The Preuss School UCSD Daily Bulletin "A" Day Monday, April 15, 2019

Chelsea's Light Quote of the Day:
Let go of something old that no longer serves you in order
to make room for something new.
-Roy T. Bennett

SAT WORDS: exorbitant (adj.) excessive

<u>APRIL IS NATIONAL POETRY MONTH</u>. Today's poem for April 15, 2019 celebrates being 13 years old! If you're younger, it's something to look forward to. If you're older, think back on this special age in your life. If you're 13 right now, what a special time for you!

Thirteen

By Nicholas Gordon

Thirteen is a very lucky age!
Happiness comes tumbling out the door
Instantly a-giggle with a friend,
Returning with the bounce of empty bliss.
There's no better ecstasy than this,
Even when the strange "teen changes" end,
Even when one finally knows the score,

No time's more bubbly than this stage.





New Items:

Attention all Students:

If you have lost your ZPASS, please come to the front office during **lunchtime** or **advisory class** only to request a new ZPASS. You will need \$5.00 to order a new ZPASS and to receive a temporary paper ZPASS. Your temporary ZPASS will be valid for the duration of time it takes for you to receive your new ZPASS. If your temporary ZPASS expires before you receive your new one, please come to the front office (**during lunchtime or advisory class**) right away to request another temporary ZPASS. When your new ZPASS arrives, it will be given to you. (Front Office 6/20)

Reminders:

The Rho Kappa Social Studies Honor Society invites all high school students to meet and talk to San Diego Assemblyman Todd Gloria from District 78 after school on Thursday, April 18 in Room E201. You will have the chance to ask relevant questions about his political career, current issues, and general information to gain thoughtful insights from his answers. Todd Gloria will be running for mayor of San Diego in 2020, so come learn about this potential future leader of our city. Spots are limited, so we encourage all high school students who are interested to sign up in Ms. Greco's room (E201)! (Greco 4/17)

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Cheer Tryouts:

All students currently in grades 9-11 who are interested in trying out for the 2019-2020 Preuss School cheerleading squad should attend an informational meeting in Ms. Garcia's room E103 on Monday, April 15th 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! (Garcia 4/18)

High school students:

The Preuss Insider is now taking applications for its 2019-20 staff. Journalism is looking for students interested not only in writing but also taking pictures, fundraising, designing, podcasting, and laying out the paper. Reminder: Even if you select Journalism during course selection, you must still go through the application process. Pick up your application from Ms. Garcia in room E103 and return it by Thurs, April 18th. Journalism is a student-led class with lots of opportunities for leadership positions. Don't wait; apply today! (Garcia 4/18)

<u>Fresh Start Surgical Gifts</u>- Do you want to give a little sunshine to those in need for this Spring season? As a top organization that helps children, Fresh Start Surgical Gifts transforms the lives of disadvantaged infants, children, and teens with physical deformities caused by birth, accidents, abuse, or disease. Next week of school (4/15-4/19), Spanish National Honor Society will be collecting the following items every morning in front of school to donate to international patients that receive pro-Bono surgeries at Rady Children's Fresh Start Surgical Gifts Clinic. The following donations have been assigned (but not mandatory) for each grade level.

Grade Level

- 6- Coloring book and coloring pencils
- 7- Board games and card games
- 8- Stuffed Animals
- 9- Lotion
- 10- Deodorant and Chapstick
- 11- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- 12- Fluffy socks

Help accomplish that goal of transforming lives of children by helping them have a positive self image! (Zamora 4/19)

High School Students Only:

Are you a book lover, an avid reader, or just like to listen to authors' stories? If you answered yes to any, then Yallwest Book Festival, Saturday, May 4, in Santa Monica is just for you! **An All Day Event**

"More than **20,000 people** converged at Santa Monica High School to celebrate young adult and middle grade books, with more than 100 authors participating in

book signings, panels, giveaways, singalongs and shenanigans."

Pick-up your permission slip today from the library, Ms. Bandy or Mrs. Majors. All Permission slips are due to Ms. Nance no later than Monday, April 29th. This is a first come, first serve event, limited spaces available. (Nance 4/26)

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Yearbook Applications:

Now Available Online and In Print Access the yearbook application for 2019-20 online at https://forms.gle/UYtGx7jmydZWLDG89

or pick up your print application in room B201 or in the library. Completed applications are due Fri, April 18. (Teacher recommendations may be submitted later). (Ensberg 4/18)

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Event	Day	<u>Date</u>
Rotary 11 th Grade Career Day; 1:00 to 4:00 pm Location: Walton Center	Wednesday	4/17
Airband 2018; 6:30 to 8:30 pm Location: Walton Center	Friday	4/19