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Manzanita Elementary School

News and Notes

News and Notes is a monthly publication focused on providing parents with necessary information to help insure their child's success at Manzanita School. Please check out www.manzanitaelementaryschool.com

Great things continue to happen at Manzanita!

Dates to Remember

Mon. 8/26/13		First Day of School
Mon. 9/2/13		Labor Day - No School
Tues. 9/3/13		Back to School Night (Gr. K-5)
Wed. 9/4/13		Back to School Night (Gr. 6-8)
Wed. 9/11/13	6:00 p.m.	Booster Club Meeting
Wed. 9/11/13	7:00 p.m.	School Board Meeting

Booster Club

The Booster Club is holding its first meeting of the year on Wednesday, September 11th, at 6:00 p.m. in room 2. All parents are welcome!

School Minimum Days

August 30th, September 3rd, 6th, 13th, 21st and 27th

Students are released at 1:30 p.m.

No school - September 2, 2013 - Labor Day

We hope this information will help you in making plans for your family

First Day of School

Monday - August 26, 2013

School starts at 8:20 a.m.

The bus will be running on the first day of school.

Class rosters will be posted on the office window on Monday, August 19, 2013 with your child's teacher and room number.

Manzanita Elementary School, an innovative K-8 single school district set in an agricultural setting, graduates confident, responsible entrepreneurial learners with strong academic and personal life skills who are empowered to direct their futures; we accomplish this through engaging, dynamic, instruction delivered within a safe and caring environment using relevant technologies and a rigorous curriculum in a student-centered partnership with family, community and a passionate, extraordinary staff.

STAR Testing

Enclosed is your student's state testing report (grades 2-8) and the 2013 Guide to Your STAR Student Report. This is a report that will explain your child's academic performance on state tests he/she took this past spring. If you would like to talk to Mr. Roberts, his door is always open. Please stop by and share your praises or concerns.

First Day Packets

On the first day of school "one per family" packets will be sent home with your oldest child. Each packet will contain all the paperwork you will need to complete for each child in your family. Please have your child return it directly to the office by Friday, August 30th. Also, please make sure that all documents are complete and include all the necessary signatures and dates.



Kindergarten Students

All kindergarten parents are welcomed to arrive at school to escort your child into their classroom when the first bell rings at 8:17 a.m. See you on August 26th!



Included with this newsletter are supply lists for all grade levels.

You will be contacted by your child's teacher, either by mail or the first week of school, regarding additional materials for specific classes. Student supply lists can also be obtained at the Manzanita Elementary School web site:

www.manzanitaelementaryschool.com

School Calendar

The 2013/2014 Manzanita School Calendar is in the Student Handbook that your student will bring home on the first day of school. It is also available on our school website at:

www.manzanitaelementaryschool.com.

On the left, click on "School/Administrative Information", then click on "Calendar".