

Rescue Union School District

PLEASANT GROVE MIDDLE SCHOOL

September 2009 NEWSLETTER

www.myplesantgrove.com
www.rescue.k12.ca.us

Reid Briggs, Principal
Dave Scroggins, Assistant Principal

530-672-4400 Phone

September

1st Magazine Turn In Day #2

3rd Hearing Tests 8th Grade

4th Obstacle Course (Lunch)

7th Holiday

8th District Day, no students

11th Family Fun Night

12th Music Booster Car Wash

16th Bus Evacuation Drill

17th Site Council 2:30 PM

18th Movie in School, TBD

21st PTO Meeting 6:30 PM

28th Min Day, Conferences

29th Min Day Conferences

30th Min Day Conferences

Dates to Remember

Oct. 20th
Picture Retake Day

Oct. 22nd
IZ Xtreme Shots

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

SCHOOL WIDE FUNDRAISER

We have kicked off our Annual Magazine Fundraiser. Students are excited about the special events planned as reward parties. Prizes are awarded at each turn-in day for students who have sold magazines. If you have not yet ordered or renewed, now is the time to may your purchase. All the proceeds go directly to support our school.

PLEASANT GROVE RADIO STATION

Did you know we now have our very own radio station? Students assembled the station from many, many parts. They have recorded our newsletter information as well as other important news. TUNE in to channel 107.1 FM while you are in our parking lot or nearby to hear the updates!

MUSIC BOOSTERS

Music Booster has scheduled a Fundraiser Car Wash on September 12th. Music students will wash and dry your car for a small donation. Come by the school on Saturday, September 12th from 10:00 to 2:00 PM. Proceeds from this event directly support our Music program.

SNAPGRADES

Have you checked out our newest electronic tool? This is for parents and students to keep track of grades on-line daily or weekly if you wish. Go to www.snapgrades.net and sign up. Password and ID information was handed out at Back to School Night. You will need your students ID number (located on their Student ID card and your temporary password. Call the office and we will be happy to assist you.

SITE COUNCIL

The next meeting will be held on September 17th from 2:30 to 4:00 pm in the Library. Discussion of our School Improvement Plan will be the topic. Parents are welcome to attend.

GATE TESTING

Jackson School, September 19th, 9:00 for grade 3, 10:30 for grades 4-8, Permission forms are available in the school office or on the website at rescue.k12.ca.us

OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Pleasant Grove is in the process of collecting registration fees for all 6th grade students attending the Outdoor Ed trip. The total cost is \$285.00 and final payment is due by September 15th. This trip is planned; however, if we do not receive enough funds the trip will be cancelled and an alternative Science course will be offered here at Pleasant Grove. So, if you haven't may your final payments yet and are planning to attend, now is the time to get those in to the office.

A NOTE FROM THE SCHOOL NURSE

If your student takes medication(s) at school, please stop by the health office and drop off the medical the last day of school. Students CANNOT bring medication to school. California Education Code requires that a new medication form be completed by the physician and parent for each school year. Forms are available in the school office.

Cross Country Meets

9/2	PG vs /Sutter/Rolling Hills	4:00
9/9	PG @ Sutter	4:00
9/16	PG @ Folsom	4:00
9/23	PG vs Folsom/Marina	4:00
9/30	PG @ Marina	4:00
10/8	League Finals	TBD

Girls Volleyball Games

9/1	PG vs Folsom	3:30
9/3	PG vs Marina	3:30
9/8	PG @ Camerado	3:30
9/10	PG vs Sutter	3:30
9/15	PG @ Rolling Hills	3:30
9/17	PG @ Folsom	4:00
9/22	PG @ Marina	3:30
9/24	PG vs Camerado	3:30
9/29	PG @ Sutter	4:00
10/6	League Tourn.	TBD

Boys Volleyball Games

9/1	PG @ Folsom	4:00
9/3	PG @ Marina	4:00
9/8	PG vs Camerado	3:30
9/10	PG @ Sutter	4:00
9/15	PG vs Rolling Hills	3:30
9/17	PG vs Folsom	3:30
9/22	PG vs Marina	3:30
9/24	PG @ Camerado	3:30
9/29	PG vs Sutter	3:30
10/6	League Tourn	TBD

CARPPOOL INFORMATION

www.edctc.org

Contact Transportation at (530)672-4310 or the El Dorado County Transit Authority at (530) 648-5383 to sign up.

H1N1 FLU

We are working closely with the El Dorado County Public Health Department to monitor flu conditions. Here are a few things that we will be encouraging.

- Teach your children to wash their hands
- Teach your children not to share personal items
- Cover coughs or sneezes with a tissue and into your elbow.
- Know the Signs and Symptoms of Influenza-Like-Illness/Flu
- Keep sick children at home
- Do not send children to school if they are sick

Symptoms include fever (100.0 degrees Fahrenheit, 37.8 degrees Celsius or higher) AND a cough OR sore throat.

For more information visit www.flu.gov

REWARD!

We Tip – up to \$1,000

Theft at Rescue Union School District
We need your help! If you have any information regarding person(s) involved in any crime you are strongly urged to call We Tip at 1-800-78-CRIME. You will remain completely anonymous and may be eligible for a reward if your information leads to an arrest and conviction. You may call 24/7 or contact www.wetip.com

EMAIL ADDRESSES WANTED

We are in the process of updating our computer system database. If you have not given us your email address, please email it to rbriggs@rescue.k12.ca.us This information will allow us to contact you with school information and alerts.

COUNSELOR CORNER

Motivation

Please talk to your student about motivation. At the beginning of the school year, students are excited and enthusiastic about school. Now is a great time to set-up a study area and encourage your student to stay on top of their homework. Thanks for your help!

FAMILY FUN NIGHT – September 11th

Once again our PTO is sponsoring s Family Fun Night. The events run from 6 to 8:30 PM. PTO has a fun night planned with food, games, prizes and events

CONFERENCE DAYS

Sept .28th and 29th are by invitation only
Sept. 30th from 12:00 to 2:30 is open for parents to come by and visit with teachers in the Multipurpose room. First come, First served!

