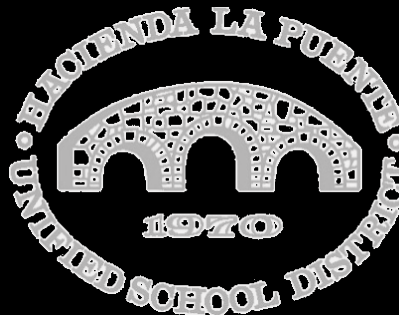


# Superintendent's Report to the Board



Hacienda La Puente USD  
April 13, 2017



# What is Science Olympiad?

A Hands-on, Minds-on Competition using

(Science, Technology, Engineering and Math)

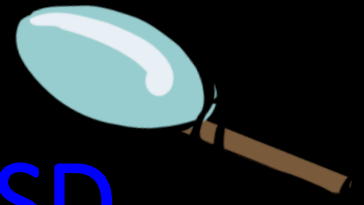


## Science Olympiad Goals:

- ❖ Increase student interest in STEM fields
- ❖ Recognition for outstanding achievement in science
- ❖ Encourage teamwork and group learning, a required skills in most scientific careers today

Students engage in 23 rigorous, academic, interdisciplinary events (nature of genetics, earth science, chemistry, anatomy, physics, geology, mechanical engineering and technology). They prepare for these events throughout the year.

# Take a Closer Look @ 2017 Science Olympiad in HLPUSD



**37 teams**

**31 schools**

**555 students**

**23 Elem teams**

**10 MS teams**

**4 HS teams**

**1 new Elem team- Del Valle**

**Welcome back:**

**Lassalette El & MS, Mesa Robles El. Sparks El and Workman El  
to our Science Olympiad family**

**16 new coaches joined the ranks for their teams**

# High School & Middle School Bragging Rights



**La Puente HS (+78 Points +5 places)**



**Wilson HS - 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the County & 12<sup>th</sup> in the State Science Olympiad**



**Workman HS (+79 points +3 places)**



**Fairgrove MS (+112 points +9 places)**



**Grandview MS (+80 points +3 places)**



**Mesa Robles MS -1<sup>st</sup> place in the county & 9<sup>th</sup> in the State Science Olympiad**



**Newton MS (+56 points +1 place)**



**Sierra Vista MS (+89 points +7 places)**



**Sparks MS (+44 points +4 places)**

# Elementary Schools Beam with Pride

Cedarlane El tied for 1<sup>st</sup> place in the County

Wedgeworth placed 5<sup>th</sup> in the County

Grazide earned gold medals 7 years in a row

Los Molinos earned gold medals 5 years in a row



Fairgrove El -1<sup>st</sup> silver medal

Grandview El -1<sup>st</sup> silver medal

Kwis -1<sup>st</sup> silver medal in 4 years

Nelson -1<sup>st</sup> silver medal in 4 years

Valinda El -4 silver medals in a row



## Point Gains from 2016->2017

Bixby +15 Cedarlane +75 Fairgrove +130

Grandview +35 Kwis +60 Nelson +35

Temple +40 Wedgeworth + 50

Speaking of



...

Our speakers for the evening are:

Cedarlane El    Division A

**Anex Reynaga**

Newton MS    Division B

**Kyle Ngo**

La Puente HS    Division C

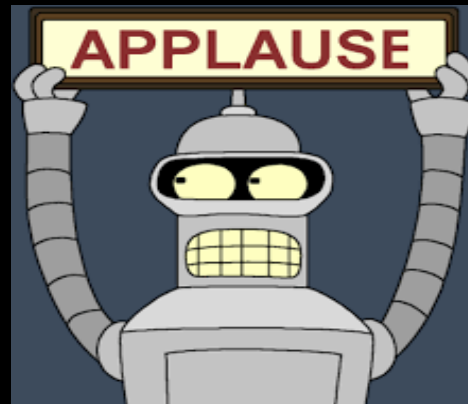
**Robert Rice and Laura Villalobos**

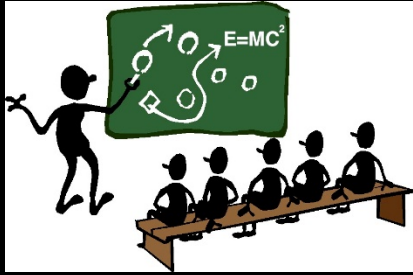
# HLPUSD



# Teams

**Please stand when your quad is called and hold your applause until all teams in the quad are called. You may be seated after all schools in the quad are announced.**





## LP Quad

Jason Brown, Ana Benitez, Heather Murphy, Mark Kawakami, Louis Palomino, Christina Skaggs, Patti Rodriguez, Evelyn Conde, Lina Bak, Harpreet Dhir, Maggie Jardine, Elizabeth Girvan, Maria Lara, Adrienne Nguyen

## LA Quad

Jason Ackermann, Chris Becker, Shirley Chen, Jim Minalt, Danny Hguyen, Catalina Fukuda, Jack Su, Sam Higbee, Terri Burgess, Myrna Sanchez, Rosalie Tecumseh, Michelle Choi, Melissa Echavarria, Debra Hsu, Andrew Powell, Walter Hsu, Wendy Aguirre, Ryan, Yamishiro, Eddie McRae,

# Olympiad Coaches

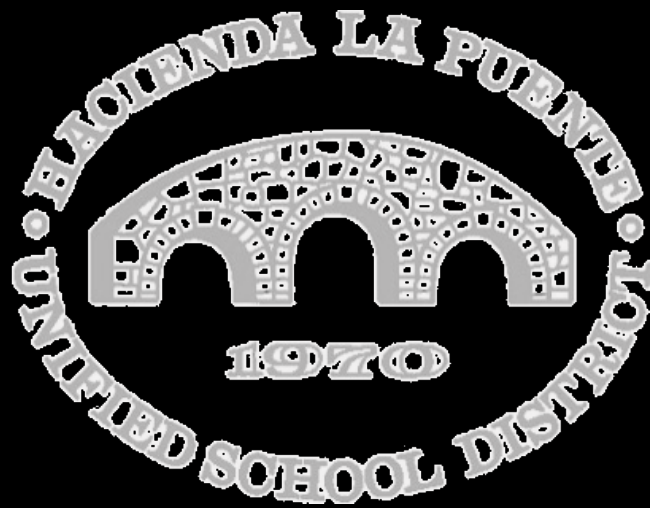
## WI Quad

- Jung Han, Ernesto Leon, Jennifer Collins, Alaric Qin
- Jim Noiboonsook, Allen Leung, Jenny Leung, Mark Shin, Erick Magnuson, Claudia Aguilar, Luisa Conci, Susanna Lee, Brialle Kammert, Michelle Slingoff, Robert Yamasaki, Deborah Singletary, Becky Gutierrez, Rachel Heyrend, Priscilla Dea,

## WO Quad

Jackie Wicker, Greg Wood, Donnie May, Steph Bendlin, Karen Closson, Grace Granda-Burns, Kathy Magsino, Gary Uyeda, Mike Wiltsey, Robert Yamasaki, Alma Zavala, Eileen Terry, Heather Vargas, Kristen Leyson Name, Beth Hedstrom, Cathy Fricker, Lisa Lam, Steven Pilar, Jose Pina, Alicia Gabela, Colleen Mc Collom, Christine Ausdemore, Nataly Buenrostro-Velez, Rebecca Contreras, Yukiko Avila, Karin Luthi, Miguel Marin, Wendy Wilson, Adrianna Amaya, Imelda Rodriguez, Hector Luken, Jennifer Trumble, Selena Lopez, Marlon Donis





**Congratulations to all our students,  
coaches, parents and administrators.**



A white, 3D desk sign with a rectangular top and a triangular base. The sign is positioned at an angle, showing its depth. The top surface is white and features a thin, double-lined rectangular border. In the center of this surface, the words "Thank You" are written in a blue, cursive script. The sign is set against a solid black background.

Thank You