

*The Preuss School UCSD
Daily Bulletin "A" Day
Friday, April 7, 2017*

Chelsea's Light Peer Corps Inspirational Quote Of The Day : "Strength does not come from physical capacity. It comes from an indomitable will." –Mahatma Grandhi

SAT WORDS: critical /adjective/ 1. expressing adverse or disapproving comments or judgments 2. expressing or involving an analysis of the merits and faults of a work of literature, music, or art* 3. involving the objective analysis and evaluation of an issue in order to form a judgment* 4. (of a situation or problem) having the potential to become disastrous; at a point of crisis

New Items:

April is National Poetry Month! Today's poem for Friday, April 7, 2017, is by Cuban poet, Juana Borrero, both in Spanish and English. Notice the beautiful images the poet uses to describe nature.

Crepuscular

by Juana Borrero

Todo es quietud y paz... En la penumbra
se respira el olor de los jazmines,
y, más allá, sobre el cristal del río
se escucha el aleteo de los cisnes

que, como grupo de nevadas flores,
resbalan por la tersa superficie.
Los oscuros murciélagos resurgen
de sus mil ignorados escondites,

y vueltas mil, y caprichosos giros
por la tranquila atmósfera describen;
o vuelan luego rastreando el suelo,

rozando apenas con sus alas grises
del agrio cardo el amarillo pétalo,
de humilde malva la corola virgen.

Twilight

Translated by José Wan Díaz

All is peace and calm ... In the twilight
the aroma of jasmines can be smelled,
and, over the glassy surface of the river,
is heard the flapping wings of the swans

which, like a bunch of snowy flowers,
glide over the smooth water surface.
Now the dusky bats reemerge
from their many secret hiding places,

and a thousand turns, and capricious spins
they make in the tranquil atmosphere;
or fly very close to the ground,

barely grazing with their gray wings
the yellow petal of the bitter thistle,
or the virgin corolla of the humble mallow.

High School Student Event Only: Are you interested in participating in a Skype call with our sister school in Jalalabad, Afghanistan? If so, please join us on Monday April 10th from 5:30-7:30. Dinner will be provided and a bus will be available for you to go home (SEA stops, only). Please pick up a permission slip from Mrs. Petraglia in room A103 and return it by Friday April 14."
(4/14 Mrs. Petraglia)

Reminder Items:

Attention All Students! Are you ready to go back to the '90s? Airband tickets are going on sale starting this Thursday, April 6th. Want some wicked rad seats in the front of the crowd with who name on it, where you can see your awesome performers and cheer your heart out? You can reserve a seat for yourself and your friends for \$13 in the first three rows. Seats are limited, so first come first serve.

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If you're not a true VIP like Jim Carrey and Halle Berry, all regular seats are \$10. And of course, for our mad hype performers, Airband tickets come at a phat price of \$3. Once again, ticket sales are running from Thursday, April 6th to Tuesday, April 11th during high school lunch in front of the Walton Center. Don't be trippin' if you forget to buy a ticket and miss the fly performance on Friday, April 14th. **(4/11 Mr. Carr)**

Attn: High School Students. Do you need a dress for prom or other formal event? Here are two opportunities to get a free dress!

The Princess Project of San Diego will be hosting dress giveaway days on **April 7, 8, 9, 12, 19, 21 and 22**. All 8 days will be hosted at the Horton Plaza Mall in Downtown San Diego. On April 22, they will be hosting their event at three more locations: the Vista Library, the El Cajon Library and the South Chula Vista Library. To attend, you must RSVP online [here](#) to book your appointment and bring your high school ID. **For more information about rules and the event, be sure to view their website <http://www.princessprojectsd.org/>.** **(4/7 Ms. Resendez)**

Cinderella's Attic is also hosting a dress giveaway on **April 9 from 11am-4pm**. It will be at the Handlery Hotel in San Diego. At this event, there will be personal shoppers to assist you, free shoes and accessories, local stylists offering free hair and make-up consultations, and free raffles. To attend, you must also RSVP by emailing kerry@cinderellasattic.org to book your appointment. **You can find more information about the event on their website <http://www.cinderellasattic.org/>.** **(4/7 Ms. Resendez)**

Students in Grades 8-11: Yearbook applications for 2017-2018 are now available in the library and in room B201. Students interested in taking yearbook next year must complete an application. Applications are due Friday, 4/7, by 4:00 pm in B201. **(4/7 Mr. Ensberg)**

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High School Students: The Preuss Insider is now taking applications for its 2017-2018 staff. Journalism is looking for students interested not only in writing but also taking pictures, fundraising, and designing the paper. Students who selected Journalism on their course selection sheet must still go through the application process, and if you did not, you can still change your mind and apply for the class. Just pick up your application from Ms. Garcia in room E103 and return it to Ms. Garcia by Fri, April 14. Journalism is a student-led class with lots of opportunities for leadership positions. Apply today! **(4/14 Ms. Garcia)**

Seniors! Don't forget to send in your baby pictures. Email them to the yearbook team at preussyearbook2017@gmail.com. Or bring in your actual photos and yearbook will scan them and return them to you. **(4/14 Mr. Ensberg)**

All Students: Yearbook will be holding another pre-sale beginning Monday, April 10th- Friday, April 14th during both Middle School and High School lunch. Yearbooks will be sold for \$55 in front of the Walton Center. If you have any holiday pictures with friends and family or ASB Ball pictures that you'd like to share, feel free to email them to: preussyearbook2017@gmail.com. Come April 10 ready to order your 2017 yearbook! Down payments minimum \$20. Cash only. No bills greater than \$20 please. **(4/14 Mr. Ensberg)**

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Attention All 8th -11th Grade Female Volleyball Players: Coach Zamora is offering interested athletes a chance to participate in the Spring Volleyball Clinics! This year the clinics will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday April 18, 19, and 20th from 4:10-5:20 PM in the Walton Center. The sessions will improve fundamental volleyball skills within a fun and positive environment. The participants will be separated into skill appropriate sessions emphasizing player development in passing, serving, serve-serve, setting, hitting, defense and team formations. Players will also have an opportunity to learn and interact with the Coach Zamora and the Varsity Team. In order to participate in the volleyball clinics a permission slip must be filled out signed by a parent or guardian and must be returned to Coach no later than Friday April 14th. Space is limited and only the first 40 participants will secure a spot in this year's clinics. The permission slips may be picked up before school or during middle and high school lunch in room D202 or workroom D204.

(4/20 Ms. Zamora Luna)

Upcoming Events:

<u>EVENT</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Saturday Enrichment Academy - 9:00am - 11:00am Students sign up in Advisory class for tutoring by teachers and tutors. Classrooms, 9:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m. Transportation is available to attend SEA. -See the schedule below: 7:35 - Keiler Middle School (Lisbon St. @ Woodrow Ave.) 7:55 -Logan Elementary (2875 Ocean View Blvd)(North Side of School) 8:05 - Amtrak -Downtown @ Kettner Blvd. (Westside Kettner at C St.) 8:20 - El Cajon Blvd. @Marlborough Av. NW 8:55 - Dropping at the Preuss School 11:00 – Bus leaves Preuss to same locations	Saturday	4/8