



Le Gette Blue News



San Juan Unified School District
Earl Le Gette Elementary
4623 Kenneth Avenue
Fair Oaks, CA 95628

April 12th, 2007

Dennis Pedersen, Principal

Phone 867-2056
Parent Alert 867-2057
School Event Line 979-8430 #43

Be Safe. Be Respectful. Be Responsible.

Mark Your Calendar

- 4/14 Families Making Connections
8:30 am - 1 pm see ad
- 4/17 - 5/15 STAR Testing window of time
- 4/19 Science Night 6:00 - 8:00 pm
- 4/20 STAR Parent Education flyer due
- 4/25 PTA Meeting 7:00 pm Library
- 5/01 Family Picnic 5:30 pm FO Band Shelter
- 5/01 Talent Show 6:00 pm FO Band Shelter
- 5/5 Fair Oaks Spring Fest Parade
- 5/9 School Play 6:30 pm MP Room
- 5/16 Band Concert evening MP Room
- 5/28 Memorial Day - No School
- 5/30 1&2 Gr Super Star Assembly 8:35 am
- 6/8 Last Day of School
Early Dismissal 12:40 pm

Message from the Principal

"Every action generates a force of energy that returns to us in like kind.....

what we sow is what we reap.

And when we choose actions that bring happiness and success to others, the fruit of our karma is happiness and success."

- The Law of "Karma" or Cause and Effect

Remember to drive safely while around the school. The lives of your children depend on it.

What does it mean to be gifted? How can parents support these students? How is giftedness defined? What are the major approaches to gifted education, and how do they differ from one another? What factors can enhance or inhibit giftedness development? What are some methods of differentiating instruction for gifted students? Want answers to these questions and more? Come to

Churchill Middle School MP Room at 4900 Whitney Avenue, Carmichael on Monday, April 16, 2007 from 4-5:30. Dr. Frank Lilly from CSUS will presenting his research findings.

We enjoyed an outstanding Open House before Spring Break. The efforts of the staff and students made the campus shine and all of us proud to be at Earl Le Gette. Thank you for all that each of you does to make Le Gette the outstanding school that it is.

The Annual Art Exhibit was a hit! I wish to thank the co-chairpersons **Stephanie Cunningham and Cari Gerroles** for heading up this monumental effort. It was AWESOME! They had many committee members who helped to make it a visual wonder. I wish to thank all the **parents** who participated in helping the **teachers** in the classrooms prepare the art work. Our Art Teacher, **Debbie Smith**, inspires our students to new and expressive heights in their art presentations. Many volunteers, such as, **Julie Marks, Leigh Coss, Maureen Keene and Natalie Brown** worked hours on the displays. Please forgive me if I have missed anyone.

Have a great week!

Le Gette now has its own website!

www.sanjuan.edu/schools/legette

Anne Blevins, our Webmaster, has created the Le Gette Website - thank you Anne. Refer to it for the current and archived Blue News, events, lunch menus, directories, copies of the up-to-date calendar, forms, e-mail etc. And be sure to check out the Meet the Staff section!



A Conference for Parents, by Parents



Saturday, April 14, 2007
8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Jonas Salk High Tech Academy
2950 Hurley Way
Sacramento, CA 95864

Keynote Speaker: David Valladolid
Parent Institute for Quality Education, President

**All Parents,
Grandparents, Foster
Parents,
Care Givers, and
Guardians are invited!**

All are invited to the Life Celebration Ceremony remembering the mother of Skye McNerney who recently passed away. Saturday, April 14, 12:00 noon to 2:00 pm, Lakeside Church, 745 Oak Avenue, Parkway, Folsom, CA 95630

Attention LeGette Eagles
- GET READY TO MARCH!!
The Fair Oaks Spring Fest Parade is Saturday May 5th – Save the date!
We hope to have a large spirited group of LeGette Eagles marching in the parade representing our school. We will be wearing red t-shirts and carrying flags. Parade starts at 10:00 am. We will meet at Fair Oaks School playground between 9:00 and 9:30 am. Our school will also have a booth at the Spring Fest to promote our school's 50th Anniversary coming up in the 2007-2008 school year. Come for the parade and stay for the Spring Fest. Let's show our community our pride in our school!! More information to follow. Questions? Contact Erin Griffin at eringriffin@prodigy.net or 342-2197.

It's a Parade!

Yearbooks Are Now on Sale!

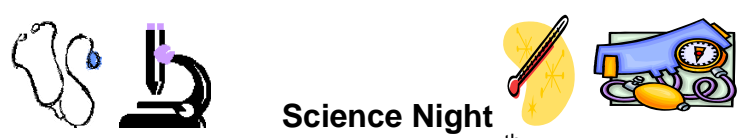
Sales envelopes were sent home and extras are in the office. There is a Pre-Sale discount price for \$12.50, if purchased by Monday, April 30th. After April 30th, the price will be \$14.50. Be sure to order using the envelope sent home and to order early to receive your \$2.00 discount!

Nomination of 2007/2008 PTA Officers

On March 20th, Le Gette's PTA Board accepted the following PTA officer nominations for the 2007/2008 school year:

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| President: | Selena McKinney |
| Executive (1 st) VP: | Saralin Allin |
| 2 nd VP: | Michelle Burch |
| Recording Secretary: | Heather Gross |
| Treasurer: | Marcy Johnson |
| Auditor: | Denise Paul |
| Historian: | Jennifer Bell-Ross |

PTA members are invited to attend the General Meeting on April 25th, at 7:00 pm in which officers for the 2007/2008 PTA Board will be elected. If you are interested in being nominated for any of the above offices, please contact Michelle Burch at 966-9055. Nominations from the floor will also be accepted for any of the above offices.



Science Night
Thursday, April 19th
6:00 pm – 7:50 pm
"Medical Mystery I"

Volunteers are needed
Please call Anne Fekete for more information on volunteering @ 536-1057