

Principal's Weekly Bulletin  
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Dear Parents,

March is a strange month in the world of education, especially for teachers. It is a "doldrums" time when the end is not in sight, but it seems like it should be. The month is long and there are no three day weekends. And of course, the weather being bad does not help it any. BUT, the kids are awesome, and that is what keeps us going every day. We show up at school and they are actually happy to see us, and it gives us the lift that we need. I felt renewed today as I made my way back into the classroom. Mr Guevara was kind enough to allow me a chance at some teaching, so I am teaching the water cycle for a week to the 6th graders. What a gas! (sorry for the pun!) But that was exactly what I needed! It has been a huge emotional drain for the past few weeks, and after some time with the kids in the classroom, I feel like I am back in the saddle again !

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Big congrats go out to Paul Brown as his DAR essay was awarded the FIRST place award in the STATE competition in Los Angeles ! He will be heading down there next week to pick up his hardware. Nice job, Paul. He will automatically be entered into the Regional competition next. Hey Paul, I heard you can make good money in college writing papers for your dorm mates!

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8th Grade Hoops are in full swing over at Justin Siena ! The Boys and Girls both won their first games over tough opponents. Great job everyone ! The girls play at 3:00 on Saturday in their next game and the boys play today at 5:00. Good Luck !

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The past week, the pickup after school was much improved, as the organization and patience seemed to be in a good place. A reminder to parents not to park in the white zone after 1:30, as they have been issuing tickets!

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Have a great weekend everyone. Maybe the Sun will come out. Go to Tahoe, go to the beach, take a nap, take a hike, have a picnic with your kids. Its all good...

God Bless you all !

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"I want to know God's thoughts, the rest are details." Albert Einstein