



Freshwater Weekly Bulletin

Monday, February 12, 2018

Upcoming Events & Activities

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| February 13 | FEF Meeting – Room 2 – 3:00 p.m. |
| February 13 | Board Meeting – Conference Room – 6:00 p.m. |
| February 15 | Minimum Day – 12:30 p.m. Dismissal (Grades K-8) |
| February 19-23 | Presidents’ Week – NO SCHOOL ALL WEEK |
| March 1 | Community Club Meeting – 6:30 p.m. – Conference Room |
| March 2 | LEGO Night – 6:30 p.m. - Conference Room |
| March 5 | SSC Meeting – 4 p.m. – Conference Room |
| March 5 | Community Club Meeting – 6:30 p.m. – Conference Room |
| March 12-16 | Parent Conference Week – Early Dismissal – 1:20 p.m. – (K-8) |
| March 13 | FEF Meeting – Room 2 – 3:00 p.m. |
| March 13 | Board Meeting – Conference Room – 6:00 p.m. |
| April 2 | Community Club Meeting – 6:30 p.m. – Conference Room |

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

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PARKING LOT REMINDER: All 4-8 Students are to be picked up in the gymnasium Parking Lot at 3:00 p.m. 4-8 students who come to the Flagpole area for pickup following dismissal will be directed to the Gymnasium Parking Lot. **ONLY 1-3 Grade Students are to be picked up at the Flagpole.** Thank you for your help with this!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Our school garden is in need of help before students can start their spring gardening activities. Please join us for a GARDEN WORKDAY on Sunday, March 18, from 12-3 p.m. We will be replenishing the beds with fresh soil and compost. If we have enough parents, we can also clean and sand the garden benches. Contact Jan Scurfield at (707) 601-3451 or janscurfield@gmail.com to volunteer. Thank you for supporting this special piece of Freshwater School!

ENRICHMENT CLASSES: The Freshwater Educational Foundation will again be sponsoring Enrichment Classes after school beginning February 26 for 1st through 8th Graders. Watch for the Flyer coming home today and get your child registered as soon as possible. Classes are filled on a first come first serve basis. Any questions, contact Brenda Odell at 498-3081 or e-mail her at b_atwood@hotmail.com

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS: The Freshwater Community Club is calling for volunteers for the Dolphin Dash, our school’s biggest annual fundraiser! Please join us at the Community Club Meeting, Monday, February 5, at 6:30 p.m., to see how you can help make this year’s Dolphin Dash a success! You may also contact Amber Harris at (707) 599-2299 to volunteer. Thank you for your support!

PARENT CONFERENCES: Second Trimester Parent Conferences will be held **March 12-16, 2018.** **Dismissal all that week for Grades K-8 will be 1:20 p.m.** Conferences will begin each day at 1:30 p.m. **Notices regarding scheduling will be going home after the Presidents’ Week Break.** It is always important for parents to make every effort to attend conferences to learn about what and how their child(ren) is/are performing at school. **Please note that conferences are schedule for 20 minutes so that parents with more than one child will be able to arrive to their next conference on time.**

BOYS’ BASKETBALL THIS WEEK:

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| <u>February 13</u> | Freshwater Varsity @ St. Bernard’s | 5:30 p.m. |
| | Arcata Elementary 5 th @ Freshwater | 6:30 p.m. |
| | Freshwater JV @ Cutten | 7:00 p.m. |
| <u>February 15</u> | Coastal Grove JV @ Freshwater | 4:00 p.m. |
| | Coastal Grove Varsity @ Freshwater | 5:30 p.m. |
| | Morris 5 th Grade @ Freshwater | 7:00 p.m. |

REGIONAL SPELLING BEE: Congratulations to Sixth Grader, Porter Walston, who won the Regional Spelling Bee held at Kneeland School last Thursday and to Brenning Davies-Hughes, 5th Grader, who also represented our school. Porter will now represent the regional schools at the Humboldt County Spelling Bee that will be held at the Sequoia Conference Center in Eureka on Saturday, March 10, at 10:30 a.m.

FRESHWATER SCIENCE FAIR RESULTS: We congratulate all of the students who participated in the Freshwater Science Fair. We are proud of their efforts and work! We once again want to thank the 11 judges who put in hours to examine each project thoroughly and gave written feedback to each student. Their time and contribution made it a rewarding event for everyone.

We are pleased to announce 17 students will represent Freshwater Elementary and Charter Middle School at the Humboldt County Science Fair March 13-17 and they are as follows:

8th Grade

Grace Talty

“That’s Dog on R’eye’T”

7th Grade

Olivia Biesecker

“Pictures vs. Words”

Talia Block

“Making Sense of Scents”

Marley Bones

“Dogs & Dog Treats”

Caroline Dieker

“Should You Eat That?”

Liam Hodgson

“May The Lift Be With You”

Sonja Johnson-Gardaya

“Step Right Up Folks! Guess Your Weight & Height”

Emma Kaber

“Murky Madness”

Maggie Odell

“Redwood Sorrel & Mulch”

Kaden Packer

“Water Filtration Experiment”

Iris Smart

“Who Has Better Memory?”

5th Grade

Estella Monaghan

“Can I predict the Weather?”

Cairo Dedini & Luella Rich

“Coffee Catastrophe”

4th Grade

Jessica Kaber

“Gum Time”

Annie Marak and

“How Sunlight Affects How Plants Grow”

Rachael Villalpando

