



# The Door

Stellar Academy for Dyslexics – Unlocking the Door of Language

Friday, April 22, 2016



## Dear Parents,

In just over one week, we will begin year-end testing. Between Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> and Friday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, a portion of each day will be given to the same tests we administered back at the beginning of the school year.

A good night sleep and healthy breakfast will be more important than ever for the next couple of weeks.

Please avoid scheduling outside appointments during the mornings for these two weeks.

We are careful to limit the amount of testing we do around here during the year. However, this year-end testing helps us to measure the progress your children have made throughout the year. Teachers and parents will discuss the results during Conferences between May 31<sup>st</sup> and June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

*Warmly,*

*Beth Mattsson-Boze, Director*



### Science Fair Corner

**Next Step Due: Thursday, April 28th - Present your project at Science Fair. 5:00 – 6:00 PM.**

## School Events Calendar

- ❖ April 25 Ohlone Tuibon Village Trip
  - ❖ April 28 Science Fair/Open House 5:00-6:00 PM
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- ❖ May 2-6 Teacher Appreciation Week
  - ❖ May 2 – 13 Testing
  - ❖ May 4 & 18 Pizza Days
  - ❖ May 5 LAST VISITOR DAY OF YEAR
  - ❖ May 11 Teacher Appreciation Lunch
  - ❖ May 12 Bookmobile
  - ❖ May 17 Board Meeting, 6-7 PM
  - ❖ May 26 Computer History Museum
  - ❖ May 30 Memorial Day – NO SCHOOL
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- ❖ June 10 Promotion Ceremony

## News

### **LAST CALL FOR YEARBOOK SUBMISSIONS**

Email, text, or upload to Dropbox pictures you have of school events **by Wednesday May 4<sup>th</sup>**. We are particularly in need of pictures taken during class time. If you able to shoot a few shots in the next week, please let the office know.

### **NEED RECORDERS IN MUSIC CLASS**

Miss JoJo, from the Angel Children’s Choir, gave each student a recorder at the beginning of this school year. Our current Music teacher, Miss Elisabeth, has asked students to bring their recorders back to school. She will be using them during the next few Wednesday classes.

### **Extended Daycare Available During Camp**

Extended Daycare will be available to a limited number of students during Summer Camp. Registration Forms are available on the Stellar Website and in the Stellar office.



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## SUPPORT STELLAR WHEN YOU SHOP

You can support Stellar every time you shop at Lucky, Savemart, Foodmax, and other stores. Please register today at [www.escrip.com/Shares](http://www.escrip.com/Shares).

## PROMOTION CEREMONY & LUNCHEON

Our **June 10<sup>th</sup>** Promotion Celebration and Luncheon



is for all ages of students and their families. Please mark your calendars now and plan to attend this special event. The school day will begin for students as always at 8:15 AM. All families and friends are invited to attend the ceremony at

10:00 and the Luncheon which follows. We will be all done and dismissed by 12:30.

## CHOIR CAMP INVITATION

Miss JoJo, our choir teacher from the beginning of the year, is extending a special discounted price to Stellar students for her week-long choir camp from **June 13<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup>**. This is the week between the end of school and the beginning of Stellar's Summer Camp. More info in the office.

## WILCOXEN SCHOLARSHIP

The Wilcoxen memorial scholarship is available to returning full-time students. To apply, please pick up a Tuition Assistance Application in the office.



## OHLONE TUIBON VILLAGE TRIP - MONDAY

On Monday, **April 25<sup>th</sup>**, 12:30-2:30, our entire student body will visit the Ohlone Tuibon Village Site at Coyote Hills. This archeological site inhabited for more than 2,000 years.

## STELLAR IS RUNNING A MARATHON!

Stellar's TeamQuest of 3 is running the Rock 'n Roll Marathon in San Diego on **June 5<sup>th</sup>** with the International Dys-



lexia Association. Sponsor the Stellar Academy Team today and create a better future for children and adults with dyslexia. Visit our team page: <http://tinyurl.com/hf2grlj>

## SUMMER CAMP – SPREAD THE WORD



Please spread the word about how our 4-weeks of structured literacy intervention helped your child. Find applications on our web site and in the office.

## Community Events Calendar

Share Bay Area family-friendly and dyslexia-related events from the community with other Stellar families.

- **EdRev Convention** – AT&T Park, San Francisco, **Saturday, April 16th**. Info at - [www.edrevsf.org/](http://www.edrevsf.org/)

## Board Meeting

- **Tuesday, May 17**, 6:00 PM, in the **Stellar Office**. Parents and students welcome.
- **Free Movie, Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup>**, 7:00PM

Our host facility, Neighborhood Church, shows a **FREE family-friendly movie** for the community quarterly throughout the year. The movie will be shown on the "Big Screen" at 7:00 PM. Snacks are available for \$1.00. All Stellar families are cordially invited to attend.



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