

Informational Packet

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*Rosedell
Roadrunners*



Message from Rosedell PTA President's

Welcome to the start of another great school year at Rosedell Elementary! PTA is looking forward to providing enriching and enjoyable programs and activities for Rosedell students, teachers and families. We strive to be an Arts and Technology focused school so we will be supporting workshops from the COC Performing Arts Center. We also promote and encourage the Reflections art program. This student recognition program encourages artistic creativity for all grades and abilities. This year's theme is "Within Reach". We have also been selected to have an Artist in Residence. This program allows for an artist to create a one of a kind art piece in front of our students. Students are encouraged to engage and ask questions to the artist. Rosedell's own Theater Group will once again be dazzling us with a full production play that will be enjoyable for the entire family and for the technology savvy, After School Enrichment will be offering coding to the students.

In addition, we look forward to hosting some family engagement events such as Family Bingo Night, Dad's Club Movie Under the Stars Night, Harvest Festival & Silent Auction, Dad's Club Holiday Toy Workshop, Donuts for Dads, Muffins for Moms, Grandparent Day, Father/Daughter Dance, Mother/ Son Event and hopefully a few more.

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Having a wonderful school with oodles of fun and education for our children to attend is priceless wouldn't you say? Actually, it's a very delicate balance of volunteers and fundraising. The best way to start is to sign up to be a PTA member. Kids and adults can be PTA members. You do not have to attend meetings or be on the board to be a PTA member. We will have many fundraising opportunities throughout the year which include but are not limited to Direct Donation, Box Tops for Education, APEX Fun Run, Family Restaurant Nights, Penny Wars, Book Fair, Silent Auction, See's Candy (Theatre Group) and popsicle sales (6th grade). These fundraisers support amazing opportunities for our children including but not limited to Performing Arts Center workshops, Women in History, Health Week, Red Ribbon Week, TK & Kinder events ,6th grade events, assemblies, field trips, and Mileage Club.

We believe in giving back to our community. We will be asking for donations of candy (after Halloween) for Operation Gratitude. A chance to provide a gift to a needy child/family through Adopt- a- Family during the holidays and we will collect food for the local food pantry.

Volunteering is something you can give freely of yourself and is so completely rewarding when it enhances the experience of a child. We are always looking for volunteers. Please consider getting involved with PTA and or Dad's Club. You can fill out the Volunteer Information forms or email PTA at rosedellpta@yahoo.com. Rosedell is proud to have an active Dad's Club that works closely with our PTA. High Five Friday's is one of many ways that Dad's Club gets involved that motivates students with very little effort and time. If a significant male figure would like to get involved, please fill out the Volunteer Information form or email the Dad's Club at rosedell dads@yahoo.com. There are several ways to stay up to date with PTA:

Website: rosedellpta.com **Facebook:** Rosedell Elementary PTA **Twitter:** Rosedell PTA @rosedellpta

We look forward to another great year!

Wendy HabegerRosedell PTA President****

Nate ThompsonRosedell Dad's Club President****



Ways to stay informed and in contact with Rosedell PTA

Email: RosedellPTA@yahoo.com

Website: RosedellPTA.com

Twitter: [@RosedellPTA](https://twitter.com/RosedellPTA)

Facebook: like us at Rosedell PTA

Harvest Festival- We will need a lot of help running the Festival. Please consider volunteering.

Yearbook - Looking for volunteers who would be willing to work with yearbook staff by taking pictures at events and assisting were needed to help put the yearbook together. We need reps for various grades. If you are interested in any of these positions, please contact Jennifer Barnett at RosedellPTA@yahoo.com.

We are excited to offer a full color book for the 2017-2018 school year. Books will be available for order between 2/1/18 & 4/1/18. Look for details on Rosedell PTA Website, email updates and more information from the school.



Join the Dad's Club!

Dad's Club meets every **4th Tuesday** of each month at Vincenzo's Pizza located on the corner of Bouquet Canyon and Plum Canyon at 6:30pm. Children are welcome to attend.

What is Dad's Club?

Rosedell Dads' Club is for Dads, Uncles, Grandfathers or the male role model in your child's life. This club partners with the PTA to sponsor and support many school events while promoting male involvement in our student's lives. We know that many dads may have long work hours. This club offers an opportunity to connect with other dads while at the same time offers an opportunity to accomplish something beneficial for the welfare of all students, with a very small investment of time. Rosedell Dads Club is known for its refreshing Root Beer Floats, High Five Fridays, Outdoor Movie Night, Holiday Toy Build and more. Come check it out!!

Come Join us for our PTA Association Meetings..

We encourage you to come to an Association Meeting where we go over and approve the events and business of the PTA. Here are the dates....

- Tuesday, August 29th at 8:15am in the MPR
- Tuesday, September 26th at 8:15am in the MPR
- Tuesday, October 24th at 8:15am in the MPR
- Tuesday, November 28th at 8:15am in the MPR
- No meeting in December
- Tuesday, January 23rd at 8:15am in the MPR
- Tuesday, February 20th at 8:15am in the MPR
- Tuesday, March 27th at 8:15am in the MPR
- Tuesday, April 24th at 8:15am in the MPR
- Tuesday, May 22nd at 8:15am in the MPR

Mileage Club

Put those running shoes on and get ready for Mileage Club. **Mileage Club begins in September on Wednesdays.** Mileage Club meets each Wednesday during recess for grades TK-6th! It's guaranteed to be lots of fun for the kids. Come join the team. We are always looking for volunteers. If you would like to help out during Mileage Club, please contact Esmerelda Reyes at RosedellPTA@yahoo.com

Book Fair.....

Summer – August 21st-25th Spring – April 23rd-26th

We are always looking for parents to help during the Book Fair. Please contact Lisa Nuttall at RosedellPTA@yahoo.com to volunteer.

Silent Auction and Raffle....

We are looking for items to be donated for our Silent Auction and Raffle on Friday, October 27th. If you know of anyone who would like to contribute, please contact Amanda Pritchard @ rosesilentauktion@gmail.com

PTA REFLECTIONS ART PROGRAM BRINGS ART TO LIFE ACROSS THE NATION

REFLECTIONS : IT'S ALL ABOUT THE ARTS

PTA's national reflections Art Program has brought the arts to life for more than 10 million students since 1969. And California State PTA and its members, families and kids are on the forefront of this amazing program, which increases community awareness of the importance of the arts in education.

Unleash creative talents and be inspired

Express themselves imaginatively in their artwork


Experience the fun and joy of making art

Tap into critical-thinking skills to create art inspired by the annual theme

Receive positive recognition for their original works of art.

The 2017-2018 theme is "Within Reach"

How we are fundrai\$ing

- APEX fun run** September 5th-15th. We are so excited to welcome back this high  energy, kid engaging fundraiser. Both teacher and student approved. The money raised will be used to pay for Field Trips, assemblies and if funds permit a new school marquee.
- Popsicles** will be sold on Wednesdays after school and will go towards funding 6th grade events. 6th grade will host another fundraiser during the year.
- Silent Auction/ Raffle:** in October during our Harvest Festival. This will help support many events such as Red Ribbon Week, Mileage Club, Women in History, Health Week and more programs.
- AmazonSmile:** Shop with our unique link and 0.5% of your eligible purchases will be gifted to Rosedell. <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/95-4076115>
- Direct Donation** Skip the fundraising and make a direct donation. 100% tax deductible. 100% for our kids.
- See's Valentine's Candy** is in January. Theatre Group will be selling Valentine's Candy and the funds will go towards Theatre Group.
- Box Tops** There is an **EASY and FREE** way in which everyone can help to bring in money for Rosedell: **Box Tops for Education**, Clipping and turning in these labels is such an easy way to help Rosedell earn money for field trips, special events, computers for our students, and free educational items for our classrooms, office, and new playground equipment. Just by purchasing products cereal, granola bars, printer paper, school supplies, fruit snacks, and more, then clipping the specially marked labels and sending them in to school. **We earn CASH for Box Tops (10 cents each) toward FREE classroom, office, and playground supplies!**

