



WEDNESDAY WAVE

The Daves Avenue Elementary School Weekly Newsletter

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Important Dates

February

- 1-20 **Authors' Day Book Sale**
- 3 **Bookmobile**
- 3-12 **Nonsense in the Northwoods Performances**,
See Page 3, Blossom Hill Elem. MPR
- 6 **LGEF Board Meeting**, 7:00 PM, District Office
- 7 **ABC Book Reader Meeting**, 8:20am, Room B
- 7 **Bingo Night**, 6:00 PM, MU
- 10 **H&SC Meeting**, 8:30 AM
- 10 **Deadline to Register for Science Fair**
- 17 **Bookmobile**
- 13 **LGUSD Board Meeting**, 4:00 PM, District Office
- 20-24 **Winter Recess - NO SCHOOL**
- 27 **LGUSD Board Meeting**, 6:30 PM, District Office
- 28 **H&SC Recruitment Event**, 7 PM

March

- 3 **Bookmobile**
- 6 **LGEF Board Meeting**, 7:00 PM, District Office
- 6-10 **Conference Week - MINIMUM DAYS**
- 10 **H&SC Meeting**, 8:30am, MU
- 16-17 **Science Fair**, MU
- 23 **Authors' Day**
- 25 **Cool Cat Auction**, Hotel Los Gatos

MU = Daves Multi-Use Room

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Daves Avenue Families,

There is great excitement in the air! It is that time of year when Daves Avenue and Blossom Hill Schools showcase their theatrical talents. Please join us for *Nonsense in the North Woods*. The action-packed plot begins with a local newspaper reporting that Bigfoot has kidnapped a resident. While it is a made-up story created by a handyman who works at Lost Loon Lodge, two assistants to the worst congressman in history, take advantage of the fabrication as an excuse to get their boss out of the office. The congressman's assistants, Birch and Pine, are pros at hiding the inept congressman so he won't speak in public about his ludicrous ideas, such as turning the Grand Canyon into a giant lake! With reporters hot on the congressman's trail and lunatic guests at the lodge pursuing Bigfoot, things get crazy!

In the spirit of community building, the three casts are comprised of both Daves Avenue and Blossom Hill students. All performances will be held at Blossom Hill during the first and second weekend in February. For information about the casts or to purchase tickets online, please check the school's website.

A BIG THANKS goes out to all the actors, crew, parent volunteers, and **Mr. Houg** (Blossom Hill teacher) for bringing us the production.

REDWOODS CAST

Fri. 2/7, 7:00 pm - Thu. 2/9 6:00 pm - Sat. 2/11 3:00 pm

SEQUOIA CAST

Sat. 2/4, 3:00 pm - Fri. 2/10, 7:00 pm - Sat. 2/11, 7:00 pm

DOUGLAS FIR CAST

Sat. 2/4, 7:00 pm - Sat. 2/11 11:00 am - Sat. 2/12 1:00 pm


I hope to see you at the show!

Sincerely,

Iqbal Chadda

Principal, Daves Avenue Elementary

DAVES AVENUE HOME & SCHOOL CLUB PRESENTS
COOL CAT AUCTION 2017





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Your Daves Avenue Home & School Club presents
FAMILY



NIGHT

Tuesday February 7th
Doors Open @ 6pm for pizza
Bingo @ 6:30pm
 Daves Avenue Multi-Use Room

ADULT Volunteers & PRIZE Donations
 are still needed: <http://signup.com/go/qmDds3>




PIZZAS & SALADS

Pre-Order Deadline is FRIDAY, Feb 3rd
davesavehsc.org


Questions? **Karin Luton**, Bingo Night Chair

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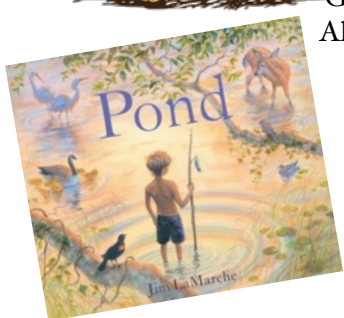
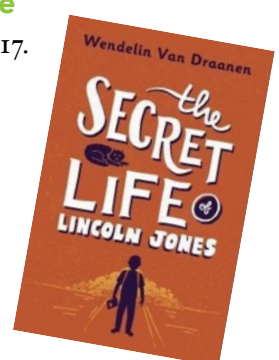
Authors' Day Book Sale



Our Authors' Day Book Sale starts *today*, February 1st, and runs through February 20th. We are so excited to have authors, **Jim LaMarche** and **Wendelin Van Draanen**, visit us on Thursday, March 23, 2017. Get your **personalized and signed** books from the authors. All books will be delivered on Authors' Day. Online book sales are preferred but hard copy order forms are in the office. Visit the **online book store**.

If you have any questions, please contact **Jen Lambert**.

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**Home & School Club
Membership Meetings
Have Changed
UPDATE YOUR CALENDAR!**

February 10th @ 8:30am
in the MPR

*We will be voting on teacher grants
for the 2017-2018 school year at this
meeting - Please come and vote!

March 10th @ 8:30am
in the STAFF LOUNGE

April 14th @ 8:30am
in the MPR

May 12th @ 8:30am
in the MPR

Daves Ave Science Fair is looking for participants!

Science Fair is March 16th & 17th

Last day to register is **February 10th!**

To sign up click **HERE**.



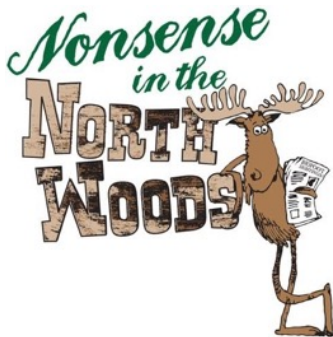
On the website there is also a lot of great
information regarding deadlines, project ideas and
how to setup your projects. All participants will get
their presentation boards courtesy of the Home and
School Club. Signup today!

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Blossom Hill and Daves Avenue Proudly Present:



Our multi talented Brian Houg and the students of **Blossom Hill** and **Daves Avenue** are getting ready to showcase this year's musical mayhem! The story about a local resident from Moose Bottom Lake being kidnapped by Bigfoot may be a fabrication, but Birch and Pine, assistants to the worst congressman in history, take advantage of the rumored sighting of Sasquatch. With reporters hot on the congressman's trail and lunatic guests pursuing Bigfoot, things get even hairier and funnier!

You won't want to miss this No-Nonsense play!

Get your tickets now! Click **HERE!**

Redwood Cast

Friday, Feb 3, 7pm
Thursday, Feb 9, 6pm
Saturday, Feb 11, 3pm

Sequoia Cast

Saturday, Feb 4, 3pm
Friday, Feb 10, 7pm
Saturday, Feb 11, 7pm

Douglas Fir Cast

Saturday, Feb 4, 7pm
Saturday, Feb 11, 11am
Sunday, Feb 12, 1pm

You can search the full cast list [here](#).

Questions? Please contact the **Producers**.

All performances will be held at **Blossom Hill Elementary School's Multi Purpose Room (MPR)**.



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Parent Education Resources and Events

INTERNET SAFETY

Parenting in the Age of Social Media

facilitated by Lisa Fraser and Kendra Nunes

Date: Wednesday, February 15, 2017
Time: 7 pm - 8:30 pm
Location: Fisher Middle School MPR
Adults only - Parents of all Ages

TOPICS:

- What's "normal" for our kids
- Indicators to look out for
- Common pitfalls for kids
- To snoop or not to snoop?

SIGN UP HERE:

bit.ly/SignupInternetSafety

Sgt. Kendra Nunes has been with the San Jose Police Department since 1992. She has worked assignments in patrol and as a Detective in Family Violence, Background Investigations, Internal Affairs and the Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force and Child Exploitation Detail. She has conducted hundreds of investigations involving child sexual abuse and child pornography. She regularly teaches Internet Safety to parents and educators in the hopes of helping parents protect their kids.



Lisa Fraser is the Principal of Fisher Middle School in Los Gatos.

The Parenting Continuum is a community alliance empowering parents to nurture the whole child and the whole family; focusing on providing parent education and resources to parents of children in grades K-12. We are a group of volunteer parents who care and who want to bring awareness, support, and resources to support the navigation of our parenting journeys.

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SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT



Daves Avenue Home & School Club
 Thanks OakTree for Being a
 Community Level Sponsor!

Oak Tree Children's Club has been a ministry of First Baptist Community Church since 1983. Oak Tree has and will continue to provide a safe and secure environment for students of Daves Avenue to grow, play, and interact with each other. Please visit **Oak Tree's website** for more information.

Los Gatos Union School District

Our Community, Our Students, Our Future



February is Registration Month 2017-2018 School Year

Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten registration packets for the 2017-2018 school year will be available beginning **Monday, February 6, 2017** at the following schools in the Los Gatos Union School District:

- Blossom Hill Elementary School**
- Daves Avenue Elementary School**
- Lexington Elementary School**
- Louise Van Meter Elementary School**

- **Kindergarten:** Children whose birthdates are *on or before* September 1, 2012 are eligible to attend Kindergarten.
- **Transitional Kindergarten:** Children whose birthdates are from September 2, 2012 to December 2, 2012 are eligible for Transitional Kindergarten.

A birth certificate, proof of residency, and current immunization records will be required at the time of registration. Only completed packets as described in the enrollment checklist will be accepted starting **Monday, February 13, 2017** at each of the elementary school sites. School sites are not authorized to accept incomplete packets. The second (electronic) step of the registration process will begin **March 31, 2017** with an email notification to preregistered students.

Registration is not complete until the electronic portion has been submitted.

Orientation for parents of incoming Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten students will be held at each elementary school site on:

**Wednesday, May 10, 2017
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.**

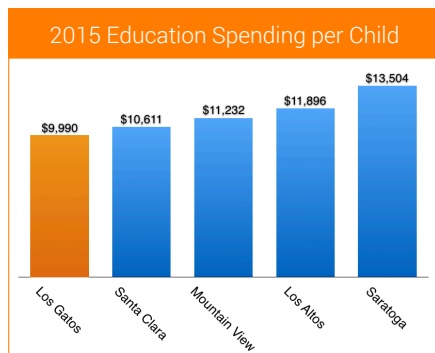
Blossom Hill Elementary School 16400 Blossom Hill Road Los Gatos, CA 95032 408-335-2100	Daves Avenue Elementary School 17770 Daves Avenue Monte Sereno, CA 95030 408-335-2200	Lexington Elementary School 19700 Old Santa Cruz Highway Los Gatos, CA 95033 408-335-2150	Louise Van Meter Elementary School 16445 Los Gatos Boulevard Los Gatos, CA 95032 408-335-2250
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The first day of school for the 2017-2018 school year is Thursday, August 17, 2017.

For further information about our District, including updated information regarding Transitional Kindergarten, please visit our website at: www.lgusd.org or contact Nancy Roan at 408-335-2040.

It's hard to believe...

Los Gatos schools receive **LESS per student** from the state and federal government than other, similar districts.



Source: www.Ed-Data.org

There is NO REASON Los Gatos should lag behind. Donate to LGEF today and your children will benefit all year long.



[DONATE at www.lgef.org](http://www.lgef.org)



Please join the Art Docents of Los Gatos for their annual Valentine Luncheon at Nicks Next Door on February 7th, 11:30am.

It's that time of year again, mark your calendars and sign up today online. It's our very special "[The Love of Art and Friendship](#)" Valentine luncheon.

Date: February 7th

Time: 11:30 a.m.

Location: Nick's Next Door, 11 College Ave

Menu

- Morel Mushroom Risotto Croquettes**
- Roasted Salmon Salad***
- Chocolate Truffle Tart**
- Glass of Wine or Iced Tea**

*Chicken or Vegetarian can be substituted

Use the following link to RSVP: [The Love of Art and Friendship](#)

Invite someone you love to share a beautiful lunch at Nicks Next Door. Seating is limited.

We look forward to seeing you on February 7th!



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Are you a H&SC Committee Chair, Daves Teacher or Administrator, or Community representative? Do you have school-related news or events you want the Daves community to know about? Submit your item by **Friday at noon** to the Wednesday Wave editors at wednesdaywave@gmail.com. Items should be in text (email, Word, Pages, etc.) format, not in PDF or other image file type.

The Wednesday Wave is approved by the H&SC Board and Principal Iqbal Chadda for posting to the Daves Avenue and H&SC web sites on Wednesday, with an email link sent to parents the same day.

The Wednesday Wave Newsletter is written exclusively to provide the Daves Avenue community with school information. Articles, information, calendars, etc. may not be duplicated or re-printed in any manner without the permission of the Home and School Club or the Daves Avenue school administration.

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