APG PTSA Community E-Newsletter · 1/23/2024

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Hello APG Community! Please mark your calendar for our upcoming PTSA meeting tomorrow, Wednesday, 1/24 at 6:30pm over <u>Zoom</u>. We'll have announcements from Principal Schoeman, a PTSA financial update and more. Hope to see you there!

EVENTS & CALENDAR

★ SUBSCRIBE TO OUR APG CALENDAR ★

1/24: General PTSA Meeting, Via ZOOM Link, 6:30pm, All welcome! (Next Meetings: 3/13 & 4/24)

1/24: SFUSD Virtual Town Hall 5-7pm regarding 8th Grade Algebra 1 over ZOOM

1/25: APG Prospective Student Tour 9:30-11:15am; THANK YOU to our Volunteers!

1/28: Garden Workday, 9am-2pm, Drop-in, All welcome!

2/2: Deadline to enroll for SFUSD Schools, 2024-25 Main Round [Website]

2/6: Campus Cleanup: Meet at 4pm at APG Main Entrance. All Welcome!

2/7: Staff Breakfast [PLEASE DONATE FOOD/COFFEE]

2/9: Lunar New Year Holiday, No School

2/12: APG Track Team practice begins (more info below)

2/19: Presidents' Day Holiday, No School

2/22 & 2/23: Frozen, The Musical, presented by APG Choir & Drama Departments

Campus Cleanup: first Tuesday every month, 4pm, All welcome, Meet at APG Main Door by

Ramp. Next Cleanup: Tues. Feb 6th!

Get updates on our PTSA CALENDAR, WEBSITE, INSTAGRAM and FACEBOOK.

DONATE + FUNDRAISERS

★ IAG FUND ★



Please <u>DONATE</u> to our school's most important fundraiser. Every dollar supports programs, supplies, and events for our 1300+ students & staff! Donate by <u>PayPal</u> or Check [to "AP Giannini PTA"; drop off in office].

MATCH: If your company will match your donation, please make a match request (Tax ID #94-3104531).

GOAL: Our goal is \$125,000 for our school. We <u>suggest a donation of \$500 Per Student</u> (or \$50/month for the school year). Please give any amount you can, and of course donating is 100% voluntary.

The JAG FUND supports: Classroom Libraries • Teaching Materials • Staff Appreciation • Classroom Improvements • Supplies for Students • P.E. Uniforms • Department Grants • Online Program Subscriptions • School Beautification • Outdoor Science & Garden • And More!

★ CLOTHING NEEDED! ★ The Wellness Center needs spare clothing for students – especially pants in adult sizes M, L, XL. Drop off donations in the Main Office or Wellness Center. Thanks!

★ GRADUATION LEIS ★ 8th Grade parents, an APG Lei is a great way to celebrate your student at graduation while supporting your school! Prices range from \$10 - \$50.

Order HERE!



VOLUNTEER

★ CAMPUS CLEAN UP 2/6 ★ Help keep our school grounds beautiful! First Tuesday of Every Month at 4pm. We'll meet at the APG main entrance on the ramp. All supplies provided. Students, siblings & parents welcome. This is a fun, easy way to take positive action for our school, meet other families and enjoy our school campus. Please join us! Questions? Email APG parent Annie Nogg.

★ STAFF BREAKFAST 2/7 ★ We need donations of food & coffee and volunteers for our monthly APG staff appreciation breakfast. Please <u>SIGN UP ONLINE</u>. Items should be dropped off between 8:00-8:15am at the office front desk or the garden before staff arrives at 8:30am for breakfast. Next dates: 3/6, 4/5, 5/3. Questions? <u>Email Hospitality Chairs, Terah and Mandy</u>.

★ GARDEN & CHICKEN CARE ★ Help with Chicken & Garden Care at school! For more info, please email Ruben Diaz and Sara Brown (garden educator). And drop in at our next Garden Workday to help spruce up our school garden: Sun 1/28 9am-2pm. All welcome!

★ PTSA BOARD & CHAIR POSITIONS ~ JOIN US TODAY ★

We still need a volunteer for <u>8th Grade End-of-Year Events!</u> If interested, <u>please email us</u> today or fill out the <u>Nomination FORM HERE</u>.

We also need a Spring Open House Chair & Chinese WeChat Group Chair. Fill the form HERE!

★ JOIN OUR PTSA ★ <u>Sign up online</u> at <u>tinyurl.com/joinAPG</u> to become a 2023-24 **PTSA Member** today! Let's build community with at least 250 members this school year.

Thank you for supporting our APG community. Together, we can make a big difference!

ARTS

The Choir & Drama Departments Present:



Mark your calendars for our Spring Musical. Frozen!

Th Feb 22 @ 4:30

Fri Feb 23 @ 7pm

In the APG Auditorium

More info to come!









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ATHLETICS

APG Track Team

Track Practices will start on Monday 2/12 in the Upper Yard.

In order to be eligible to join the team, you must be cleared on Home Campus prior to the tryout dates.

Interested? Join the Giannini Track 2024 Google Classroom. Class code: cirha7k

Come Cheer on our Girls Volleyball Jaguars!

Next home game: Wed 1/31 4pm vs. Roosevelt in the gym Find the full Schedule HERE

APG Athletics WEBPAGE & TRYOUTS & INSTAGRAM

Submit physicals via HomeCampus INFO

IOIN the Athletics Google Classroom for all updates! [code: jefixvf]

Note: To be eligible to try out for any APG sports teams, students must get their physical <u>check-up</u> completed & submitted via HomeCampus before the tryout date.

Questions? Contact APG Athletic Co-Directors, Mr. Cheng at chengc1@sfusd.edu OR Mr. Alfaro at alfaroii.c@sfusd.edu

BEACON

Beacon serves all APG students with programs, social-emotional support, parent engagement and community resources. Sign up for the APG Beacon Newsletter HERE.

News & Events:

• Homework Center: Every Tue/Thur 4-4:45pm • Wed 2:15-3pm • Beacon Media Lab (Rm 130) Homework center is a space for ALL students to drop in to do homework. Computers and study materials are available, as well as a staff member to support them.

Students who want to participate but are not registered Beacon students must fill out a consent form and turn it in on their first visit. Consent Forms available in the Beacon Office (Room 130)

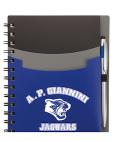
GEAR

New gear available! <u>Gear can be purchased online</u> (<u>gear.apgsf.com</u>). Orders processed every 2 weeks and will be in the office for pick up or delivered to your student's advisory. Questions? <u>EMAIL OUR GEAR CHAIRS</u>, Jason & Carrie.









SFUSD

SFUSD offers helpful technology resources for families. Learn more HERE

The SFUSD 2023-24 School Calendar is available ONLINE in multiple languages.

All school meals are free to all students in the 2023-24 school year. SEE MENUS

For all SFUSD Announcements: CLICK HERE

LINKS

PTSA Website: apgsf.com

Instagram: instagram.com/apg_middle_school_ptsa

Facebook: facebook.com/APGSF

PTSA Calendar: appgsf.com/calendar | Subscribe to Calendar: bit.ly/appg-calendar

Donate to APG: <u>tinyurl.com/APGdonate</u>
Join the APG PTSA: <u>tinyurl.com/joinAPG</u>

APG Gear Shop: gear.apgsf.com

Join the APG PTSA Google Group to get updates: bit.ly/apg-subscribe

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

School Website: sfusd.edu/school/ap-giannini-middle-school

Beacon Website: www.apgbeacon.org
Arts Newsletter: Winter 2023 Newsletter

APG Athletics: 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 the PTSA Newsletter! Let's go, Jaguars!