

Emerson Daily Bulletin Tuesday, January 22, 2008

*New Announcements

JUNIOR HIGH CAREER DAY SPEAKERS NEEDED

- The School-Business Partnership of the Davis Chamber of Commerce is working with the Emerson, Harper and Holmes Junior High Schools to offer Career Days in

February and March 2008. We are recruiting speakers now!

- These events will take place during the following Thursday mornings:
 - February 21 – Holmes
 - February 28 – Harper
 - March 6 – Emerson
- You may choose to present at one or more schools. Our time frame is approximately from 8:15 to 11:15 a.m.
 - We are seeking Career Day Speakers who can share their work lives with our students. You would speak about your career and perhaps bring samples of your work product, tools, equipment or other visual to show in a 20-30 presentation to a classroom.
 - If you are a sports announcer or a sports medicine doctor, a tree house builder or an artist who paints trees and you love your job and talking to teens, we are interested in YOU (or your spouse or neighbor or cousin!)
 - If you are interested in more information about being a Career Day Speaker, please contact: Heather Mariano, Career Day Coordinator, at DAVISCAREERDAYS@GMAIL.COM before January 28th. (Earlier is better!)

NOW AVAILABLE - Listserv for DHS Class of 2011 (current 9th graders)

- Parents and guardians of the Class of 2011 (current 9th graders) may start signing up for the DHS Class of 2011 Listserv sponsored by DHS PTA. The sign-up in January will allow adequate time to participate in the "Questions and Answers" via the class listserv with DHS counselors, regarding the 2008-09 student program planners after the Incoming Sophomore Parent Information Night

on February 13 and 14th. Families interested in enrolling at Da Vinci are also welcome to join since Da Vinci students will be concurrently enrolled at DHS and may also have access to valuable information at DHS.

- Please visit to the DHS PTA website <http://www.dhspta.org/pta/listserv/dhs2011> to subscribe to your parent class listserv.

- The class parent listservers (commonly known as "class listservers") have proven invaluable for parents throughout their student's high school years. They help promote communication among PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF THE SAME GRADE regarding

class-specific issues, activities and concerns. They can also be used to disseminate information from DHS counselors and administration. The unmoderated forum is ideal for the more experienced parents to offer assistance to the newcomers.

- As a way to help the incredibly busy DHS counselors efficiently respond to as many parents' questions as possible, your class' Listserver Administrator Melissa McDaniel, an experienced DHS parent with an incoming sophomore, will assist them by facilitating Questions & Answers through your class listserver. Melissa will organize the parent questions, eliminate repetitions, then e-mail the pertinent question and counselors' responses to all parent subscribers via the class listserver. You may access the DHS PTA website now at <http://www.dhspta.org> to acquaint yourself with DHS communications.

- Thank you very much, Dorothy Yerxa, DHS PTA Listserver Coordinator

BASIC

BASIC will meet TODAY (Tuesday) at 12:10 in C-10.

Math Tutoring

Math tutoring will be available TODAY (Tuesday) from 3:30 to 4:30 pm with Ms. Yamamoto in B-1.

8th Grade Basketball

Our basketball teams host CA Jacobs TODAY (Tuesday). Come cheer on your Eagles!

The girls play first at 4:00, followed immediately by the boys' game. Good luck, Eagles!

Yearbooks

Warning! Yearbook has to soon put in its orders. If you don't order a yearbook now, you might miss out! Please bring \$45 to A-1. Also, this Friday (25th) is the last day to turn in personalizations, so turn in your order forms before it's too late!

Stars of the Week

Congratulations to this week's stars! From 9th grade...Ian Casey, Meredith Conrad-Forrest, Erika Monroy, Evan Arnold-Gordon, Vanessa Kaywood – from 8th grade...Eliot Childress, Carlos Allen, John Greer, Emily Bamforth, Haley Belenis – from 7th grade...Richie Navarette, Jessica Heller, Andy Schmidl, Holly Nuovo, Kyla St. Clair. Congratulations, kids!

After Hours Library Program Location Change

The After Hours library program will be meeting in the Computer Lab on

Wednesday, January 23rd. We will be opening at 3:45 pm and closing at 5:15 pm.

Students may wait outside the Computer Lab until 3:45.

3rd & B Pizza Bagels

Come this Thursday, the 24th, to the 3rd & B Teen Center to learn how to make your own pizza bagels. All you have to bring is your appetite and some creativity...we'll provide the rest!

*Reminders

Davis High Idol

Come to the 3rd annual Davis High Idol competition. The competition will take place January 26th at 7 pm and January 27th at 2 pm at the Davis High School Performing Arts Building. Davis High Idol sells out every year; everyone is encouraged to buy their tickets early. Tickets are \$8 for January 19 and 26, and \$10 for the final competition on January 27. A ticket for all three nights is available for \$25. Tickets may be purchased from Watermelon Music (207 E Street, Davis). Don't wait, it will sell out. For information, contact davididol@yahoo.com or 758-8575.

DHS Lacrosse

Attention Lacrosse players: It's time to get ready for the season! Conditioning begins TODAY (Tuesday) from 4:00-5:30 pm. Meet at the bleachers at DHS. Be sure to bring your running shoes and cleats. If you have any questions, please contact varsity head coach Jenn Morris at jennmorris22@gmail.com.

DHS Boys' Swimming

There will be a meeting on Wednesday from 7:00-8:30 pm in room M-1. Parents and interested athletes should attend. If you have any questions, please contact Coach Tracy Stapleton at stapleton@djud.k12.ca.us.

DHS Girls' Swimming

There will be a parent/athlete meeting on Monday, January 28th, at 7 pm in room A-3 at DHS. If you have any questions, please contact Coach Doug Wright at dwright@djud.k12.ca.ua. Tryouts begin February 12th.

Tips for Packing a Lunch

PARENTS: The back-to-school packets you received in August included a small flyer from Davis RISE (Recycling Is Simply Essential) outlining tips on how to

pack a school lunch that's healthy and good for the environment. Now that we're nearly at the mid-way point of our school year, we wanted to once again remind you of some of those tips. Remember, store-bought, pre-packaged lunches generate more waste. Much of the waste generated at Emerson comes from the lunchroom. Please help us cut down on the waste we take to the landfill.

- * Cut down on portions—pack only what your student will eat at lunchtime.
- * Use reusable lunch bags or lunch boxes and drink bottles.
- * Pack the food in durable plastic containers with reusable utensils.
- * Use recyclable packaging and containers—including paper (without wax or plastic attached to it), aluminum cans, aluminum foil, and #1 and #2 plastic bottles and containers.

CSUS Academic Talent Search

Does your student have plans for next summer yet? Are they interested in taking academically challenging and fun classes on the Sacramento State campus?

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CSUS Academic Talent Search is offering a qualifying exam, the College Ability Test, at Emerson on Monday, February 4th, at 3:30 pm in A-2. Registration forms, due January 29th, are available in the Counseling office. A \$10 fee is required for the test and can be paid on the day of the test. If you're unable to pay the fee, see Ms. Maciel in the Counseling office for a fee waiver form.

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