this year. Health Services disposes of all unused medication at the end of each year.

Allergy Alert

For the safety and consideration of our students with severe nut allergies we are striving to become a "nut free campus." Thank you for your support of our efforts.

Fingerprinting Requirements: Yes, you do need to be fingerprinted to go on a field trip...whether you are driving children 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!

Pick up & Drop Off

What Time Does Your Child Get to School? School begins at 9 am. Unless your child attends a before school class or breakfast, our campus is not open until 8:30 am. Please do not leave children without adult supervision before 8:30 am.

Where Do You Drop Off? If you are dropping off in the back parking lot, are you stopping at the gate openings with your car and blocking the entrance for others (children and parents) who are walking into school? Please pay attention to where you stop, and especially as you pull away. Lots of humans use the parking lot and appreciate your full attention!

Please do not allow your children to walk through our parking lots! Small unaccompanied children are hard to see.

How Do You Get Here? If you are driving your children to school and come in from Freeport Blvd, do you know you are supposed to take a quick right and come to the school on Shielah Way, enter through the back gate and then drive away on Stacia Way. This keeps the traffic flowing and is easier on our neighbors. Thank you for going with the flow!

Notice of Pesticide/Herbicide Use

LdV is scheduled for service by SCUSD's Small Grass Crew weekly. The crew may or may not spray every Wednesday. If they do spray, they will post notice in the front lower window of the front door. A copy of SCUSD's Pest Management Program listing all chemicals applied to all sites is available in the front office.

Your Family Pet Belongs at Home

LdV is a pet free campus. For the safety (and cleanliness) of our community please leave any size pets at home (unless okayed by teacher for sharing). Thank you.

LdV Attendance Line: 557-0389

Email: chereese-conner@scusd.edu



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Friday, October 2nd 3:00 - 6:15

LdV Cafeteria

\$5 per person (includes a slice of pizza, a drink, and the movie)

We're watching Marvel's Avenger, Age of Ultron!
We'll be eating pizza, and enjoying refreshments.
Snack Bar on-site including popcorn, red vines and frozen treats.

AVOID THE LINE!

Avengers - Age of Ultron - Movie Night Pre- Order Form

Please fill out and return the form below with payment to the Avengers- Age of Ultron box in front office. We will send the tickets home with your child so you can avoid the line!

Student's Name _____

*Grade (grade 4-8 Only Please) _____ Teacher _____

Parents' names _____

Number of Tickets: _____

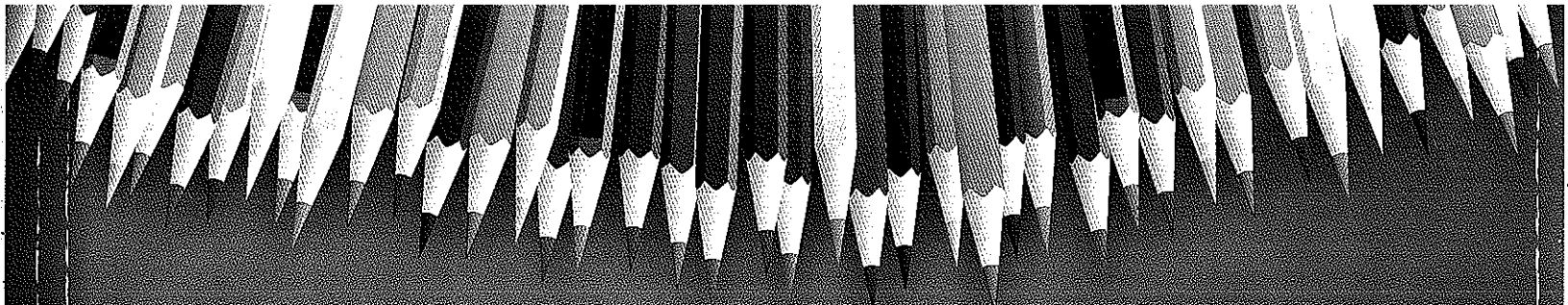
Amount enclosed (tickets are \$5.00 each): \$ _____

Pizza Order (one slice per ticket)

___ peperoni ___ cheese

Tickets will be sent to home with your child.

*This movie night is for children in grades 4-8 only. We will have at least three more movie nights this year that will be available for everyone (Inside Out, Minions, and Star Wars)



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September Newsletter

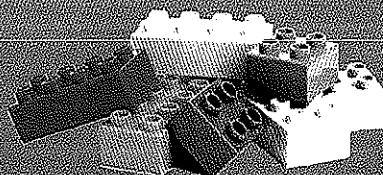
Shop these stores in September
and receive TRIPLE points for your school:
Bath & Body Works, Icing, PINK, Sweet Factory, and Wet Seal

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kids club!

Saturday, September 12th | 10am - 11am

Join in a LEGO® Mini Model Build!*



**No School Cents bonus points will be awarded for our September Kids Club Event.
Visit ArdenFair.com for details.*

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If you have any questions, please call the School Cents Coordinators at (800) 762-1641.
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Compre en estas tiendas en el mes de Septiembre para recibir puntos TRIPLES para su escuela:

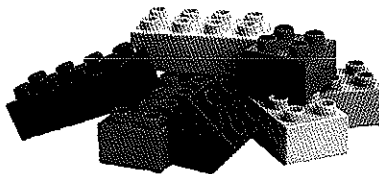
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Sábado, Septiembre 12 | 10am - 11am

Unirse en un mini modelo LEGO® construcción*



****Para nuestro evento en Septiembre del Kids Club, no se otorgaran puntos de bonificación School Cents.**

Para más detalles visite ArdenFair.com

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The Pre-Professional

ENSEMBLE!

Enroll in Acting Classes TODAY!

Acting & Improv Classes!

STC's Pre-Professional Ensemble classes allow students to tap into their imagination by starting a lifelong relationship with the theatre. In a nurturing, non-competitive atmosphere, students gain self-confidence and increase skills in public speaking and cooperation. Sessions culminate in a presentation for family and friends. Located at 1419 H. St, Sacramento.

Acting Class for 1st-3rd Graders: Saturday Mornings

Sept. 19th-Nov. 14th 9:00-10:15 am (\$175)

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Acting Class for 4th-6th Graders: Saturday Mornings

Sept. 19th-Nov. 14th 10:30 am-12:00 pm (\$200)

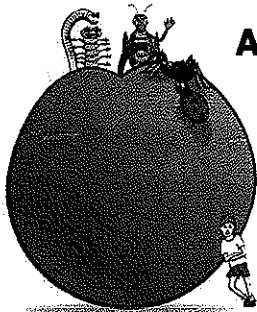
With concentration on character development, improvisation, and the rehearsal process, ensemble classes incorporate theatre games, scene study and audition techniques for students with all levels of experience.

Improvisation Class for Teens: Monday Afternoons

For Students in 7th-10th Grades Sept. 21st-Nov. 9th 4:30-6pm (\$200)

Weekly classes incorporate improvisation, theatre games, scene study and audition techniques for students with all levels of experience from seventh through tenth grades.

JAMES & THE GIANT PEACH the Musical!



Auditions: Sept. 21 & 26 (By appointment only)

Rehearsals begin October 14th *

Performances January 14th - January 17th 2016

***Open to ages 6-12, rehearsals are Tues/Wed/Thurs/Sat., plus Fri. in Dec.
(Most actors are not called for every rehearsal)**

Roald Dahl's fantastical, musical tale of a boy, his insect friends, and their amazing journey across the ocean on a giant peach. Students will learn acting, dancing and singing fundamentals while working with professional directors, choreographers and vocal directors in a collaborative and fun environment!

Cost to participate: \$375. Rehearsals located at 2324 L. Street, Sac. Performances at 1419 H. St., Sacramento.

Schedule an audition TODAY! Please email: education@sactheatre.org

(916) 446-7501 x116 www.sactheatre.org education@sactheatre.org

The Sacramento City Unified School District is not a sponsor, endorser or otherwise associated with the above.

Permit Number Y-12

ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

Due to limited class size, no place can be held without receipt of the ENTIRE PAYMENT. The enrollment fee will be returned if the ENSEMBLE class is full and the applicant cannot be admitted. Your signature also gives STC permission to use any class photos or writings for future STC marketing or promotional publications. **DISMISSALS:** Any students whose behavior is deemed inappropriate by the STC staff will be given one warning and a parent notification. After that, he or she will be dismissed from the session with no refund.

REFUND POLICY: Our refund policy is designed to discourage last minute cancellations and to help families on the waiting list. Requests for refund of program fee must be made 14 days prior to the first day of classes/workshop. An amount for any classes attended and a \$50 administration fee will be subtracted from the total. **NO TUITION REFUNDS WILL BE MADE AFTER THIS TIME.** During the session, there is no refund for student illness, missed days, vacation, withdrawal, or if student is dismissed by teachers. Please allow ten working days to process refund.

Sacramento Theatre Company is an equal opportunity organization. Students will be admitted without regard to race, creed, gender, national origin or physical abilities.

Parent or Guardian's signature _____ Date _____

Student's Name: _____ Boy/Girl Grade: ____ Age (current): ____ Birth date: _____

Address: _____ City _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

T-shirt Size: Child S, M, L or Adult S, M, L (Please Circle)

School: _____

Parent/Guardian Name #1: _____

Day Phone: (____) _____ Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell/Pager: (____) _____

Parent/Guardian Name #2: _____

Day Phone: (____) _____ Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell/Pager: (____) _____

Parents email address: _____

Please list email address. It will be the primary form of communication.

Are you a returning student? _____ How did you find out about STC? _____

Please consider including a tax-deductible donation for our scholarship fund: STC non-profit tax ID# 94-1347081 _____

Registration Fees: Credit cards accepted or make checks payable to Sacramento Theatre Company

Complete this form and mail (or fax: (916) 446-4066) with payment to: Sacramento Theatre Company, 1419 H Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

For credit card payment: <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> Amex	Acting Class 1 st -3 rd 9/19-11/14 (\$175)	\$ _____
Card #: _____	Acting Class 4 th - 6 th 9/19-11/14 (\$200)	\$ _____
Expires: _____ Security Code (3 or 4 digits on back): _____	Teen Improv 7 th -10 th 9/21-11/9 (\$200)	\$ _____
Name on card: _____	James and the Giant Peach (\$375)	\$ _____
Billing Address (if different): _____	Tax-deductible Donation	\$ _____
Signature _____	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	\$ _____

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