

Flory Academy Newsletter

January 2018

Flory Academy
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Flory School Hours
Monday – Thursday
Grades 4-5
8:30am – 2:50 pm
Grades TK-3
8:45am – 2:50 pm

<u>Friday</u> Grades TK-5



#### **Message From The Principal:**

Happy New Year and Happy Birthday! I want to wish all of our students, families, and staff a happy and prosperous new year! I am also excited to share that Flory is turning 90 in 2018. Flory school was established in 1918 on land originally purchased from the Flory family. Please stay tuned this Spring as we have some activities and events to celebrate this milestone.

We are excited to announce that our annual STEM Night (formally Science Extravaganza) will begin at 6:00pm on January 25<sup>th</sup>. STEM night is a hands on family and learning event that highlights many of the activities taking place on campus, as well as a few cool STEM activities from our community.

Our annual LCAP survey is now available. This is an opportunity to provide input into our Local Control and Accountability Plan. You can take the survey via our school or district website, or at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/vnpp5s7. If you would prefer a paper copy, you may pick up and return one at any school office. Paper surveys are due by Jan. 26, 2018. Your input on school district priorities is important and we value your time to complete the survey.

Finally, I look forward to a very successful 2018. Our major school-wide goal is to improve our math fluency and have all students master their grade level math facts. You can help by practicing math facts with your students each night. If you would know what your child's grade level math facts are, or ways to help your child practice, please ask your child's teacher. You may also use a variety of online resources, and for more information on math fluency in the common core era, please check out www.youcubed.org.

Thank you and Happy New Year!

With gratitude,

Scott Mastroianni

Principal

#### Martin Luther King Jr.

January 15th has been designated as a school holiday in commemoration of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday. Students will be studying the contributions of this famous American through class discussions and presentations.



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# A Note From The Health Office

Our health office is in need of 3 volunteers for vision and hearing screenings on January 9-11. Thank you!



#### **Success Express**

AM Care is available from 6:30-8am, Limited Participation 1 class is available from 2:50-3:40pm, Full Participation 3 classes available from 2:50-5:20 pm, and PM Care is available from 5:20-6pm. For prices and more information please contact. Jenny Murry Lead Teacher @ (805)517-1734.

#### **Attention 5th Grade Families**

If you're interested in having your child attend 6th grade at a middle school outside of your regular school attendance area, you may pick up a Parental Choice Transfer Request form online or District Office beginning January 29th and will be accepted until March 29th.



#### **Messages And Lunches For Students**

Classrooms should not be interrupted for messages. If you have an important message for your child or a late lunch, it will be left in the teacher's box, which is checked at recess and lunch. We are unable to forward any calls during these valuable learning times. Thank you for your support for the education of all Flory students.

#### **Doctor/Dentist Appointments**

Many students are being checked out for an appointment and are not returning. While we realize that some appointments are long and your child must be out the entire day, we ask that children do return if possible.

Studies show that the more time students are in school, the greater their success. Any time that an appointment can be scheduled after school hours helps even more.

## Congratulations To Our Honor Roll Students Gold & Silver December 2017

#### 4th Grade Gold Honor Roll

Ball, Aaron Luekenga, Elijah Valencia, Diego

Beatty, Maximus Mohammad, Sarfaraz Shaik Vo, Emery

Bender, Sunjay Philip, Zara
Craft, Katelyn Robison, Jack
Lorenzen, Ryan Seaborn, Dean

#### 4th Grade Silver Honor Roll

Ampabathina, Shraavya Deevi, Sarayu Juarez, Yaylen Armijo, Parker Duran, Madelyn Kadosono, Aiko

Brittsan, Marcus Ganduri, Sathvik Martinez, JoseJulian

Conde, Benjamin Garcia, Isaac Niakan, Kayvon
Cunningham, Ashley Hammock, Ian Srivastava, Trisha

Daringer, Wyatt Jimenez, Alison

#### 5<sup>th</sup> grade Gold Honor Roll

Abilliera, Owen	Conyers, Brady	Popuri, Aditya	Zecheru, Mihai
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Adapa, Gayatri Delgado, Sophia Purcell, Delilah

Alvarez, Anthony Hafer, Caden Sarpal, Amber

Aouda, Andre Huma, Sarah Sherbrooke, Samantha

Ash, Trevor Joshi, Rahul Singh, Dupinder Barnes, Justine LaBelle, Addyson Torres, Amaris

Bateman, Benjamin Peterson, Weston Warren, Brooke

#### 5<sup>th</sup> grade Silver Honor Roll

Azarcoya, Nicolas Garcia, Natalie Lammer, Zachary Smith

Clinton, Holly Gast, Wyatt Mendelson, Allison

Corralejo, Jaydin Gutierrez, Yovani Parra, Jessica

Duran, Lyzette Janiga, Madisen Reddy, Ashrita

Foss, Alayna Kemp, Aidan Vaca Venegas, Mikey

Garcia, Elizabeth Kievman, Kyle Warren, Camryn

#### 5<sup>th</sup> grade Growth & Development

Parent preview night will be held:

Thursday, January 18, 2018 6:00 p.m.

#### **Peach Hill Academy**

13400 Christian Barrett Dr., Moorpark Rooms 19, 23, 24



Help make Moorpark an even better place to live.



Help Support Flory Academy!

If you own a business please sponsor this newsletter.

Contact Heather Brown at 818.325.5336 for more information.

## Sponsorship Opportunity

## **Important Dates**

### **January**

- 1-5 No School-Winter Break
- 8 School Resumes
- 9-11 Vision & Hearing Screening
- 12 Peacemaker 8:30am
  Chess Club @ 1:10pm room16
- 15 No School-Martin Luther King Jr.
- 16 Coffee Talks @ 9am School Board Mtg. @ 6:30pm
- 17 PTA Mtg. @ 6pm
- Information Night
  6pm English
  7pm Spanish
  5th Grade Growth & Development Parent Preview
  Night@ 6pm @ Peach Hill
- 19 Chess Club @ 1:10pm Rm 16
- 22 No School-Teacher In-Service
- 23 School Tour @ 9am
- 25 STEM Night @ 6pm
- 26 2nd Trimester Progress Reports8:45 am Terrific Kids AssemblyChess Club @ 1:10pm Rm 16
- 30 School Tour @ 9am

  NAEP (National Assessment of
  Educational Progress)

## **February**

- 2 Peacemaker 8:30am Chess Club @ 1:10pm room16
- 6 Vision Recheck
  School Tour @ 9am
- 7 Coffee Talk w/Principal @ 9am
- 8 SSC 3pm
  ELAC/DELAC Mtg. @ 5:30pm
- 9 Chess Club @ 1:10pm room16 Sci-Fi Dance @ 6pm
- 13 School Tour @ 9am
  School Board Mtg. @ 6pm
- 15 Hearing Recheck
- 16 No School-Recess
- 19 No School-President's Day
- 23 Student of the Month @ 8:45am
- 27 School Board Mtg. @ 6pm
- 28 LCAP 4pm

### **PTA Corner**

#### **President's Message**

Welcome back everyone! I hope you all had a wonderful winter break. □

We are back in full swing with lots of events coming up. Interested in helping out and getting involved? We'd love it! You can always reach out to us at: <a href="mailto:floryacademypta@gmail.com">floryacademypta@gmail.com</a> or inquire in the front office. There's always something to do.

Box Tops – Please keep collecting those box tops. A few things to remember: Check the expiration date, we cannot submit them if they've expired. Please trim your box tops (see the pics below for examples of what we can accept and what we cannot). Our current class collection challenge ends at the end of this month. So, keep checking those boxes for box tops. Ask your family to save theirs for you too! We get \$0.10 for each one we collect! It all adds up!





STEM Night – Save the date! Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> is our annual STEM night event. This is one of our favorites as it showcases what Flory is all about! Come and join us for a FREE evening of hands on STEM activities. We will have our friends from Sub-Zero on site in addition to a food truck. You won't want to miss this!



Flory is 90!!! Did you know that our CAWESOME school is 90? We are putting together a wonderful celebration and can't wait to see it all come together. Keep your eye and ears peeled for more info soon.



Lastly, our community has been eager to help those affected by the devastating fires. Our school is working with a couple of organizations to provide support.

Firstly, we are working with an elementary school in Ventura that has 14 children that lost their homes. Their PTO has set up a program for people to lend their support as the families needs arise. We have joined that network and will keep you all posted on what they need as they update us. Please stay tuned for that.

Secondly, our students are also part of the Thomas Fire letter and art campaign. We will be submitting letters and artwork of thanks to the following organizations: Cal Fire station 43, Ventura County Station 40, and USFS Los Padres National Forest. If you would like to send a letter of thanks, please submit it to the front office by January 15th.

Thank you all for your continued support. I wish you all health, happiness and prosperity in 2018. Remember to stay present and enjoy every moment.

With gratitude,

**Natalie Perkins** 

PTA President

# KIDS AT FLORY ACADEMY?



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