

CHINO VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

RUSTLER NEWSLETTER

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MARCH

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6:30pm - Briggs
13 Safe School Ambassadors 8:00-8:30am - Library

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PFA Board Meeting 2:00pm - Rm. 124
(Open Forum 3:00-3:20pm)

16 P.A.T.T. 10:15am - Rm. 103
17 Spotlight Theatre 12:15-1:15pm - MPR
18 Spring Pictures/6th Gr. Portfolio - MPR
Report Cards Distributed
Talent Show Practice 3:30pm - MPR

19 Disaster Drill 9:00am
PFA Mother/Daughter Family Night - Boomers

20 **NO SCHOOL - Staff Professional Development**
23-25 CVUSD Art Showcase

23 End of 2nd Trimester Awards Assembly - MPR
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2nd Gd. - 8:55-9:40am
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24 4th Grade Sacramento Trip
Polling Place - Library
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Spotlight Theatre Ends 12:15-1:15pm - MPR

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4th Gd. - 9:50-10:35am
5th Gd. - 11:20am-12:05pm
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10 Kindergarten Registration - Siblings ONLY
ELAC Meeting 8:45am - Library
Spotlight Theatre 12:15-1:15pm - MPR
ELA/ELD Parent Workshop 6:00pm

11-12 4th Grade California Walkthrough - MPR
11 **MINIMUM DAY - Parent Conferences**
Kindergarten Registration
Talent Show Practice 12:15pm - MPR
CVUSD Choir Showcase 7:00pm - CHS

12 35th Annual CVUSD Student Government Day

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- 26 ASB Twins Spirit Day
School Site Council 3:30pm - Principal's Office
- 27 Yearbook Orders Due
- 27 Safe School Ambassadors 8:00-8:30am - Library
- Talent Show Dress Rehearsal - MPR
Gds. 1-3 - 9:10-10:40am
Gds. 4-6 - 1:35-3:05pm
- 27 Talent Show 6:30pm - MPR
- 31 1st-6th Grade Registration

APRIL

- 1 ASB Meeting 7:45am - Rm. 127
- 6-10 Spring Vacation**
- 15 SBAC Testing Window Opens through 5/14
- 17 Safe School Ambassadors 8:00-8:30am - Library
Fire Drill 11:30am
PFA Board Meeting 2:00pm - Rm. 124
(Open Forum 3:00-3:20pm)
PFA Father/Daughter Dance 6:00-9:00pm - MPR
- 23 2nd Gd. Field Trip - CA Science Center
- 24 NO SCHOOL - Staff Professional Development**
- 27 Progress Reports Distributed

TARGET TAKE CHARGE OF EDUCATION

Thank you for selecting Howard Cattle as your designated school when shopping at Target! HC recently received a \$700 check from purchases from customers shopping with their REDcard.

CVUSD SUMMER CHILD CARE PROGRAM

Child Care Program is only for low-income families who work, go to school or are looking for work. If you need child care assistance for your school-age child this summer, you may qualify for free or reduced child care rates at the Liberty Elementary School Child Development Summer Program operated by the Chino Valley Unified School District. Please contact the Office of Child Development for more information at (900) 628-1201, extension 8917.

SIXTH GRADE T-SHIRTS

6th grade T-shirts available for purchase:

1 small youth \$12	6 small adult \$13
1 medium youth \$12	4 large adult \$13
4 large youth \$12	1 small adult jacket \$23

STUDENT ABSENCE: Please call or email the office by 9:30am if your student is going to be absent. Homework requests also need to be made at that time.
(909)591-2755

ASB POP TOPS COLLECTION

During the weeks of March 9-27, ASB will be collecting Pop Tops for the Ronald McDonald House. Last year, we collected over 1,500 Pop Tops! Let's see if we can surpass that this year! The class who collects the most Pop Tops will receive a prize.

March Character Trait -

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

If you are a parent of a soon-to-be Kindergartener or know someone who is... Howard Cattle's Kindergarten registration will take place on March 10th for SIBLINGS ONLY and on March 11th for all other Kindergarten registrations. Items needed for registration:

- . proof of residency - current gas AND electric bill
- . birth certificate
- . record of vaccinations
- . any pertinent document regarding your child (i.e. IEP, medical records)

PARENTS ARE TEACHERS, TOO!

On Mondays in March, Howard Cattle will host a series of four parent workshops called Parents are Teachers, Too (or P.A.T.T.) for our Kindergarten parents. We are very excited to offer this parent education course reviewing ways you can support your growing 5 or 6 year old as s/he navigates through kindergarten.

**Remember to like us on Facebook:
Howard Cattle Elementary PFA**



ELA/ELD PARENT WORKSHOP

On March 10, Howard Cattle will offer an ELA/ELD Parent Workshop to demonstrate the new ELA and ELD Common Core Standards. This workshop is designed for parents of designated English Learners. Please join us as we demonstrate the new standards and offer practical solutions to help you support your child's academic progress.

READ-A-THON

Our annual Read-A-Thon will take place during the week of March 2-6. Each year this fundraiser raises approximately \$5,000 for Howard Cattle! We usually use this money to purchase Accelerated Reader. This year, we are adding some additional activities in an attempt to increase participation.

= Kickoff - Mar. 2

= Day of the Young Reader (students wear PJs to school/school wide reading from 8:40-9:30am) - Mar. 3

= Muffins with Moms - Mar. 4

= Lunch on the Lawn - Mar. 5

= Donuts with Dads - Mar. 6

When you join us for these activities, bring a book and spend the time with your child reading.

Please use Read-A-Thon pledge envelopes that were sent home on Thursday, February 26. Be sure to keep track of all pages your child reads. If your child is in K-2 grade, pages read by the child's parent or teacher also count. Turn in all pledge envelopes with donations on Monday, March 9.

PFA FAMILY DINNER NIGHT - CHILI'S

Thank you for supporting our school at Chili's in Chino Hills for our last PFA Family Dinner Night! Not only did we receive a portion of the cost of dinner, HC families and community members donated \$280 in tips which goes directly to our school. THANK YOU for your continued support of our school!

GOT CHARACTER...We do!!!

We like to recognize students who are showing good character. Tickets are drawn weekly and their actions are shared school-wide.

Angela Talavera - Caring - Dennard

Giselle Hernandez - Caring - Dennard

Joaquin Mendez - Caring - Dennard

Danielle Medina - Caring - Monterroso

Kamiya Smith - Trustworthiness - Osman

Joseph Galindo - Trustworthiness - E. DiPaolo

Haley Duran - Citizenship - Morales

Sergio Galindo - Citizenship - Hippen

Sabrina Lacy - Responsibility - M. DiPaolo

Brianna Ortiz - Caring - Dalton

Diego Medina - Caring - Garrison

Nami Padilla - Citizenship - Shiba

Sean Spicer - Caring - Osuna

Diego Camarena - Citizenship- Fregozo

Daniel Weatherill-Travanty - Citizenship - Garrison

Sofia Torres - Trustworthiness - Shiba

Christian Valero - Citizenship- M. DiPaolo

Jacob Meireles, -Citizenship - May

Noah Menchaca - Trustworthiness - M. DiPaolo

Jaylena Ramirez - Citizenship - Osuna

Brayden Myers - Trustworthiness - Burton

Joey Perez - Citizenship - May

Kylen Galvan - Trustworthiness- Fregozo

Sarah Cooper - Caring - Nunez



Monthly Round-Up:
**Blue ballpoint
pens**

TRACK TEAM

Track will begin soon... get those feet ready to run long distances, or sprint short distances. We need you to be on the Howard Cattle Track Team! Start practicing and look for upcoming information!

FUN FRIDAYS

Ice Cream sales are every Friday outside of Rm. 124. Delicious ice cream for only \$1! Help support our school! The Student Store is also open every Friday to purchase neat erasers, cool

pencils, and other items during lunch recess.