



Coronado Unified School District

Silver Strand Elementary School

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Dear Silver Strand Parents:

Here's some news for the short month of June and the end of the school year:

PTO LUAU

Our thanks for the terrific attendance and support at our annual Luau a couple of weeks ago. It was a fun and memorable event for all! Our PTO President, Brandy Church, announced at last week's Friday flagpole that over \$15,000 had been raised at this year's Luau! Kudos and many thanks are extended to our hard-working PTO board members and to all the parents, community members, and staff members who supported and volunteered for this event and who supported our various PTO functions this school year. We appreciate you!

SUMMER ENRICHMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Parents, please don't fret. ☺ Student learning can continue to be enhanced this summer via various summer enrichment opportunities available. The ways that awesome summer learning can continue are as follows:

- 1) Students will have access at home to a number of software programs that they've been using here at school. These include CLO, T2R, Raz-Kids, and Sumdog. Please email Traci Orth at torth@coronadousd.net if you need login or other related information or visit to our website at strand.coronadousd.net/academics/computer-lab/.
- 2) The Coronado Public Library is a valuable resource for children. Ms. Weber from the Coronado Public Library will be visiting Silver Strand next week to share summer reading information and opportunities at the library this summer. Please be sure to ask your son/daughter about the information she shares with them.
- 3) Many teachers, including our reading specialist, may elect to send home information about what you can work on with your child to keep their learning skills sharp over the summer. Please speak with your child's teacher or with our reading specialist, Ellen Cody, about related information.
- 4) Enjoy summer with your children! Just getting out there and spending time playing and exploring together goes a long way with helping to maintain critical thinking skills. Family discussions about places and people visited are always beneficial to children and the power of reading with your child and then discussing what you have read can never be underestimated. Family time is the best, especially when the days are warm and fun and sun are a part of the agenda.
- 5) Finally, please do take advantage of the Coronado Schools Foundation Summer Enrichment Program (see specific information below). They offer a wide variety of opportunities to the children of Coronado via their program.

CORONADO SCHOOLS FOUNDATION – SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Elementary grades

Classes are filling up quickly for the Coronado Schools Foundation's Summer Enrichment Program, July 10-28. New this summer, CSF is offering both morning (8:30-11:30am) and afternoon (12-3pm) week-long classes, grades K-12, for the three-week program. Sign them up for both sessions and CSF staff will supervise them over lunch. Enrich their learning with STEAM-inspired classes like Engineering, Kids in the Kitchen, Amazing Artists, Wacky Science, Guitar, Math Boot Camp, Tennis and Sports Sampler, Knitting/Looming and Navigating Middle School for those moving up to 6th grade. Those entering 4th – 12th grade can enroll in the three-week, ever popular Musical Theatre, taught by CoSA instructor Kim

Strassburger. Taught by credentialed teachers and local experts, CSF offers a multiple-child discount and need-based scholarships. **Such scholarship opportunities are still available at this time.** Please visit www.coronadoenrichment.org to learn more about program offerings. Take advantage of early bird pricing through June 1. Please contact the Coronado Schools Foundation at www.csfkids.org should you require additional information.

UPCOMING END-OF-YEAR DATES

- June 2 – Crazy Hair Day
- June 2 – Crew Rubio Assemblies at 8:45 a.m. (TK-2) and 10:15 (3-5) – Strand Hall
- June 2 – Mrs. Freeman’s Class Play (for parents) – 1:30 p.m. in Strand Hall
- June 3 – Community Bike Ride (from Silver Strand to the Coronado Cays Park) – Meet at SSES at 9:00 a.m.
- June 5 -9 – Last week for specials and before school classes
- June 5 – Choir and Band Performance – 1:05 p.m. in Strand Hall
- June 6 – 4th grade’s outreach program – San Diego Natural History Museum
- June 6 – Final School Site Council meeting – 2:30 p.m. – in Staff Lounge
- June 6 – Last Day of Operation Pals
- June 7 – Pre K outreach program – San Diego Natural History Museum
- June 7 – Coronado Public Library presentations regarding Summer Reading Programs (lunch times)
- June 9 – Final Friday flagpole including honoring “Principal for the Day” Spencer Case
- June 9 – 5th grade field trip to Biz Town
- June 9 – Yearbooks sent home with students
- June 12 – 5th grade field trip to Aquatica
- June 13 and June 16 – Incoming 6th graders – Math Placement Tests at CMS,
 - June 13 at 3:30 p.m. and June 16 at 10:00 a.m.
- June 14 - Awards Assembly, 10:15 a.m. in Strand Hall
- June 15 - 5th Grade Promotion - 10:00 a.m. in Strand Hall (students released to parents after event)
- June 15 – Last Day of School Early Dismissal, K @ 11:40 a.m. & Grades 1-4 @ 12:30 p.m.
 - Please note that report cards will be sent home with students.

FINAL WORDS FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

It has been a wonderful first year with all Silver Strand families and staff members. Thank you all for your support and warmth this school year. Silver Strand has become my “home away from home.” I feel honored to serve such fantastic group of people each day. Wishing each of you and your families a safe and relaxing break filled with some old-fashioned summer time fun in the sun!

Sincerely,



Tammy Marble
Principal

