

Camorado Springs Middle School



Weekly Student Bulletin/April 26, 2010

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

WICKED FIELD TRIP: All students who are attending the "Wicked" field trip on Wednesday need to eat lunch during 6th grade lunch and then head to the bus yard to board the bus. Don't forget to bring money for dinner and wear dressy clothes. If you have any questions, please see Mrs. Fong. A list of students attending is attached to this bulletin.

8th GRADERS—HIGH SCHOOL COMPUTER LITERACY CHALLENGE EXAM: If you are interested in taking the computer literacy challenge exam that would excuse you from taking computer applications next year, come to the office to pick up information regarding what the test covers and how to sign up. The exam will be held on June 8 at Union Mine or on June 9 at Oak Ridge. Registration is now open and space is limited.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE: Students earning "almost perfect" attendance (three or less absences) in the third trimester will have their names entered into a drawing for a new mountain bike! There will be one girl and one boy winner.

EIGHTH GRADE PROMOTION INFORMATION: The promotion letter needs to be signed and returned to your American Studies teacher by April 30. Remember, in order to participate in the activities, you must maintain passing grades, have good citizenship and maintain good attendance.

Change in Date!!! There will be a planning meeting for parents interested in helping with all promotion activities **tonight**, April 26, at 6:30 pm in the school library. Encourage your parents to attend.

8th GRADE THEME VOTING: Your American Studies teachers will be having you vote on the promotion theme this week!

NEON DANCE: NOTE DATE CHANGE! Our next school dance is set for Friday, May 7. This dance is open to 6th, 7th, and 8th graders. If you already bought a ticket, hold onto it. It will still be good for the dance date change. More tickets will be sold the week of the dance. If you can't go due to the date change, see Mrs. Fong in room 5 and she can give you a refund of your money. Students must have an average of 80 merits and not be on the library restriction list to attend. Students must get the back of the ticket signed by a parent or guardian as permission to enter the dance. The theme of the dance is NEON and glow bracelets will be passed out to all who attend. Come and get your glow on!

Please review the dance rules/policies attached to this bulletin.

BOOK ORDERS: June Scholastic book orders are due by May 25 to the library.

YEARBOOK: Our yearbook order has gone into the publisher, and as of right now there are only 85 books left to sell. They will be sold on a first come, first serve basis. Until the first of May, you need to order your book online. If you would rather pay cash for your book, you can see Mr. Cochran in rooms 12 or 40. When the books are handed out in June, there is always a rush on buying books. This year it's possible that we

could be very close to sold out by the time we hand out the books. If you want a great yearbook, order soon so you won't be left out.

CLUBS/COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

CAMPAIGN FOR KIDS: To help support our parent club who helps to support our teachers, our parent club will be selling "Summer Fun Cards." The card has 30 different activities for you and your family to enjoy. There are over \$300 worth of admissions and discounts for only \$5.00. 50% of the money raised in our school will go back to our school. The order forms will be made available starting today in your study period class. Orders are due by Tuesday, May 4. You make your checks payable to Camerado Springs Parent Club.

INTENSIVE SUMMER ENRICHMENT EXPERIENCE: The El Dorado County Office of Education and the El Dorado Center of Folsom Lake College are excited to announce the Intensive Summer Enrichment Experience for students who are finishing 6th, 7th, or 8th grade in the spring of 2010. This is an amazing summer school opportunity taught by local, experienced teachers and designed for middle school students who are interested in taking enrichment classes in the areas of language arts, computer science, social science, math/engineering and the arts.

Classes begin on June 21st and run for two weeks ending July 1st. Registration material and information are available in our library or in our office.

RACHEL'S CHALLENGE/CHAINLINKS CLUB: Meets Tuesdays in Rm 17 for the first 15 minutes of lunch. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

FIDDLESTICKS will meet as follows: 6th grade, Friday, Room 37, during lunch; 7th grade, Thursday, Room 17, during lunch; and 8th grade, Friday, Room 3, during lunch.

HOMEWORK CLUB/SOLUTIONS/DETENTION

ALGEBRA TUTORING: Any 8th grader in need of some extra help in algebra is invited to attend Algebra Tutoring every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 7:10 to 7:40 in the library. The tutoring is led by Mr. Shupe.

6th GRADE (ONLY) AFTER SCHOOL HOMEWORK CLUB/Solutions: Solutions will be held on April 29 from 2:10 to 3:10 pm in Room 29 with Mr. Smith. Transportation is available. Please let the Solutions teacher know if you need to catch the bus.

7th AND 8th GRADE SOLUTIONS: Solutions will be held on April 29 from 2:10 to 3:10 in the library with Mrs. Cheatham. Please let the Solutions teacher know if you need to catch the bus.

DETENTION: Detention will be held on Tuesday, April 20, in Room 17 from 2:10 – 3:10.

SPORTS

TRACK AND FIELD PRACTICE SCHEDULE:

Monday, April 26	2:15 to 3:30
Wednesday, April 28	1:30 to 2:45
Thursday, April 29	League Trials at Vista del Lago at 4:30.

CAMERADO SPRINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

SCHOOL DANCE POLICIES

Camerado Springs dances are held in the multi-purpose room from 2:30 to 5:00pm

Due to the popularity of our school dances, it is time to remind students and parents of some school policies regarding dance behavior and rules.

- *Students must enter the dance no later than 15 minutes after the door opens unless accompanied by a parent or unless prior approval has been granted.*
- *Students must have a ticket with a parent signature to enter.*
- *Tickets are non-transferrable to other students.*
- *Tickets will not be sold the day of the dance.*
- *Students must have an average of 80 merits and not be on the library restriction list in order to attend the dance.*
- *If a student has to leave early, a parent must come to the multi-purpose room to pick up the student.*
- *School dress code applies to dances.*
- *Students must remain in designated areas at all times.*
- *Food and/or drinks must remain in the snack bar area.*
- *Students must be picked up within 15 minutes of the conclusion of the dance.*
- *Use of cell phones will be restricted during the dance.*

In an effort to reinforce dance etiquette and an appropriate atmosphere for middle school dances, sexual dance moves will not be permitted. The following rules will be enforced at the dance:

- *Students are expected to face their partner at all times (no back to front motions).*
- *Adequate space must be maintained between partners.*
- *Students may not engage in "moshing".*
- *Students may break dance as long as there is adequate space and prior approval has been obtained.*

Students in violation of one of the above rules may be asked to sit out or to call parents to be picked up from the dance.