



# WEDNESDAY WAVE

The Daves Avenue Elementary School Weekly Newsletter

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## Important Dates

### March

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

### April

- 3-7 **Spring Break - NO SCHOOL**
- 11 **ABC Book Reader Meeting,**  
8:20am, Room B
- 14 **Bookmobile**
- 17-21 **Earth Week**
- 17-21 **Take It To The Streets Week**
- 6 **H&SC 2017-2018 Planning Meeting,**  
8:30am
- 28 **Bookmobile On Campus**

### May

- 2 **Teacher Appreciation Day**
- 2 **ABC Book Reader Meeting, 8:20am,**  
Room B

MU = Daves Multi-Use Room

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Daves Avenue Families,

### MINIMUM DAY REMINDER

**DUE TO CONFERENCE WEEK, NEXT WEEK, MARCH 6-10th WILL BE MINIMUM DAY DISMISSAL EVERYDAY.**

Kinder Dismissal: 11:30 AM

1st - 3rd Grade 12:10 PM

4th - 5th Grade 12:15 PM

If you will be utilizing Clubhouse for your after school care plans, please make sure to contact them prior to next week as they tend to fill up quickly during conference week.

Congratulations to all our winners from our last character card drawing! I will be enjoying a special lunch with them this Friday! The winners were:

Kate Kinczel  
Alyshia LaPlante  
Alec Goddard  
Alex Halsey  
Alexandra West  
Cyrus Mehrany  
Victor Pargas  
Sasha Handyside

We are still looking for lunch time yard duties. Mon/Tue/Thurs/Fri from 11:45am- 12:55pm. In addition, we are looking for more parent volunteers present during this time. Your presence on our blacktop and field areas assists in keeping our lunch recess a safer place.

Have a great week, Cool Cats!

Sincerely,

**Iqbal Chadda**

Principal, Daves Avenue Elementary



## COOL CAT AUCTION

HOTEL LOS GATOS • MARCH 25TH • 6 TO 11PM

For more information check out our [website](#)

**GOT WINE?** We are looking for bottles of wine to be donated for a fun wine pull at our event. If you have a bottle or two (or are willing to get one), please donate them. You can drop off your wine in front of the office every Monday at 8:00am. If you wish to schedule a different drop off time or you have questions, please email [Pamela Wilde](#). These bottles should be special bottles that you would give as a gift (\$20 or greater in value).

**REGISTRATION IS OPEN!**

**Buy your tickets today!**

### VOLUNTEER!

We need your help! [SignUp](#) today to volunteer the day/evening of the event.

### SNEAK PEAK!

#### New Sign-Up Parties

Oktoberfest - October 14th

Champagne & Contemporary Art - May 6th

Tap It Back, Soul Cycle Ride for Daves - date to be determined

Disco Dance Through the Decades for kids 2nd thru 5th grade - June 7th

Passport to Little India for kids - kinder thru 5th - May 4th

and many more...

#### Some of the Exciting Silent Auction Items

Autographed Sharks Jersey • Bay Club 3 Month Family Membership • Wine Tastings in Napa

Autographed Buster Posey Jersey and Baseball • JCC 3 Month Family Membership • Sharks Tickets

Wine Tastings in Los Gatos • Disneyland Park Hopper Tickets • Ninja Warrior Party

San Francisco Giants Tickets • AND MUCH, MUCH MORE....

#### A Night At Hotel Los Gatos

Hotel Los Gatos is offering room discounts the night of the auction. There are **ONLY 5 rooms left** at the special Daves Avenue discount, so book it today! Please contact Alexandria Hohertz to make your reservation at 408-335-1711 or [ahohertz@hotellosgatos.com](mailto:ahohertz@hotellosgatos.com). Please mention that you are with Daves Avenue and are attending the auction on March 25th.

For discounted tickets to the **Cool Cat Auction**,  
get **ONE and DONE** today!

**JOIN THE FAC!** The LGUSD Financial Advisory Committee (FAC) is in need of a Daves Avenue Representative. Click [Here](#) to learn more about the position and apply.



### Daves Ave Book Fair begins this Friday!

**March 3, March 6 - 10 8am - 6pm**

If it's Conference Week, it must also be the Daves Avenue Book Fair! Buying books at the Fair supports our Library, as **25% of the proceeds come back to us!** Think about those favorites you and your family like to re-read as these make great birthday gifts! And if your child's favorite is not at the Fair, we can order it (it usually comes in a week or less!)\*

•Right after school is typically the busiest time, so eat lunch first and then return for more leisurely browsing.

- **PLEASE CHECK OUT THE WISH LIST FROM YOUR CHILD AND THEIR TEACHER** - (See the white board inside the library.)

\*To order books, make a wish list with your child and either email our lovely librarian, [Amy Goldsmith](#), or drop by the library and Mrs. G will process your order. See you at the Fair!



**We wanted to take a minute and recognize all those who have donated to the LGEF "finish line" campaign.**

**Thank you for your support!**

**The real winners are our children who will benefit all year long from your generosity.**

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### Join the H&SC Nominating Committee!

We are looking for volunteers for some limited help. The Nominating Committee is responsible for proposing the slate of officers for the Home & School Club. The Committee will be putting the proposed slate together for the 2017-2018 school year. The Committee will function mostly by e-mail and a couple of phone calls at convenient times for everyone.

#### Open Positions:

Vice President

Treasurer

Please let me know if you are interested in participating on this committee. Individuals participating on the Nominating Committee are not excluded from being considered on the Board of Directors.

**Nicole Reginelli**

H&SC Parliamentarian  
Chair, Nominating Committee

*Fisher Musical Theater Presents*

***Roald Dahl's James and the Giant Peach***

A new musical for the whole family to enjoy, featuring a wickedly tuneful score by the Tony Award-nominated team of Pasek and Paul and a curiously quirky book by Timothy Allen McDonald. When James is sent by his conniving aunts to chop down their old fruit tree, he discovers a magic potion that results in a tremendous peach... and launches a journey of enormous proportions. A delightfully offbeat adaptation of the classic Roald Dahl adventure, critics rave: *James and the Giant Peach* is a "masterpeach!" **Performances are March 9<sup>th</sup> – March 12<sup>th</sup>. Get your tickets at <http://fisherhsc.seatyourself.biz>**



**Are you leading the Pledge of Allegiance  
at an upcoming Town Council meeting?**

We are recruiting students on behalf of the **Mayor** for an exciting opportunity to **lead the Pledge of Allegiance at an upcoming Town Council meeting**. The grade level is K-12 and the **students must live in Los Gatos**. **Project Cornerstone** has been approached to empower and include youth into our town's activities and we think it's a wonderful opportunity!

The Mayor invites a student to lead the pledge at each council meeting to give them an opportunity to be introduced to "Democracy in Action." The time commitment required is from 6:45 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. The pledge is at the beginning of the meeting, and there is no need to stay for the entire meeting.

The Mayor introduces the students at the meeting with information about their academics, leadership, community service, sports, favorite subjects and other interesting facts. **Please download, complete and send this form to [AndreaAnderson1@me.com](mailto:AndreaAnderson1@me.com) by March 15th**. After our selection process, we will let you know if you have been chosen. Please mark all the dates you can attend. The higher your availability, the better your chances to be selected.

The students can watch themselves after the meeting on KCAT and also on the Town's website, which most youth find very interesting!

The next available meeting dates are:

April 4, 2017 • April 18, 2017 • May 2, 2017 • May 16, 2017 • June 6, 2017 • June 20, 2017

**Daves Avenue Home & School Club Thanks **Addison-Penzak JCC** for Being a Community Level Sponsor**

Where can you find an award-winning Los Gatos health club, heated swimming pool, summer camp, after-school programs, sports leagues, and kids' classes in basketball, circus arts, dance, martial arts, STEM, swimming, soccer, tennis, yoga and more? The Addison-Penzak Jewish Community Center (JCC) is a non-profit, non-sectarian community center that welcomes people of all faiths and backgrounds. Visit our beautiful 9-acre campus at 14855 Oka Road in Los Gatos and see what we have to offer!

Find out more at [www.apjcc.org](http://www.apjcc.org).





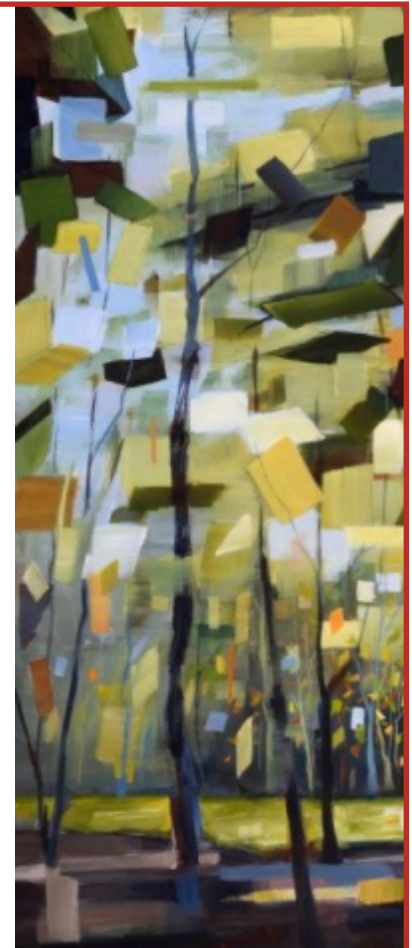


## GUEST ARTIST PROGRAM HOLLY VAN HART

Art Docents' Guest Artist program brings the artist studio directly to the children. In March, Holly Van Hart will inspire LGUSD Elementary schools' students with live demonstration.

Holly Van Hart paints abstract nature paintings that surprise us with unusual colors and textures, and ignite new excitement about a particular slice of nature.

To learn more about the Guest Artist program, visit [www.artdocents.com](http://www.artdocents.com).



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](mailto: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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