

# APG PTSA Community Newsletter · 3/13/2023

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Happy Monday! Quick reminder to please consider serving on our PTSA Board in 2023-24. Apply at our [NOMINATION FORM](#) and read about the [ROLES](#) by 3/23 if you'd like to make a difference at APG. Don't miss the chance to join our PTSA Board ~ without our PTSA, we can't support our students and staff next school year! Thanks so much for your time!

Have you taken our APG SSC/PTSA Survey yet? Please take a few minutes to fill it out online today and by 3/15: [SURVEY](#). Your response will help our School Site Council plan which programs/areas will get funded at APG in 2023-24. Thanks!

We're excited about our Bike & Garden Day this Saturday, 3/18 and hope to see many of our families and staff at the event ~ RSVP or volunteer on the [GOOGLE FORM](#). Stay tuned for info about our Raffle Ticket sales later this week. We'd love more items for our Staff Breakfast on 4/7; please [SIGN UP HERE](#). Thank you!

Have you donated to our school yet? We hope EVERY APG FAMILY will contribute to our [JAG FUND](#) to help us reach our goal of \$150,000 in support of our amazing public school. Did you get our NEW Jaguar gear designed by students? [Purchase them online](#) today! As always, you can check out the latest events on our [CALENDAR](#)! We also share regular updates on our [WEBSITE](#), [INSTAGRAM](#) and [FACEBOOK](#).

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## EVENTS & [CALENDAR](#)

★ [SUBSCRIBE TO APG CALENDAR](#) ★

Ongoing: [Donate directly to the Jag Fund](#)

3/15: Survey for APG SSC/PTSA [\[SURVEY\]](#); Flag Football Game, 4p, Vis Valley

3/16: Track Team Meet, 4p, Lowell

3/17: Raffle begins! Over a dozen prizes; Happy St. Patrick's Day

3/18: Bike & Garden Day, APG Yard & Garden, 9a-2p – RSVP and VOLUNTEER

[\[FORM\]](#); District Choral Festival, 1p, Golden Gate Bandshell

3/23: Family Social; Drama Department Spring Plays [\[TICKETS\]](#)

3/24: Last day for PTSA Board Nominations [\[FORM\]](#)

3/27 - 3/31: Spring Break, No School

4/7: Staff Breakfast, items needed [\[SIGN UP\]](#); CMEA for Choir & Band

4/12: PTSA General Meeting, 6:30p ~ Election, Straw Budget, Zoom

4/15: Citywide Youth Arts Festival

4/22: Open House, parent & student VOLUNTEERS needed [\[EMAIL\]](#)

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## VOLUNTEER TODAY!

### ★ PTSA BOARD & CHAIR POSITIONS ~ JOIN US TODAY ★

We are looking for NEW PTSA BOARD MEMBERS FOR the 2023-24 school year! If interested, [please email us](#) today and read about the positions [\[ROLES\]](#)! The [Nomination FORM is HERE](#) and the Election will be held on April 12th. Time commitments range from 3-8 hours a month. Thanks for your consideration and stepping up to make a difference at our school!

★ **BICYCLE & GARDEN DAY** ★ Join us for our March 18th Bike & Garden Day, 9a-2p! [RSVP HERE](#) ahead of the event. We'll be getting our school garden ready for Spring and are hosting three bicycle community non-profits to help tune-up and ride bikes. Volunteers needed to help that day, please [respond on our Google Form](#). Coffee and light snacks will be served. Hope to see you there! Thanks!

★ **OPEN HOUSE TEAM** ★ We would like more parent/caregiver, staff and student VOLUNTEERS to help organize our Open House event on April 22nd, 10:00a-3:30p. [EMAIL US](#) if interested. The event runs 11a-3p and we are excited to have prospective families visit APG and get to know more about our wonderful community.

★ **STAFF BREAKFASTS** ★ We need many treats + coffee for our monthly staff breakfasts on 4/7 and 5/5 ~ let's keep our wonderful staff well-fueled to teach our students and show our appreciation for them. [SIGN UP](#)

★ **JOIN OUR PTSA** ★ Join as a [PTSA Member](#) today! We hope to have 300 members total and so far we have **200** members this year. Let's do this - [join today!](#)

★ **SCHOOL GARDEN & CHICKEN CARE** ★ We would love more volunteers to join our Garden Team, as well as help with Chicken & Garden Care next school year! For more information, please [email Katie Wadley \(chickens\)](#) and [Sara Brown \(garden\)](#).

★ **LOG YOUR HOURS** ★ Log your volunteer hours every month! In order to keep our APG PTSA organization's non-profit status; we track all volunteer hours on [THIS FORM](#).

Thank you for considering all the volunteer opportunities to help our APG community ~ your time is greatly appreciated! Together, we can make a big difference!



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MIDDLE SCHOOL  
PTSA · 家长教师学生会**

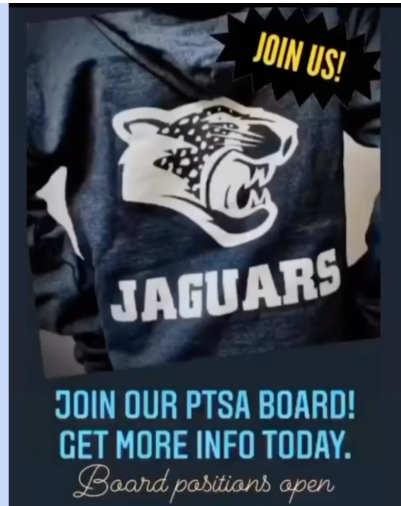
**2023 APG PTSA Board Nomination Form**

We invite you to nominate yourself or other PTSA members to join our fabulous 2023-2024 APG PTSA Board by March 24, 2023. The open positions are listed below. All positions have one-year terms and range from 2 to 10 hours of commitment each month.

Elections will be held during the PTSA general meeting on April 12, 2023 at 6:30pm. We expect all nominees to attend the election meeting (held via Zoom). If you are nominating someone else, please remember to ask your nominee first before submitting their name on this form. Thanks!

Note: To be eligible, a nominee must have been a current PTSA member for at least 30 days prior to the Election. This means the deadline for a nominee to join the APG PTSA is March 10, 2023. To become a member, visit <https://jointotem.com/ca/san-francisco/a-p-giannini-middle-school-ptsa> (it's \$10 membership fee, and there is a \$1 convenience fee thru TOTEM).

Here is some information about the primary duties of APG's PTSA board members: <https://bit.ly/2t14qBj>. If you have questions about any particular position(s), please let us know!



**JOIN OUR PTSA BOARD!  
GET MORE INFO TODAY.**

*Board positions open*

**Nomination Form  
[forms.gle/kkBrfJNaX228GoJJ6](https://forms.gle/kkBrfJNaX228GoJJ6)**

HOSTED BY APG BEACON AND THE APG PTSA



**AP GIANNINI BIKE  
AND GARDEN DAY**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 18TH  
9AM-2PM**



**FREE BIKE TUNE-UPS AND REPAIRS  
PREPARE OUR GARDEN FOR SPRING  
SNACKS AND COFFEE  
MEET OUR CHICKENS**

DO YOU HAVE SUCCULENTS TO SHARE? BRING SUCCULENT CLIPPINGS TO BEAUTIFY THE APG GROUNDS!





## APG OPEN HOUSE ~ APRIL 22, 2023

We need Parent, Student and Staff Volunteers to make our upcoming Open House event on 4/22 a big success for our community. Please [EMAIL US](#) today at [GianniniPTA@gmail.com](mailto:GianniniPTA@gmail.com) if you can help out anytime between 10:00am to 3:30pm on 4/22. Thank you!

**A. P. GIANNINI MIDDLE SCHOOL**

**Open House**



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## DONATE

★ [JAG FUND](#) ★ We NEED HELP from EVERY ONE OF OUR 1,150 APG FAMILIES to [donate](#) to our public school. **We've raised \$85,000 so far and hope EVERY FAMILY will help us reach our goal of \$150,000 for this year.** Please visit our [FUNDRAISING PAGE](#) and [donate](#) any amount you're able to give; every dollar goes to programs and events this Spring for our 1,200 students & 129 staff! If you work at a company that will match your donation to APG, we hope you can make a match request to further your support (Tax ID #94-3104531). We appreciate your help to raise the much-needed funds so we may continue to support our students, teachers, and school community. Make a [donation today!](#) Questions? [EMAIL US](#) anytime. Thank you!



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## GEAR

Our awesome NEW TEES designed by our students are selling out quickly! Show us your school spirit, Jaguars! [PURCHASE YOUR GEAR](#) online anytime. We have three new t-shirt designs, cozy beanies, sweatshirts, sweatpants, tees, bags, and more! Orders get processed every 2 weeks by our awesome Gear Co-Chairs. [EMAIL GEAR CHAIRS](#) with any questions.



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## ATHLETICS

★ [GAME SCHEDULES](#) ★ Check out the Track meet schedule below or on our APG Athletics [INSTAGRAM](#) account. We welcome families and staff to attend our athletic games and cheer on our student athletes! Students are welcome to join the [Track Team Google Classroom](#). The class code is: fewq7aw.

Please email Mr. Cheng (AGP's Athletic Director) at [chengc1@sfusd.edu](mailto:chengc1@sfusd.edu) if you have any questions. **Let's go, Jaguars!**

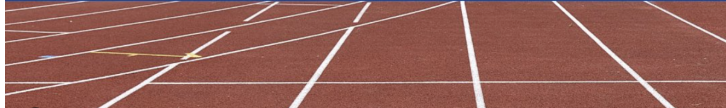
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## APG TRACK MEET SCHEDULE

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3/9 vs. Visitacion Valley	📍 Kezar Stadium
3/16 vs. Fong Yu	📍 Lowell
3/22 Jump Meet vs. Presidio	📍 Presidio MS
3/24 vs. Presidio	📍 Kezar Stadium
4/7 vs. Aptos	📍 Lowell
4/13 vs. Hoover	📍 SOTA
4/24 All-City Trials	📍 Kezar Stadium
4/25 All-City Trials	📍 Kezar Stadium
4/26 All-City Trials	📍 Kezar Stadium
4/28 All-City Finals	📍 Kezar Stadium

Regular season meets (except 3/22 Jump Meet) start at 4pm.  
3/22 Jump Meet starts at 3:30pm.  
All-City Trials & Finals start at 3pm.



## BEACON

★ [JOIN BEACON](#) ★ Spots open! Students are welcome to join our Beacon Afterschool program. The program runs Monday/Tuesday/Thursday/Friday, 4:00-7:00 PM; Wednesday, 2:15-6:00 PM. [REGISTER HERE](#) for \$300/year or may be free for families who qualify.

★ [FAMILY SOCIAL](#) ★ Please join our family social on March 23rd!

★ [FLAG FOOTBALL](#) ★ Cheer on our Flag Football team at their games this Spring!

**2023 FLAG FOOTBALL SCHEDULE**

Event	Time	Date	Opponent
JAMBOREE	(3:00)	FEBRUARY 22ND	EVERETT MIDDLE SCHOOL
M.L.K	(4:00)	MARCH 8TH	BURTON HIGH SCHOOL
VIS VALLEY	(4:00)	MARCH 15TH	VIS VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL
JAMES LICK	(4:00)	MARCH 22ND	JAMES LICK MIDDLE SCHOOL
BYE WEEK		APRIL 3RD - 7TH	NO GAME
KIPP	(3:30)	APRIL 12TH	MLK MIDDLE SCHOOL
<b>PLAYOFFS</b>			
ROUND 1	(4:00)	APRIL 19TH	TBD
ROUND 2	(4:00)	APRIL 26TH	TBD
SEMI FINALS	(4:00)	MAY 3RD	TBD
ALL-STAR GAME	(4:00)	MAY 10TH	BURTON HIGH SCHOOL
CHAMPIONSHIP	(4:00)	MAY 17TH	MISSION HIGH

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## SFUSD

COVID-19 update from the district: [ANNOUNCEMENT](#) & [VIDEO](#) .

The bivalent booster was made available last September and anyone 6 months and older are eligible for the booster: [ARTICLE](#) .

CDC guidelines on what to do if exposed/test positive: [SEE INFO HERE](#)

CA's State of Emergency ended Feb 28th: [KQED ARTICLE](#)

The new SFUSD school 2023-24 Calendar is now available [ONLINE](#) and the first day of school is Wednesday, August 16, 2023.

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## LINKS

PTSA Website: [apgsf.com](http://apgsf.com)

Instagram Page: [instagram.com/apg\\_middle\\_school\\_ptsa](https://www.instagram.com/apg_middle_school_ptsa)

Facebook Page: [facebook.com/APGSF](https://www.facebook.com/APGSF)

PTSA Calendar: [apgsf.com/calendar](http://apgsf.com/calendar) | Subscribe to Calendar: [bit.ly/apg-cal](https://bit.ly/apg-cal)

Donate to APG: [tinyurl.com/APGdonate](https://tinyurl.com/APGdonate)

Join the APG PTSA: [tinyurl.com/joinAPG](https://tinyurl.com/joinAPG)

APG Gear Shop: [gear.apgsf.com](https://gear.apgsf.com)

Join the APG family Google Group: [bit.ly/apg-subscribe](https://bit.ly/apg-subscribe)

Join the WeChat Group: [wechat@apgsf.com](mailto:wechat@apgsf.com) [CHINESE]

School Website: [sfusd.edu/school/ap-giannini-middle-school](https://sfusd.edu/school/ap-giannini-middle-school)

APG Arts Winter Newsletter: [canva.com](https://canva.com)

Beacon Website: [www.apgbeacon.org](http://www.apgbeacon.org)

Athletics Webpage:

[www.sfusd.edu/school/ap-giannini-middle-school/students/athletics](https://www.sfusd.edu/school/ap-giannini-middle-school/students/athletics)

[SFUSD Academic Calendar](#) ~ for the 2023-24 school year

[SFUSD Public Announcements](#) ~ school district announcements and email signup

**Thank you for reading our PTSA Newsletter! Let's go,  
Jaguars!**