

Sequoia Elementary School Community Newsletter: April 17, 2017

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Two-Week Calendar



Wednesdays are minimum days

Tue • Apr 18: **FOSS Meeting**, 6–8 p.m., *Cafeteria* (dinner served at 6 p.m., meeting starts at 6:15 p.m.; childcare provided)

Sat • Apr 22: **Earth Day**

Sat • Apr 22: **Dads' Club Earth Day Work Day**, 9 a.m.–12 p.m., *School yard*

Sat • Apr 22: **Playdate for incoming TK and Kindergarten students**, 9–11 a.m., *School yard by lower grade play structure*

Apr 24 - 28: **5th Grade Science Camp**

Tue • Apr 25: **SSC Meeting**, 5–6 p.m., *Library*

Wed • Apr 26: **Administrative Professionals Day**

Thu • Apr 27: **Calendar Planning Meeting for 2017–18**, 6–8 p.m., *Library*

Fri • Apr 28: **NO Frozen Fruit Bar Sales**, Due to 5th Grade Science Camp

Fri • Apr 28: **Lost & Found Items Cleared and Donated**

Fri • Apr 28: **Minimum Day** - 1:20 p.m. Dismissal

Sun • Apr 30: **Pancake Breakfast**, Sponsored by the Dads' Club, 8:30–11 a.m., *Cafeteria*

Sun • Apr 30: **OUSD Science Fair Display**, 9–11:30 a.m., *Auditorium*

Order a Variety Show DVD: Date Extended to April 19

If you haven't purchased your Variety Show DVD yet, we're extending the deadline by one more week! DVD orders are due Wednesday, April 19.

If you haven't ordered yours yet, or want some additional copies for friends and family, please order now at <http://sequoiaschool.net/varietyshow/dvds>. Don't forget, the DVD makes a great gift for family and friends!

DVDs are \$15 each or three for \$40. The cost covers production and also helps support enrichment at our school.

You can pay using PayPal (send to FOSSTreasurer@yahoo.com), or drop off a check or cash (in an envelope marked "Variety Show DVD" with your name and email address/phone number) in the secure FOSS mailbox in the Sequoia office.

Shout Outs!

Sequoia would not be the wonderful school it is without the efforts of our teachers, staff and volunteers. Each week we express appreciation for those efforts. Send your appreciations using the newsletter form on the school's website.

Thank you TK/K!

Book Fair: Kavya, Anabel

Donors Choose: Judy

Donations: Abilene, Maribel, Annie, Kara

Box Tops: Iris

Surprise Birthday Treats: Room 9, Judy, Annie, Amanda

Motor Skills: Reka, Annie, Jenny, Isabel, Juliana, Brady, Sachiko,

Bruce, Rachel, Rob, Mel, Keith, Tacy, Eden, Vaiolini

Felicia, Melissa, Leigh, Melanie, and Noah N., Elias, and Kai W.

from Ms Oby's 3rd grade class

Lunch help: Jenny, Reka, Annie, Bolormaa, Isabel, James

Snack: Iris, Maribel, Matthew

Neighborhood Appeal Team

Do you have time to take a half hour walk next week or weekend? If yes, The Neighborhood Appeal team needs volunteers to take a short walk surrounding Sequoia to deliver invites to the Pancake Breakfast and how they can support Sequoia. Deliver assembled packets to an assigned block sometime between April 18 and April 24, whenever you are able to fit it into your schedule. We would love to have your help

Folding Tables Needed for Summer Camp Fair & Science Fair

Do you have a transportable folding table FOSS can borrow for our Summer Camp Fair fundraiser? The Fair will be April 30, at the same time as the Science Fair and Pancake Breakfast. We hope to have at least 20 summer camps presenting information. If you can lend one, please contact Stacie (staciechun@gmail.com or 510-306-2693).

Entering TK/K Playdate!

When: Saturday, April 22, 2017, 9am–11am

Where: *Sequoia Kinder Playground*

Come meet other families and make new friends before school starts in the fall. Organized by families with new kids entering TK/Kindergarten at Sequoia. Playdate contact: Marie Jones, marie.s.jones@gmail.com

الموعد: السبت، 22 أبريل، 2017، 9 صباحا - 11 صباحا
حيث: سيكويلا كيندر ملعب

تعال تلبية عائلات أخرى وتكوين صداقات جديدة قبل بدء المدرسة في الخريف. التي تنظمها الأسر مع أطفال جدد دخول المعارف التقليدية / رياض الأطفال في سيكويلا.

marie.s.jones@gmail.com بلايديت الاتصال: ماري جونز،

iCita para jugar para los que entran en TK/K!

Cuándo: Sábado 22 de abril de 2017, de 9:00 a 11:00

Dónde: Sequoia Kinder Playground

Venga a conocer a otras familias y haga nuevos amigos antes de que la escuela comience en el otoño. Organizado por familias con niños que ingresan a TK / Kindergarten en Sequoia.

Contacto: Marie Jones, marie.s.jones@gmail.com

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FOSS Meeting Tuesday, April 18

Please join us for the next FOSS (Friends of Sequoia School) meeting on Tuesday, April 18, from 6–8 p.m. in the cafeteria. Dinner and childcare will be provided. The meeting will focus on school enrichment and funding priorities.

Sequoia Family Earth Day Workday

Please join other families this Saturday, April 22, for the Sequoia Earth Day workday. Activities are scheduled between 9 a.m. and 12 p.m. We'll be sprucing up the native plant gardens, straightening out the storage container, and other tasks – time permitting. No special skills are required. The more families, the merrier. This is a Dads' Club sponsored event. Contact Brian Dunstan at (510) 206-8876, brian1dunstan@gmail.com or Luke Milich at elemetal2@gmail.com. See you all there.

时间：2017年4月22日，星期六上午9点至11点

地点：红杉金德游乐场

在秋天学校开始之前，来遇见其他家庭，结交新朋友。由带孩子的家庭组织，在红杉加入TK/幼儿园。

Playdate联系人：Marie Jones, marie.s.jones@gmail.com

Khi nào: Thứ Bảy, Ngày 22 tháng 4 năm 2017, 9 am-11am

Địa điểm: Sân chơi Sequoia Kinder

Hãy đến gặp các gia đình khác và kết bạn mới trước khi trường bắt đầu vào mùa thu. Được tổ chức bởi các gia đình có trẻ mới vào TK / Mẫu giáo tại Sequoia.

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