



# Marcum Matters

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**April 2017**

### Upcoming Events

- 3<sup>rd</sup>- Board Meeting  
6:00 p.m.
- 5<sup>th</sup>- Parents' Club Meeting  
3:30 p.m. in the Library
- 6<sup>th</sup>- Field Trip  
1<sup>st</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grades  
-Softball @ PG 3:15 p.m.
- 7<sup>th</sup>- Egg Drop (See Flyer)  
3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades  
-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Trip Orders Due
- 10<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>-Spring Break  
No School
- 24<sup>th</sup>- CAASPP Testing Begins
- 28<sup>th</sup>- Progress Reports
- 25<sup>th</sup>- Spring Pictures  
-8<sup>th</sup> Grade & Kindergarten  
Graduation Pictures
- 27<sup>th</sup>- Field Trip  
K and 1<sup>st</sup>

\*\*\*Shady Creek May 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>

**\*Remember to visit  
MySchoolBucks to view and  
pay your Cafeteria and Wildcat  
Care bills.**



### Intent to Return

With only 2 months of school left, the year is quickly coming to an end! In order to see how many spaces we will have available for new students, please fill out the enclosed "Intent to Return" form for your child(ren) and return it to Stacey ASAP. Even if you don't plan on them returning, please mark the "Will not return" line and return the form so we know how many spaces we will have open in each class.

### 17-18 Enrollment

Enrollment for the 2017-2018 school year will open on April 3<sup>rd</sup>. Interested families may pick up packets in the school office. Tk-8<sup>th</sup> grade families can contact Stacey at (530)656-2407x10 and Preschool families can contact Shasta at (530)656-2407x18 if they have any questions.

### CAASPP Assembly

On April 21, at 2:00, we will be holding an assembly for 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade to kick off CAASPP (California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress)! During the assembly, we will be recognizing students for their outstanding performance on last year's CAASPP. We will also be encouraging students to do their best on this year's assessments. Parents are welcome to join us at this assembly.

### CAASPP

CAASPP Testing for 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades will begin on April 24<sup>th</sup> and go through May 26<sup>th</sup>. Students will need to get a lot of sleep and eat a healthy breakfast on the days they are testing, so that they can perform at their best. Also, please be sure to have your children at school on time these days, so that testing can start without delay. For more information from the CDE on testing, please refer to the enclosed document.

### Shady Creek

During the week of May 1<sup>st</sup>-May 5<sup>th</sup>, the 6<sup>th</sup> grade class will be going on the annual trip to Shady Creek Outdoor School. Here they will take classes and learn about science and nature. The students are able to receive letters and most love getting mail delivered to them. If you'd like to send a letter to one of the students, please address your envelope as follows:



Child's Name  
C/O Ms. Dale  
Shady Creek Outdoor School  
18601 Pathfinder Way  
Nevada City, CA 95959

### Parents' Club

Our upcoming Parents' Club meeting is April 5<sup>th</sup> at 3:30. We need new officers so if you are interested please stop by the meeting or call the school office. The Popcornopolis fundraiser raised over \$3,000! Thank you to everyone who was able to buy/sell some popcorn. The students who sold \$50 of popcorn will get a special ice cream party on April 4<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm (special thanks to Collins Lake for the ice cream donation). Popcorn orders should go home with your child on April 6<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your continued support!