



FREMONT BULLETIN

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**Parent Conferences this Thursday and Friday!
See your Period 1 teacher for more information!**

Theater Club Auditions

By Sophia S.

Did you know the Theater club is having auditions for a play called **The Collective**? The Collective is an original play written by our very own Ms. Moore and the play is



based off of a popular game called Among Us. Here's the gist: A teacher, Ms. Macklin or Mr. Macklin, and their students are sucked into the game and all the students have to complete chores while

trying to avoid the trickster.

If you would like more information about the play or Auditions go to Ms. Moore to know more about it. Auditions will be held on Tuesday, February 2nd at 2pm. If any students would like to audition, please fill out this Google Form ASAP:

<https://forms.gle/v3rcdFA4boGUrqGL7>

February Lineup

By Abigail, Natalia, and Mariah

Dates	Events
February 2nd	Groundhog's Day
February 1st through 3rd	Spelling Bee Grade Test
February 10th	School Spelling Bee
February 12th through 15th	4 Day Weekend
February 10th and 17th	IAB Test
February 2nd 2pm to 4pm	Auditions for the school play
Every Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:30am to 1pm	New tech help hours
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday at 8am to 1pm Wednesday at 11am to 4 pm	New Office Hours
Every Wednesday at 9am to 5:30pm	Food Distribution
February 12th	Mariah 14th Birthday

COVID-19 Vaccine

By Sophia, Katherine, Karolin, and Alyssa

The Coronavirus has been spreading like crazy and so, throughout the months, the stores are getting shut down. Beginning in the new year, there has been access to



one of two covid vaccines that came out. Vaccines may include pain at the injection site, tiredness, headaches,

muscle pain or chills and fever. All that might be really painful, but it is really worth it because it will help us a lot. If we get COVID, we won't be as sick as actually having COVID without the vaccine.

Most of the elderly already got the shot and so far over one million doses a day. According to Google, The U.S has over 41.4 Million Doses of COVID-19 Vaccines and we are almost out of them and having to create more vaccines.

Most people should get vaccinated because it's safe for yourself and for others too. There should be some side effects, but that's a sign that your body is building protection so when you have COVID, the vaccine is ready to fight the virus in you.

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Battle of the Java Sea

By Laphis M

In 1942, a Japanese amphibious naval force preparing to invade the Dutch East Indies island of Java was intercepted by the main allied naval force under the command of Dutch Rear-Admiral Karel Doorman consisting of two heavy cruisers (HMS Exeter and USS Houston), three light cruisers (Doorman's flagship HNLMS De Ruyter, HNLMS Java, HMAS Perth), and nine destroyers. The Japanese task force defending the convoy commanded by

Rear-Admiral Takeo Takagi consisted of two heavy cruisers (Nachi and Haguro) and two light cruisers (Naka and Jintsu), and 14 destroyers including the 4th



Destroyer Squadron under the command of Rear Admiral Shoji Nishimura. The Japanese heavy cruisers were much more powerful, armed with ten 8 inch guns (203 mm) guns each and superior torpedoes and by comparison, HMS Exeter was armed only with six 8 inch guns and only six of USS Houston 8 inch guns were operable after her aft turret was knocked out in a earlier air attack.

The battle was a series of attempts over a seven hour period by Doorman's task force to attack the invasion force, each attempt was pushed back by the escort force, causing massive damage to the allied forces.

When the battle began, both sides showed poor gunnery and torpedo skills, missing multiple times until HMS Exeter was critically damaged by a hit in the boiler room by a 8 inch shell and retreated back to Surabaya, escorted by a destroyer. Then the Japanese launched two massive torpedo salvos, consisting of 92 torpedoes in all, but scored only one hit, on the destroyer HNLMS Kortenaer, which almost instantly broke in half and sank. The destroyer HMS Electra- covering the crippled Exeter, engaged in a duel with Jintsu and the destroyer Asagumo,

scoring several hits and causing Asagumo to retire, but was completely crippled and out of ammo, abandoned ship was ordered. Eventually, the Allied fleet broke off and



turned away and shortly after, lost HMS Jupiter to a mine. Shortly after, at night, the fleet encountered Japanese escort group again and exchanged fire until De Ruyter and Java were sunk by one devastating torpedo salvo, killing Doorman

and most of the crew. The surviving ships, low on ammo and fuel, all retired and escaped.

On March 1, in two separate battles, the Exeter, Perth, and Houston and several other destroyers were found and sunk by the Japanese. The result of the battle was disastrous. The main allied naval force had been almost totally destroyed: 10 ships and approximately 2,173 sailors were lost. The battle ended all significant Allied naval operations in Southeast Asia in 1942, Japanese land forces successfully invaded Java, and the Dutch surface fleet was practically eradicated from Asian waters, and all Allied forces retreated to Australia shortly after. The last Allied forces surrendered on March 9.

Fremont Theatre Club will be producing a completely virtual school play. The play is an original piece Ms. Moore is writing based on the game Among Us (as requested)!

The play is about a class that has to band together to find and rescue their teacher who has fallen into the internet and has become a part of trendy new game everyone is playing called The Collective. The play even has audience participation! The audience will choose who the 'trickster' is.



Any current Fremont student is welcome to come audition for the play, they do not need to be a current Theatre Club member. All rehearsals will be via Zoom and performances will be live streamed in March. Theatre Club is very excited about this play and ready to take on the world of virtual theatre!

If interested, you must fill out this form:

<https://forms.gle/y3rcdFA4boGUrqGL7>

These are the ONLY auditions, so if you forget or don't make it, sorry but...There is always next year!!

2021 Inauguration Day Highlights

By Naomi M, Alicia H, & Jacqueline C



A new year and a new president. Joe Biden gave his acceptance speech and made sure to thank his campaign staff, supporters, family, and Kamala Harris for his win. Joe Biden promised in his speech to unite a divided nation and rally the country to solve problems at home and abroad. "I will govern as an American President. I will work as hard for those who didn't vote for me as those who did. Let this grim era of demonization in America begin to end here and now." Biden appealed to all Americans to help make his presidency a success and vows to 'unify' The United States.

Twenty-two year old Amanda Gorman also stole the inauguration show with her poem "The Hill We Climb." She has since signed with IMG Models. Good Morning America confirms that Gorman will be taking part in the Super Bowl LV pregame show. Amanda has also been on the "Daily Show." She also has written a book called *The One for Whom Food Is Not Enough* and is coming out with three new books this year.

Later that same day, U.S Vice President Kamala Harris made her first speech as Vice President. She talked about the long battle women had to face for the right to vote, and "While I may be the first woman in this office, I will not be the last." She thanked all black women saying, "too often overlooked, but so often prove that they are the backbone of our democracy." In her speech, she also thanked Biden and his family for welcoming her family into theirs on "this incredible journey."



Valentine Art Ideas

By Sophia S , Katherine B, Alyssa C, & Karolin A

Valentine's Day is around the corner. Here are some ideas for Valentine's gifts or presents like making cards or making paper roses. You could also make paper hearts. There are many other things you can also do for



Valentine's Day. Even making little arts and crafts. You can write that special someone a poem or sing

if you like. Edible treats like cookies or cupcakes are another thing you could make for Valentine's Day. If you don't have a gift for a person on Valentine's Day, you could make them breakfast or lunch or even dinner. Anything you want to do or make can even be a great Valentine's Day gift as long as you put thought into the gift.

Yearbook Sales Canceled for 2020/21

*If you pre-purchased online or at the school office, please contact them for a refund.

A-G High School Requirements

By Ms. Sweet

If any 8th grader is curious about what classes you need to take to graduate or even what classes you need to get into a UC or CSU college, check out this chart and go to <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ci/gq/hs/hsqrtable.asp> for more information.

High School Subject Area	State Mandated Requirements* (EC 51225.3) for High School Graduation	UC Requirements for Freshman Admissions	CSU Requirements for Freshman Admissions
English	Three Years	Four years of approved courses	Four years of approved courses
Mathematics	Two years, including Algebra I, beginning in 2003-04. (EC 51224.5)	Three years, including algebra, geometry, and intermediate algebra. Four years recommended.	Three years, including algebra, intermediate algebra, and geometry.
Social Studies/Science	Three years of history/social studies, including one year of U.S. history and geography; one year of world history, culture, and geography; one semester of American government and civics, and one semester of economics.	Two years of history/social science, including one year of U.S. history or one-half year of U.S. history and one-half year of civics or American government; and one year of world history, cultures, and geography.	Two years, including one year of U.S. history or U.S. history and government and one year of other approved social science.
Science	Two years, including biological and physical sciences.	Two years with lab required, chosen from biology, chemistry, and physics. Three years recommended.	Two years, including one year of biological and one year of physical science with lab.
Foreign Language	One year of either visual and performing arts, foreign language, or career technical education**.	Two years in same language required. Three years recommended.	Two years in same language required.
Visual and Performing Arts	One year of either visual and performing arts, foreign language, or career technical education**.	One year of visual and performing arts chosen from the following: dance, drama/theater, music, or visual art.	One year of visual and performing arts chosen from the following: dance, drama/theater, music, or visual art.
Physical Education	Two years	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Electives	Not Applicable	One year***	One year***
Total	13	15 (7 in the last two years of high school)	15

Lakers 10-0 On Road This Season

By Elijah M. and Jaden G.

While researching how the Lakers are doing this season, I found out that they are 10-0 on the road. This means that they have been successful this season. The Lakers have been jumping out on teams early by grabbing the lead and



seizing control of the game. They also are averaging 38.9 percent as a team beyond the

arc. Frank Vogel the head coach of the Lakers has been stressing ball movement and making the extra pass to create open looks. Despite the loss of rim protectors in JaVale McGee and Howard, the Lakers have done a decent job forcing opponents to take tough shots. The Lakers have averaged 48 rebounds per game on the road compared to 46 per game at home.

However, things have not been smooth sailing for the Lakers. They lost to the Los Angeles Clippers, Portland Trailblazers, Golden State Warriors and San Antonio Spurs at home. With most arenas are not having fans visiting due to the COVID-19 pandemic, home-court advantage has been a wash, other than visiting teams having to travel and adhere to strict NBA safety protocols on the road.

Led by Lebron James, Vogel has done a nice job of making a selfless environment where players don't have to worry about individual statistics and are willing to sacrifice for the great good of the team. Vogel said that this is the deepest team that he can remember and judging by the way L.A.'s bench has paid, he appears right. Despite being listed with a left ankle sprain earlier this year, Lebrun James has not missed a game, averaging 32.7 minutes a contest, just two minutes less than the 34.6 minutes per game he averaged last year.

Trump's Impeachment

By Maria Lopez

According to Cnn, Trump's impeachment trial wouldn't start until the final days of Trump's term. President Trump is the first president to be impeached twice. His impeachment would prevent him from running for office again anytime in the future. For the impeachment to be finalized, only 2/3 of the senators present have to vote against President Trump for him to be found guilty.



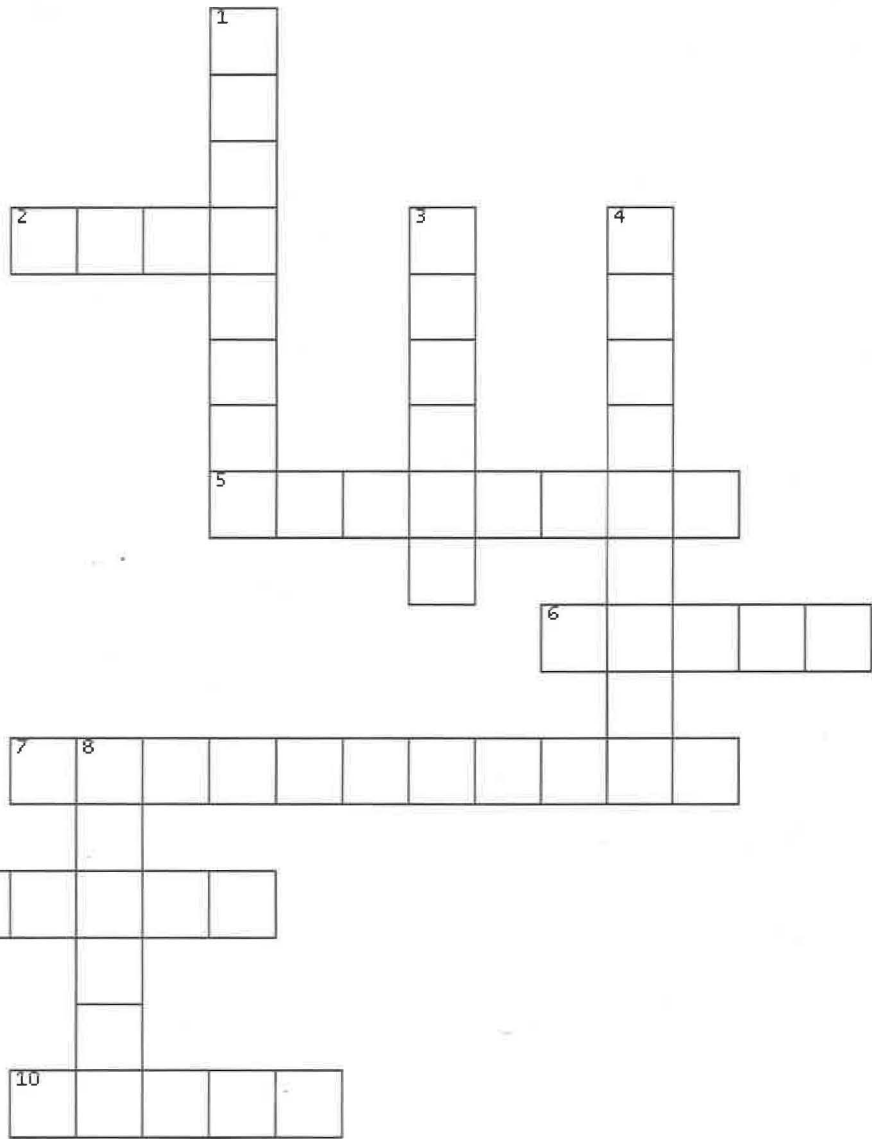
According to Fox News, none of the current Republicans commented on who sided their taking on this impeachment. They either refused to answer or responded saying that they are indecisive at the time. If all 50 Democrats vote in favor of the impeachment, only 17 Republicans have to vote in favor. President Trump's trial is set to start this week.





A Short Typical Western

by Laphis Mekamporn



ACROSS

- 2. Pepsi's competitor
- 5. a kid friendly beer; tastes good with icecream
- 6. clearly the best choice
- 7. has the most sugar and caffeine of all sodas
- 9. doesn't taste like a fruit at all
- 10. the one that has a challenge and cute polar bears in winter

DOWN

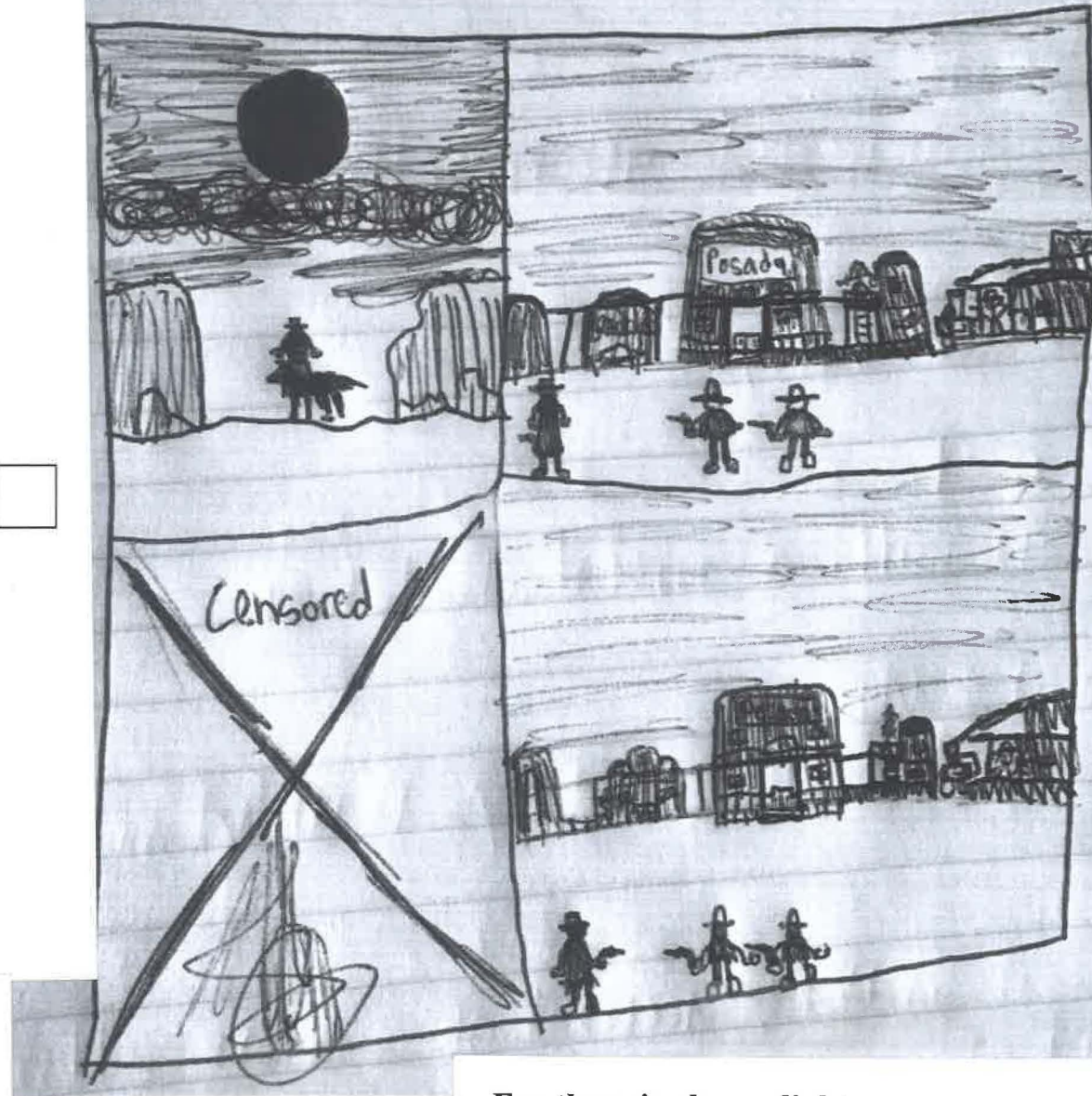
- 1. is said to have prune juice in it
- 3. 7 Up's competitor
- 4. your parents give this to you when your stomach is upset
- 8. a color and a flavor of soda



My Paintings

By Giselle Suarez

Hi, my name is Giselle and I am a student at Fremont middle school. In my free time I love to paint. I've painted on many different canvases for my family members or even just to hang around in my room. I love to express my feelings on different paintings and how I feel that day. Not only do I love to paint but it helps me relax. I try my best to make them look good. I spend a lot of time on them. I've painted a lot of animals or even my family members. I personally feel like art doesn't have to be perfect because we all have our own kind of art. I've inspired many people to start painting, like my sister and my brothers, and now they love it too.



For there is always light,
if only we're brave enough to see it.
If only we're brave enough to be it.
--Amanda Gorman



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- panpizza
- thincrustpizza
- nycpizza
- stlouispizza
- friedpizza
- sicilianpizza

