

*The Preuss School UCSD
Daily Bulletin "B" Day
Tuesday, April 16, 2019*

Chelsea's Light Quote of the Day:
**Instead of worrying about what you cannot control,
shift your energy to what you can create.**
-Roy T. Bennett

SAT WORDS: knell (n.) the solemn sound of a bell, often indicating a death

APRIL IS NATIONAL POETRY MONTH. Today's poem for Tuesday, April 16, 2019 is by Emily Dickinson, a very famous American poet. In the poem below, she uses a bird metaphor to describe what hope is. Notice how the bird can survive any difficulties—is that true of hope in your life?

HOPE IS THE THING WITH FEATHERS

Hope is the thing with feathers
That perches in the soul,
And sings the tune without the words,
And never stops at all.
And sweetest in the gale is heard;
And sore must be the storm
That could abash the little bird
That kept so many warm.
I've heard it in the chilliest land
And on the strangest sea;
Yet, never, in extremity,
It asked a crumb of me.



New Items:

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)

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)

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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)

Fresh Start Surgical Gifts- 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)

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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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)

Attention all students: All students are to ride the bus that they have been assigned to. There are no exceptions unless you have had approval from Mrs. Villanueva and Mr. Selleck. (Selleck)

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<u>Event</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>
Rotary 11th 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