The Preuss School UCSD Daily Bulletin "A" Day Wednesday, April 10, 2013

#### **This Week Activities:**

### April- May, 4/9-5/3, APUSH After School review sessions for AP

Preparation for May 15<sup>th</sup> AP U.S. History exam Room B203, 4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m., two days per week

### Wednesday, 4/10, Junior Speakers Series

11<sup>th</sup> grade assembly to include college prep, career and motivational speakers. Walton Center, Block 3, 1:00 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.

## Wednesday & Thursday, 4/10-11 Pink Progress Reports for Parents

# Thursday, 4/11, Preuss Board of Directors Meeting

Monthly board meeting. Open to public. Community Room, 4:15 p.m.

### Friday, 4/12, Senior Speaker Series --Block 7

Walton Center, 1:30 p.m.-2:40 p.m.

### Saturday & Friday, 4/12, SAT Prep Class

Preparation for SAT testing, E201, Sat. 9:00-11:00 a.m., Fri. 4:15-5:15 p.m.

#### Saturday, 4/13, ACT for Class of 2014 Off Campus

## Saturday-Sunday, 4/13-4/14, Rotary Model United Nations Conference

Selected students will attend the conference and debate world issues. Joan Kroc Peace Center, USD, Saturday 8:00 a.m. to Sunday, 2:00 p.m.

### **NEW ITEMS:**

**April is National Poetry Month.** Today's poem for April 10<sup>th</sup> is a very short one that reminds us there are two ways of looking at things. This is such a short poem you may want to read it twice! –Ms. Gabay

## Tour by Carol Snow

Near a shrine in Japan he'd swept the path and then placed camellia blossoms there.



Or—we had no way of knowing—he'd swept the path between fallen camellias.

**Library Origami Contest Underway!!!** Check details posted in classrooms or library. **The theme is The Zoo!** We will provide your 1st 2 sheets of origami paper. MS can participate in the origami club at lunch this Wednesday and the 4th Wednesday in Ms. Harward's class to seek help. You must submit your entry by April 26, 2013 (no exceptions). Good Luck! (4/26 Ms. Nance/Ms. Gonzalez) **Cheer Tryouts:** All students currently in grades 9-11 who are interested in trying out for the 2012-2013 Preuss School cheer squad should attend an informational meeting in Ms. Garcia's room E103 on Thursday, April 11th, during high school lunch. We will be distributing eligibility packets and giving general information about tryouts. If you cannot attend the meeting, please see Ms. Garcia on or before this date. Go Tritons! **(4/11 Ms. Garcia)** 

**EARTH WEEK: APRIL 17 – 24**: Beginning April 17, we will join people around the world in celebrating Earth Week. At UC San Diego, this is an opportunity to celebrate our achievements in environmental sustainability and demonstrate our commitment to make our planet healthier for future generations. The week-long series of Earth Week events, planned by our dedicated students and staff, includes a campus cleanup, lectures, film screenings and a sustainability awards ceremony. To view a complete schedule of activities, visit <u>http://earthweek.ucsd.edu</u>. Sustainability is integral to our institutional DNA and our campus's history, dating back to the groundbreaking climate change research conducted at Scripps Institution of Oceanography by Roger Revelle and David Keeling. Today, we continue to build on their pioneering work, and the campus has become a living laboratory for sustainable solutions. I encourage you to participate in the Earth Week events, and learn more about the importance of protecting and preserving our planet. (4/24 Chancellor Pradeep K. Khosla)

#### **REMINDER ITEMS:**

#### **Congratulations to the below Award Winners:**

--Anne Artz has been awarded an Einstein Fellowship, she is one of only 27 K-12 educators nationwide to be a Congressional Fellow for the 2013-2014 Albert Einstein Distinguished Educator Fellowship Program to promote STEM education. We are so proud of you Anne!

--Junior Virginia Reyes is the Grand Prize Winner of the Cesar Chavez 2013 High School Essay Contest. Virginia was honored at the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Community Breakfast, where she read her essay and was awarded \$1,000.00.

--8th grader Franklin Hang won first place in the National Rifle Association's 2nd Amendment Essay Contest in the Junior Category. He beat out all entrants in grades 9 and below nationwide! This comes with a nice prize, and he is really shocked and happy!

--AFP Diversity Art Contest Showcase was held at the Convention Center on Monday, April 8. Preuss art students took the top three winning spots. The student's art work is being showcased on postcards, banners, and in print form. First Place Winner was Joses Torres for his "Purification on the Heart" piece, Second Place Winner was Celeste Martinez de Luna for her "An Amazing Thing to See" piece, Third Place Winner was Encino Nungaray for his "El Pan de Vida (The Tortilla of Life)" piece. (4/12 Mr. Barton)

**Performing Arts Events in April: Shakespeare!** We have two very exciting events to invite you to in April. First, it is time for our 8th Annual Preuss School Shakespeare Festival which will be held on Wednesday, April 24th at 2:30pm in the amphitheater. The theme is "Shakespeare goes POP!" Also, we have a special performance of "Twelfth Night" brought to us by the Old Globe Theater on Tuesday, April 30th at 1:00pm. Thank you for being our great audience. **(4/30 Mrs. Ippolito)** 

**ASB Class Application:** Any student in grades 8-11 who are interested in being part of the ASB class next year, stop by B103 and pick up an application. Students can run for an elected office or apply by interview to be part of the class. Applications require parent and UP teacher signatures. **(4/12 Mrs. Artz)** 

### IT'S YOUR MOVE.....Middle School Lunch Activities at Preuss.....

- Music Mon-Fri, Hwong T102
- **PS2 Sports Games** Tues & Thurs, Meka, B102
- Card Games Wednesdays (1st & 3rd), Borgo, A101
- Origami Wednesdays (2nd & 4th), Harward, A101
- **Tutoring** Mon & Wed, Ensberg, Library
- 6th Grade Tutoring Tuesdays, Borgo, A101
- 6th Grade Tutoring Thursdays, Hinchman, A203
- Puzzle Club Mondays (1st & 3rd), Valdez, A103
- 7th Grade Science Tutoring B-days, Baird, C101

### Lunchtime Tutoring:

Math Tutoring - High School Lunch Monday thru Friday, D102 Math Tutoring - Middle School Lunch

Tuesday, D202 World Languages Tutoring - Middle School Lunch, B102; Monday thru Friday World Languages Tutoring - Senior Lunch, B202, D201, D203; Monday thru Friday

### After School Tutoring:

*World Language, B102 Math, D101* STARS Program, Room A101/Library

#### <u>Club:</u>

Running Club, UCSD Campus and Preuss Campus Science Research Club, B103

#### Sports Schedules:

#### **Girls Lacrosse Schedule**

#### **Boys Lacrosse Schedule**

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Date	School	Site	Time	Date	School	Site	Time
Thurs. April 11	ТВА	Home	4:00pm	Tues. Apr 9 <sup>th</sup>	SDHS	Home	4:00
							pm
Tues. Apr 16 <sup>th</sup>	Point Loma	Home	4:00 pm		Bonita Vista	Home	3:30
				Apr 12 <sup>th</sup>			pm
				Tues. Apr 16 <sup>th</sup>	Foothills	Away	5:00
					Christian		pm
				Thurs. Apr 18 <sup>th</sup>	Olympian High	Home	3:30
							pm
				Thurs. Apr 25 <sup>th</sup>	La Jolla Country	Home	3:30
					Day		pm