

APG Family Bulletin

1/11/2023

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Upcoming APG Events

- 1/11: PTSA General Meeting, 6:30pm [[Zoom](#)]
1/12: Volleyball Game, 4:00p, APG Gym
Thru 1/15: Sloat Garden Fundraiser for APG Garden
1/16: MLK, Jr. Holiday, No School
1/19: Lunar New Year Family Social
1/23: Lunar New Year Holiday, No School
1/27: Picture Retake Day, Volunteers Needed
2/1: Staff Breakfast [[SIGN UP](#)] *note, this is a Wednesday

[SEE CALENDAR at APGSE.COM](#)

**HELP: 7 PARENT VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO ORGANIZE OUR APG OPEN HOUSE EVENT IN APRIL.
IF INTERESTED, PLEASE EMAIL GianniniPTA@gmail.com TODAY! THANK YOU.**





Wednesday, January 11, 2023

PTSA General Meeting ~ all are welcome

6:30pm - 7:30pm on Zoom

Join us on **Zoom** to hear the latest info from our PTSA Board and Principal Schoeman. We have many important updates ~ you don't want to miss this meeting! This is your chance to ask us any questions as well. See you online tonite at 6:30pm, Weds 1/11!

Athletics Announcements

Girls Volleyball Games

Our Girls Volleyball games begin **January 12, 2023**; cheer on the Jaguars at 4pm at the **APG Gym** (vs. Alice Fong Yu); see schedule [HERE](#).

Track Team

Any students interested in joining the Coed Track Team must submit their physical packet on Home Campus. If you have submitted your physical for another sport, you only need to submit a Parent Consent Form for Track. There are no tryouts and everyone who submits their paperwork can join the team.

Track Team Informational Meeting will be on **Tuesday 1/10/2023 at 4pm** in the APG Library.

Track **Practices will begin on Monday 2/13/2023** at 4pm in the Yard.

Track Team Google Classroom (for students): Please join the [Track Team Google Classroom](#). The class code is: **fewq7aw**

Physical Packets are now being submitted electronically using homecampus.com

Please see [Giannini Athletics Home Campus Digital Instructions 2022-2023](#) for detailed instructions on how to submit the physicals electronically. Even if you have already turned in a physical packet earlier this school year, please submit another one electronically.

All students trying out for any school athletic team(s) must submit an electronic physical packet through homecampus.com prior to the tryout dates. The student-athlete will not be allowed to try out until they have submitted their packet electronically and been cleared by Mr. Cheng.

[APG Physical Packet Information](#)

APG Athletics Website & Tryouts Information

For more information regarding Giannini Athletics, please visit: [APG Athletics Website](#)

Tryouts Information - [APG Athletics Tryout Information](#)

Please email Mr. Cheng (Athletic Director) chengc1@sfusd.edu if you have any questions.

Come Cheer on our Student Athletes!
For all Game Schedules, [please visit the APG Athletics Instagram Account](#) OR
the [CIF Website](#) .

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如何製作麻糬

新年快樂



2023
兔年
慶典



週四
十九
一月

兔年

AP Giannini
食堂

5 TO 6 PM

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註冊

RSVP
HERE

快來和我們一起慶祝農曆新年吧！ 歡迎所有人 - 您無需註冊
BEACON 即可參加此活動。

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Chinese
Food!

LUNAR
NEW YEAR

Mochi
Making
Demo



2023
兔年
慶祝



THU
19
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THE YEAR
OF THE RABBIT

AP Giannini
Cafeteria

5 TO 6 PM

RSVP



HERE

COME JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE LUNAR NEW YEAR!
ALL ARE WELCOME - YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE
ENROLLED IN BEACON TO ATTEND THIS EVENT.

YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL REFEREES NEEDED

2023 SPRING FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE

S a n F r a n c i s c o

Season Begins in March.

Games are on Wednesdays at 4:00 pm.

\$30.00 per game.



Referee Requirements:



- Age 15 or older
- 18 and older background check.
- Proof of vaccination or covid 19 results.
- TB Test results and you will be reimbursed.
- No experience needed, as you will be trained for free.
- Training begins as early as January 2023.

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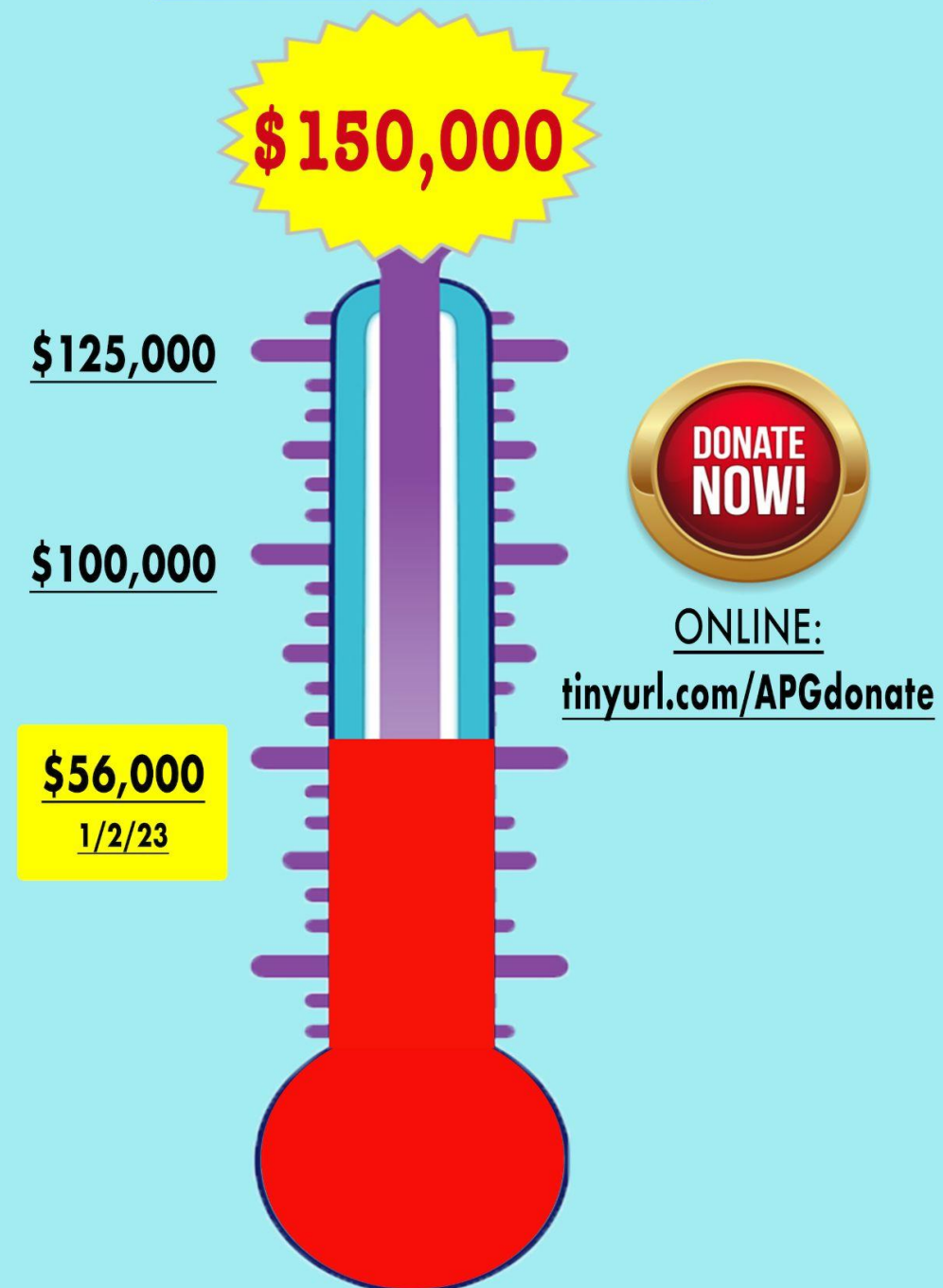


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APG PTSA 2022 -2023
FUNDRAISING GOAL




LET'S DO THIS, JAGUARS!

SFUSD's Student and Family Handbook

SFUSD's updated Student & Family Handbook is available online at sfusd.edu/handbook in English, Arabic, Chinese, Samoan, Spanish, Tagalog and Vietnamese! All languages are available to read online or you can download a PDF version.

Free Dental Screening at UCSF



CNC is a collaboration among faculty, residents, students, and volunteers to provide free preventive treatment to uninsured children 15 years old and under, one night each month. The philosophy of CNC is to provide minimally invasive dentistry (exams, cleanings, fluoride varnish, sealants, and silver diamine fluoride), to educate the primary caregiver and kids on oral health, as well as inform the primary caregiver about insurance and motivate a transition to obtaining DentiCal, ultimately securing a dental home for their children.

- Clinic sessions start January at UCSF, 707 Parnassus Ave.
- Email cnc.ucsf@gmail.com or [make an appointment online](#)
- [Make an appointment](#)
- [Flier in English](#) / [Flier in Spanish](#)

2023 San Francisco Summer Resource Fair

Every spring, the [SF Department of Children, Youth, and their Families](#) and the SF Recreation & Parks Department host a free Citywide Summer Resource Fair that features 100 summer camps, classes, programs, and services for children in grades K-8.

- Date: Saturday, Feb. 11, 2023
- Time: 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- Location: County Fair Building, 1199 9th Avenue, San Francisco
- [Flier - Click Here](#)

The Summer Resource Fair is a great way to start planning the summer for your family, and it's a lot of fun to attend:

The SF Recreation & Parks Department will host tons of family friendly games and good times, you will be able to attend a college savings workshop, there will be lots of interactive activities at exhibitor tables, and there will be giveaways galore!

For more information, visit dcyf.org or call (628) 652-7100.

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SF Youth Theatre Winter Classes for Youth

San Francisco Youth Theatre offers classes for grades pre-K-12th. Classes are offered at an affordable sliding scale, and no youth is turned away for a lack of funds.

To learn more about the theatre's classes, go to

sfyouththeatre.org

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Classes & Workshops
[SEE OUR CLASS CALENDAR HERE](#)

San Francisco Youth Theatre offers classes and performance workshops for youth ages 3-24 years-old. Check out our each class page to learn how we tailor our programs to each age group.

Sliding Scale tuition is always available. No student is turned away for lack of funds. Learn more about our financial aid program [here](#).



Grade PreK - 4

Grade 5 - 10

Grade 10 - College

SFUSD COVID-19 and All Illness Protocol

What to do if your student does not feel well?

If your student is exhibiting any of the symptoms below, please have your student stay home and rest. In order to return to school, your student will need a negative test result for Covid-19. Both PCR/NAAT/molecular and antigen tests are acceptable for testing for Covid-19.

Fever of 100.4° F or higher, body chills/shivers	Sore throat	Shortness of breath	Headache	New loss of smell or taste
Nausea or Vomiting	Diarrhea	Body aches	Fatigue	Cough

What to do if your student tests positive for Covid-19?

SFUSD continues to work with the SF Department of Public Health to implement health and safety protocols to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 in schools. Based on [updated public health guidance](#) on December 31, 2021:

Students and staff who have tested positive for COVID-19 can return after 5 days of isolation if:

- They no longer have a fever, AND
- Their symptoms are getting better, AND
- They have a negative test collected on or after day 5.

Both PCR/NAAT/molecular and antigen tests are acceptable.

To report a positive case:

- Please call 415-660-9850 or email covidreporting@sfusd.edu
- If unable to perform the above, please contact the school directly.

Families may be contacted for further follow up if needed. If you have any questions regarding the SFUSD Covid protocol, please visit webpage [HERE](#) or contact our Principal (SchoemanT@sfusd.edu) or School Nurse, Judy (ZhengJ1@sfusd.edu).

UPDATE: COLOR PCR Testing Extended

COLOR Testing Continues Through March 2023

COLOR self-swab test kits will continue to be available through the end of March, 2023. These are not rapid test kits, but RT-LAMP testing that requires submitting a swab sample to be tested in a clinical lab.

Test kits are available at **school sites (drop off before 10:00am)** and central office locations (drop off before 4:30pm). Pick-up times vary so be sure to check the sticker on the bin to see if samples have been picked up for the day. Testing is not mandatory.

- Please see the [COVID testing options](#) on the SFUSD website for central office locations. Information about testing options for the Spring semester will be provided prior to the winter break.
- For city testing options, please visit sf.gov/drop-testing.

Updated: ABSENCES, EARLY DISMISSAL, & LATE ARRIVAL PROTOCOL

Absences

1. To report an absence, please call our Counseling Office at **415-759-2773** or email our attendance clerk, **Stacey Dawson**, at dawsons@sfusd.edu
2. Written notes or emails from parents will be required for excusing absences.
 - a. Notes should include:
 - i. Date of Note, Student Name & Grade, Dates of Absence, Reason for Absence, Parent Name & Signature
3. Students should drop off written notes to the counseling office the day they return back to school.

Please allow a few days for attendance to be updated on the attendance system. Thanks for your patience.

Early Dismissal

It is recommended that medical, dental, or other appointments be scheduled after school, on school holidays, or during vacation periods.

1. **Obtaining a permit to leave pass in advance:** Please have your child come to the counseling office to pick up a Permit to Leave Pass before school, start of school or after school with a written note or email to attendance clerk Stacey Dawson at dawsons@sfusd.edu.
 - a. Students without a written note or email from a parent will not be allowed to leave the school campus. Parents will be called to verify.
2. **Parents on-site pick up:** Please sign out your child using the sign-out book. Counselor or secretary will call students out of class. We recommend that parents **do not** come during school lunch hours as it is hard to find students ([see bell schedule](#)).

Late Arrival to School - Tardies

1. **Students who arrive late** to school should first go to the Counseling Office (room 231) to obtain a tardy pass, then they go to their class with their pass.
2. **Excusing Tardies:** Students should bring a written note to the Counseling Office from their parent **or** a note from their medical provider, especially if their parent are not with the student during drop-off.



School Safety Reminder



Please do not block our school buses or Muni buses during morning drop-off or afternoon pick-up times every day from 9:15-9:35am and 3:45-4:10pm; and, 2:00-2:20pm on Wednesdays.

The parking lots are for STAFF use only; please do not use them for student drop-off/pick-up as our staff are trying to arrive/park or leave safely every day.

Be sure to STOP at all the Stop Signs and slow down near the crosswalks!

Please remind your student(s) to use marked crosswalks to cross all the streets near school.

We do not have enough staff to manage or supervise all of the school front drop-off or pick-up areas at APG; we welcome parent/caregiver volunteers to help us at those times - [email Mr. Backstrom](#).

