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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

The School of Engineering and Sciences, along with the PTSA, invites you to our Science Night and First Spring Social on Wednesday, April 23, 2008. We are hoping to raise money for science related field trips and other special programs for all SES students. This is a great opportunity to see your child's science project and meet other parents, teachers and SES staff. The event will include a pasta dinner, complete with dinner roll, salad and a drink – all for only \$5 per person. There will also be a bake sale and book faire at the same time. Pre-sale flyers will be sent home with your child by April 8, 2008. There will also be dinners for sale at the door. Please mark your calendars for this event.

Pasta Dinner 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Book Faire 4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Bake Sale 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Science Night 6:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.
(7th & 9th grades will present at the same time)

SES STUDENTS PRESENTED AT CSUS WORKSHOP

A group of students from SES presented a workshop at California State University Sacramento on Interdisciplinary Science Projects which are part of their monthly Science Nights. One of the topics for an earlier Science Night included Aztec/Mayan City Building. Lauren Perez-Travers had chosen this topic for Science Night and a group of students from our school joined her in a presentation at CSUS. The students from our school who presented their science projects at the Leadership Conference included: Elias Bello-Zerpa, Drew Hernandez, Joseph Salazar, Alexia Mendoza, Isaiah Brown, Kayla Costello, Ruben Ramos, and Lauren-Travers-Perez

Two of our students were honored at the conference. Isaiah Brown was honored for his academic achievement and Lauren Perez-Travers for school and community leadership. Congratulations to both of these outstanding students for their accomplishments and recognition.

AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDENT/PARENT LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE AT CSUS

Our 9th grade African American students participated in a full day Leadership Conference on April 4, 2008. The conference was limited to high school students this year by CSUS. We are hoping this conference is expanded next year to include our 7th and 8th grade students as well.

The goal for the conference was to educate students for success in the global economy; motivate students to achieve and exceed high standards; and encourage students to become leaders of their generation.

We are proud that our students participated in this outstanding event.

A message from Ms. Bronstein...

All 7th graders are preparing for the May 5, 2008 CST World History exam by learning about the Renaissance. This is a great time to ask you son/daughter "Who is your favorite Renaissance artist?" The students have been viewing art from Michelangelo and DaVinci, as well as reading portions of Dante's poetry which is found in the textbook. You may even want to pull out a map and have your child show you all the places in Europe he/she dreams of visiting. "What places would you like to visit in Florence, Italy?" is another fun question to ask your child.

So, now's the time to make learning a family adventure. Ask questions at dinner time, turn off the TV to browse the art work together, and create dreams of taking a family vacation to Europe.

NATIONAL ACADEMY FOUNDATION ACADEMY OF ENGINEERING

A team of representatives from the National Academy Foundation visited our school to evaluate us as a potential National Academy of Engineering. A special thanks to the parents who supported our school and took the time from their busy schedules to join our community and business partners to make our visit a success.

CONSTRUCTION CAREER AWARENESS DAY

Our 9th grade students have been invited to the 8th Annual Construction Career Awareness Day hosted by Tiechert Construction. This event is intended to give our students an opportunity to explore the numerous career choices within the construction industry.

MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH CONTEST

We are excited that a team of 7th graders at SES are competing in the Middle School Math Competition, Wednesday, April 16, 2008, at the Serna Center. Our 7th grade team includes DeV Vaughn Ogles, Samantha Hui, Trey Nohren and Rachel Reynolds.

Each school is allowed to take three participants and one alternate. Individual plaques will be given to 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th place winners. Awards will be presented at a Public Schools Week reception on May 30, 2008.

Ms. Healey and our team will do an outstanding job representing our School and we support their success.

TRACK AND FIELD

Coach Respers and Coach Roach have started a small track and field team. We have been practicing for two weeks and have our first meet Friday, April 4th at Kennedy HS. Students will also be competing in several other local area meets including Bronco Distance Carnival on April 11th, the Lodi Meet on April 22nd, the

City Meet at Kennedy on April 25, the Mitchell School meet on April 26, and the City Champs Meet on May 10th. We are excited to be starting an athletic team at SES and look forward to seeing you out there cheering our athletes on.

Go SES!!!!

SES STUDENTS WON HONORS AT THE REGIONAL SCIENCE FAIR

We had an excellent team of students representing SES on Saturday, March 29, 2008 at the Regional Science Fair held at Rosemont High School.

Aaron Guerrero and Lucas Mojonier-Horta received significant recognition for their outstanding Science Fair projects. Aaron won the US Navy award and Lucas received the SMUD award for Best Energy Exhibit.

We had outstanding participation by our students. This was our first competition and Science Fair. Next year we will have a stronger presence and will be better prepared and familiar with the rules and protocols and therefore we are planning to win more awards.

Participants:

Aaron Guerrero	Alex Hansen	Barrett Updegraff
Sam Estigoy	Jack Helmich	Ruben Ramos
Rachel Reynolds	Majestic Dwyer	Elias Indrieri
Zaire Dartis	Ivan Tiet	Aaliyah Peters
Cheyenne Harris	Ryan Peterson	
Lucas Mojonier-Horta	Isaiah Brown	

Thanks to the students from our School who came to cheer and support our team.

Special thanks to the numerous parent volunteers who helped set up for the Science Fair on Friday evening at Rosemont High School. These same parents also spent Saturday morning setting up and supporting our students.

- **Tony Estigoy, Tony Indreiri, Tyron Dwyer, Dawn Dwyer, Kerry Peterson, and Jenifer Mojonier**
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ICE CREAM SUNDAE SOCIAL

The students who participated in the Regional Science Fair will celebrate their outstanding accomplishments on Friday, April 4, 2008. One of our parent volunteers will be providing the Ice Cream Sundae Social at lunch for our participants to celebrate a job well done!

FAMILY SCIENCE NIGHTS

April 23, 2008
7th & 9th Grade Session — 6-7p.m.

Future Dates:

May 21, 2008
7th Grade Session — 6-7p.m.
9th Grade Session — 6-7 p.m.

FIRST SEMESTER ACADEMIC AWARDS

We celebrated our first semester academic awards at our quarterly awards assembly. We are so proud of our students and their outstanding accomplishments for academic success at the semester. The following students are to be commended as follows:

9TH GRADE

Principal's List (3.5 - 4.0 GPA)

- ♥ Joshua Helmich
- ♥ Lawrence Ly
- ♥ Chie Hung Yee
- ♥ Alison Lewis
- ♥ Mary Chew
- ♥ Matthew Funakoshi

Honor Roll (3.0 - 3.49 GPA)

- ♥ Daniel Peterson
- ♥ Traci Devey
- ♥ Alisi Finau
- ♥ Brad Forrer
- ♥ Nico Smith
- ♥ Jordan Wilson

7TH GRADE

Principal's List (4.0 GPA)

- ♥ Sam Estigoy
- ♥ Cameron Fong
- ♥ Nathan Gee
- ♥ Cheyanne Harris
- ♥ Jack Helmich
- ♥ Matthew Huang

7TH GRADE

Principal's List (4.0 GPA) Continued

- ♥ Trey Nohren
- ♥ Christian O'Neil
- ♥ Ryan Peterson
- ♥ Ivan Tiet
- ♥ Patrick Ito-Kiley
- ♥ Emily Ng
- ♥ Matthew Nixon

Principal's List (3.50 - 3.99 GPA)

- ♥ Aaron Ching
- ♥ Mitchel Duncan
- ♥ Alex Hansen
- ♥ Chris Huggins
- ♥ Elias Indrieri
- ♥ Devaughn Ogles
- ♥ Isaiah Brown
- ♥ Samantha Hui
- ♥ Samantha Harry
- ♥ Matthew Metzger
- ♥ Uli Finau
- ♥ Riley Lopez
- ♥ Scott Tanaka
- ♥ Rachel Reynolds
- ♥ Robbie Ehlers
- ♥ Drew Hernandez
- ♥ Jakeen Hingano

Honor Roll (3.0 -3.49 GPA)

- ♥ Majestic Dwyer
- ♥ Alexia Mendoza
- ♥ Aaliyah Peters
- ♥ Brian Yee
- ♥ Ansel Chan
- ♥ Jacob Clark
- ♥ Kayla Costello
- ♥ Lucas Mojonnier-Horta
- ♥ Joseph Salazar
- ♥ Eric Sullaway
- ♥ Barrett Updegraff
- ♥ Shakeel Ali
- ♥ Eric Hutton
- ♥ Mark Cox
- ♥ Johnathan Dickson
- ♥ Aaron Guerrero
- ♥ Ruben Nicorici
- ♥ Sean Tokuno-Hernandez

School of Engineering and Sciences School Calendar

April 2008

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
	1	2 School Site Council Meeting 5:30 p.m.	3	4 Science Fair Ice Cream Social CSUS Field Trip African American Youth Conference
7 *Periods 2, 4 & 6	8 District Advisory Council Meeting @ Serna Center @ 6:30 p.m.	9 School Site Council Training (District Office)	10	11 *Shortened Day— School Ends @ 2:20 PM E-21 HS Reform Presentation at Burbank
14 PTSA General Meeting 6 p.m.	15	16	17 Sacramento Construction Awareness Day & Field Trip	18
21	22	23 *Science Night 6-7 p.m. *Book Fair 4:30-6 p.m. *Spring Fundraiser Dinner/ & Bake Sale 5-6 p.m.	24	25 *Movie Night
28	29	30		