



Freshwater Weekly Bulletin

May 22, 2017

Upcoming Events & Activities

May 25	Spring Concert – 6:30 p.m. - Gymnasium
May 29	MEMORIAL DAY – NO SCHOOL
May 31	Volunteer Appreciation Day – 7:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. – Multipurpose Room Sponsored by Freshwater Community Club (See Flyer Coming Home Today)
June 1	Early Dismissal – 12:30 p.m. – Grades K-8
June 2	Folk Dance Festival – 1:00 p.m.
June 5	Fall Festival Meeting – 5:30 p.m. – Conference Room
June 5	Community Club Meeting – 6:00 p.m. (Conference Rm.) *Note Time Change
June 6	Board Meeting – 6:00 p.m. – Conference Room
June 8	Board Meeting – 6:00 p.m. – Conference Room
June 7-8-9	8 th Grade Trip to San Francisco
June 12	Field Day (Grades K-3)
June 13	Field Day (Grades 4-8)
June 14	Sixth Grade Promotion – 1:30 p.m. – Auditorium
June 15	Eighth Grade Graduation – 7:00 p.m. - Gymnasium
June 16	Last Day of School – Dismissal at 12:30 p.m. (Grades K-8)
	Please check Lost and Found Items – Going to Good Will Last Day of School!!

Please check out our website for up-to-date information on calendar, menu, and special events!

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SPORTS PARTICIPATION PHYSICALS (Grades 4-7): Please watch for letter and papers being sent home today regarding students interesting in playing sports in the fall! Thank you!

FEF NEWS: The Freshwater Educational Foundation (FEF) would like to invite your business to participate in our annual Dolphin Discount Card Fundraiser for the 2017-18 school year. We are hoping to get a number of local businesses to participate by offering small deals and discounts to those who present a Dolphin Discount Card. Our foundation provides scholarships, after-school enrichment classes, family entertainment nights, school technological and educational needs, and much more for the Freshwater community and beyond. This is a wonderful opportunity to help local students as well as provide continuous positive advertising for your business. If you would like to be a part of this fundraising program, please contact Lillian Scofield by phone (707-499-5772) or e-mail (Lillscofield@hotmail.com). Thank you!

LUNCH CHARGES: As we wind down the school year, there are some lunch charges that have not been paid. Please pay all outstanding charges by June 2. After June 2, students will not be allowed to charge lunches. Thank you!

COME ONE, COME ALL TO THE FIRST FALL FESTIVAL PLANNING METING: Rebecca Pardoe and Christina Bacca-Lastra are, once again, chairing this year's Fall Festival and welcome anyone who wants to help! The next meeting will be at Freshwater School on Monday, June 5, at 5:30 p.m., preceding the Community Club Meeting. We are open to any new ideas to make this year's event better than ever! If you are unable to attend the meeting, but want to help, please contact Rebecca Pardoe at rapardoe@aol.com.

CHANGE OF TIME FOR FRESHWATER COMMUNITY CLUB MEETING: Please note that the Freshwater Community Club will hold its June meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, June 5.

STAFF ASSIGNMENTS FOR 2017-2018: Our staff assignments for next year will be as follows:

Kindergarten: Mrs. McNeill and Mrs. Reiske

1st Grade: Ms. Gilbride and Long-Term Sub/Mrs. Cookman

2nd Grade: Ms. Liebig and Mrs. Stoker

3rd Grade: Ms. Holmberg **3rd/4th Grade:** Mrs. Hummel **4th Grade:** Mr. Davies

4th/5th Grade: Mr. Eagle **5th/6th Grade:** Mr. Pierce **6th Grade:** Ms. Rush

7th Grade: Ms. Jones **8th Grade:** Mr. Haller

HUMBOLDT TRI-KIDS TRIATHLON: This event is for youth ages 7-18. Participants may enter as an individual or as a member of a 2 or 3 person relay team. Registration deadline is June 2. See <http://trikids.com> for more information.

PLEASE KEEP OUR STUDENTS SAFE! We have continued concerns about unsafe driving in our parking lots. For the safety of our students, we are asking parents to be careful and exercise caution when dropping off and picking up students at Freshwater School. **In the front parking lot, a single lane is to be used for drop-off in the morning, which is the right hand lane nearest the curb.** In the afternoon, two lanes may be used with teachers walking students to cars in the second lane. **Some students are getting dropped off in the outside lane in the morning and dangerously running out in front of the cars in the drop-off lane nearest the curb. Please be patient and wait to drop your child off in the drop-off lane only!** In the gym parking lot, parents are to park in spaces and wait for students and not line up behind parked cars, which will not allow the parked cars room to back out when they are prepared to leave. We have had some close calls in the parking lots and we do not want anyone to get hurt. Please help us to follow through on these procedures and report any concerns to Mr. Talty! Thank you!

CALIFORNIA DASHBOARD: Please visit the newly released California Dashboard website which displays a range of performance levels for every school in the state. This new accountability system identifies strengths, weaknesses, and areas in need of improvement for our school, and will be used for the development of our LCAP (Local Control Accountability Plan) this year.

Visit: <https://www.caschooldashboard.org/#/LCFF> and enter "Freshwater" and you can review the results for Freshwater.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION: We are continuing to collect boxtops for education. If you have any you would like to donate to the school, please bring them by the school office and place them in the box that is in the office window. So far this year, we have raised \$300.00 with our boxtop collection!

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PARENTS: Please contact the office when your child is absent and also remind your child when he/she is late to stop by the office and check in. Many students are being marked absent because they do not follow the procedure of stopping in the office when they arrive late to school. Thank you!

ABSENCES AT FRESHWATER SCHOOL: When your child is ill or absent, please take time to contact the school office **in the morning** to let us know. It saves us making many phone calls to verify these absences each day. Thank you!

PARENT/GUARDIAN TOOLBOX WORKSHOP: Parent/Guardian Toolbox Workshop is a workshop to learn and practice skills to help your student/child be successful at school, home, and the community. This workshop will take place on Tuesday mornings from 8:30-9:30 a.m. in Room 15 with Dr. Audrey Shears. Dr. Shears is also available during school hours by appointment. Please call the school office to contact Dr. Shears or schedule an appointment.

