

Ann Sobrato High School

# Bulldog Family Newsletter

April 22, 2025



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## **Calendar Updates**

General School-wide Important Dates: [Website Calendar linked here](#)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Note</u>
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<b>April 25</b>	Spring Musical	7:00pm <a href="#">Click here to purchase tickets!</a>
<b>April 25</b>	FFA Spring Auction	
<b>April 25</b>	H&SC Incoming Freshman Meet and Greet	Sobrato Library 9:00-10:15am
<b>April 26</b>	Spring Musical	1:00 and 7:00pm <a href="#">Click here to purchase tickets!</a>
<b>May 1</b>	Freshman on Track Night	Sobrato Library 5:00-7:00pm
<b>May 2</b>	Spring Musical	7:00pm <a href="#">Click here to purchase tickets!</a>
<b>May 2</b>	End of IPR Grading Period	
<b>May 2</b>	Wear your College Gear	
<b>May 3</b>	Spring Musical	7:00pm <a href="#">Click here to purchase tickets!</a>
<b>May 5-16</b>	AP Testing	
<b>May 17</b>	Prom	Corinthian Grand Ballroom & Pharaoh's Patio, 7-10pm
<b>May 19</b>	Senior Awards Night	PAC 5:00-7:00pm
<b>May 20</b>	Senior Sunset	7:00-8:30pm
<b>May 21</b>	NLI Signing Day	Sobrato Quad during lunch
<b>May 23</b>	Senior Goodbye Rally	
<b>May 26</b>	Memorial Day	No School
<b>May 27-30</b>	Academic Focus Week	
<b>May 29-30</b>	Senior Finals	
<b>June 2</b>	Senior Checkout	
<b>June 3-6</b>	Finals	

**June 6**

Class of 2025 Graduation Ceremony

**Upcoming Parent/Community Meetings:** [Website Calendar linked here](#)

<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Date</b>
<a href="#">School Site Council</a>	Admin Conference Room	5/12/25 @ 4:15-5:45 pm
<a href="#">SMMA Parent Meeting</a>	Band Room	5/8/25 @ 7:00 pm
Coffee and Pastries with Sobrato Admin and <a href="#">Home and School Club</a>	Sobrato Library	4/25/25 @ 9:00-10:15 am
<a href="#">ELAC Meeting</a>	E108	5/1/25 @ 5:30 pm
<a href="#">Athletic Boosters</a>	<a href="#">Virtual</a>	5/12/25 @ 7:00pm
<a href="#">Senior Celebration Committee Meeting</a>	<a href="#">Virtual</a>	More dates to be determined.

Be sure to check the [Sobrato website](#) and [calendar](#) for other upcoming events!

To have information published in the E-newsletter, send an email to [jimenez-parejad@mhusd.org](mailto:jimenez-parejad@mhusd.org).

To be added to the Home and School Club distribution list for school updates to Home and School Club Meetings and Senior Celebration Meeting, please email: [annsobratohsc@gmail.com](mailto:annsobratohsc@gmail.com)

## **Celebrations**

### **Gavilan Ram-O-Rama**

Sobrato had a successful Gavilan College tour with 130 students in attendance! Students had the opportunity to explore the campus, connect with staff and faculty, and learn more about academic programs, student services, and future college opportunities. It was a great day for our students filled with motivation and meaningful experiences that sparked excitement about higher education!





🌈 Ag Biology is Hatching Chickens! 🌈



Ag Bio will be studying developing chickens eggs over the next few weeks! During the first week they took fertilized eggs, checked that the eggs were healthy (not cracked and had one yolk) and placed them in the incubator. [Click here to stay up to date with their progress!](#)



### **Celebrate Morgan Hill**

On Sunday April 6th, Mr. deMelo and Ethan Lai were honored at the Celebrate Morgan Hill Awards and Action as Educator and Student of the Year for Morgan Hill. Congratulations!



### **YMCA Project Cornerstone**

Sobrato High School is the proud recipient of the 2025 YMCA Project Cornerstone Asset Champions Award for Caring High School Climate! The programs that were highlighted in this award were CARE, Freshman Success team and our Climate and Culture team. The award recognizes Sobrato's commitment to creating a supportive, inclusive, and

empowering environment for all students. Check out the video that highlights this award [here](#). Go Bulldogs!

### Time Sensitive

#### **Welcome Incoming Freshman Families, April 25 from 9-10:15 a.m.**

This event is run by the Home and School Club and intended for parents/guardians of incoming 9th graders. It will feature a presentation about Sobrato and a chance to meet the Principal, Assistant Principal's, Athletic Director and Counselors.



### General Information

### **UPDATED 2025-2026 9th - 12th Grade Orientation Dates**

Dates and times for orientations for next school are as follows:

- 12th Grade Orientation, Monday 08/04/2025 @ 1:00-3:00pm
- 11th Grade Orientation, Wednesday 08/06/2025 @ 10:00am-12:00pm
- 10th Grade Orientation, Wednesday 08/06/2025 @ 1:30-3:30pm
- 9th Grade Orientation, Thursday 08/07/2025 @ 8:00am-4:00pm
  - There will be a parent presentation from 8:30-9:30am for incoming Freshmen/new Sobrato students on 08/07/2025.
- Multilingual Orientation, Monday 08/04/2025 @ 4:00-6:00pm

### **AP Exams Begin May 5**

AP Exams are quickly approaching and will take place May 5-May 16. You can click [here](#) to see what day your AP Exam is, and you can click [here](#) to see if your test is digital or on paper. In the two weeks before the test, you will receive information regarding your testing location and arrival time via email.

As AP Exams approach, there are many different ways that teachers help students prepare for exams. Two ways to prepare are practice problems and full-length practice exams. Please note the following information about practice problems and full-length practice exams.

1. Teachers might assign progress checks as practice problems on AP Classroom. If students receive a grade for progress checks, it will be a completion grade, not a grade that reflects the student's skill or percent correct.
2. If there is a graded full-length practice exam in your class, there will be an option to take this exam during the school day. Any practice exam given outside of the school day will not be required.
3. If a full-length practice exam is graded in your class, it will not count for more than the equivalent of a regular exam, and it will not be considered your final exam.
4. So that you have the chance to study for your exam(s), there will be no graded or required full-length practice exams after Friday, May 2.

If you have questions or concerns about practice problems or full-length practice exams, please fill out this [google form](#). If you have other questions about your AP exam, you can contact Ms. Valella at [valellam@mhUSD.org](mailto:valellam@mhUSD.org).

## **Community Resources and Information**

### **Community Survey from the City of Morgan Hill**

The City of Morgan Hill Planning Department is conducting a Healthy Neighborhoods for All initiative to create a thriving community where everyone can live healthy, active lives. To better understand community needs, they are gathering input through a survey and may have representatives at school events over the next month.

Please note that this survey and those collecting responses are not affiliated with MHUSD or Sobrato. However, your participation can help shape the future of our community.



We encourage you to take a few moments to share your input. Thank you for your time and involvement!

- [Encuesta de Vecindarios Saludables para Todos](#)
- [Healthy Neighborhoods for All survey in English](#)

## **Senior Updates**

### **Senior Booklet and Senior Tab**

We are so excited to be in the final stretch before graduation! Please [view the link](#) for important information and details regarding senior activities and graduation. This document will be updated as we receive additional information. You can also check out our [senior tab](#) on our website.

Go Class of 2025 Bulldogs!

### **Grad Night 2025**

The Sobrato Senior Celebration Committee is planning an exciting Grad Night for Seniors! Please find the Sobrato Grad Night '25 flyer and order form [here](#). They are excited to announce that this year's event will be a Bay cruise. Grad Night for Sobrato's Class of 2025 will be held on the last night of high school, Friday, June 6, from 8 p.m. - 3:30 a.m. It will be a great time for Seniors to celebrate and have fun together before heading off on their next adventure!

### **Graduation Lei**

The Sobrato Senior Celebration Committee will once again be holding their Graduation Lei fundraiser to support their Grad Night event. Graduation leis and Kukui nuts are available to purchase [online](#) or you can view the order form [here](#). The last day to order is Thursday, May 15th.

## **Athletics, ASB, and Club Updates**

### **Athletics Department Contact Information:**

Lawrence Crawford x41505

Sue Baynes x41504

**For a complete list of games** through May 3, 2025 [click this link](#).

### **Online Ticket Sales Reminder:**

Get your Sobrato sports home game tickets by following the GoFan link at:

<https://gofan.co/app/school/CA68182>

**Note:** All game tickets are sold primarily through Go Fan; there is limited cash at the gate.



Students can purchase tickets in ASB during brunch or lunch if they are unable to purchase online.

Check out the website - [www.sobratoathletics.com](http://www.sobratoathletics.com) or check out the new Sobrato Athletics / Athletic Booster's Twitter feed @Sobratosports for the latest updates on all Sobrato Sports!

### **The SpongeBob Musical**

It's Spring Musical time! This year the Sobrato Theater Society is proud to welcome you to Bikini Bottom for The SpongeBob Musical! A fun, family friendly new musical featuring new original music from such greats as David Bowie, Aerosmith, Lady A, T.I., John Legend, and Sara Bareilles. [Click here to purchase tickets!](#)

**Sobrato Theater Society**

PRESENTS

**nickelodeon**  
**THE**  
**SPONGEBOB**  
**MUSICAL**

Based on the series by **Stephen Hillenburg**

Book by **Kyle Jarrow**

Original Songs by

**Volanda Adams, Steven Tyler and Joe Perry of Aerosmith, Sara Bareilles, Jonathan Coulton,  
Alex Ebert of Edward Sharpe & The Magnetic Zeros, The Flaming Lips, Lady A, Cyndi Lauper, John Legend,  
Panic! At the Disco, Plain White T's, They Might Be Giants, T.I.**

And Songs by **David Bowie, Tom Kenny & Andy Paley**

Additional Lyrics by **Jonathan Coulton**

Additional Music by **Tom Kitt**

Musical Production Conceived by **Tina Landau**

©2023 Viacom International Inc. SpongeBob SquarePants created by Stephen Hillenburg.

**April 25 - Opening Night 7:00 PM**  
**April 26 - Shows at 1:00 PM and 7:00PM**  
**May 2 - Evening Performance 7:00 PM**  
**May 3 - Final Performance, 7:00 PM**

**Directed by Christopher deMelo**  
**Choreographed by Nikki Cendreda**  
**Musical Direction by Alejandra Payne**

**For tickets and info visit us at**  
**<https://asobratohs.booktix.com/>**

Presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals ([concordtheatricals.com](http://concordtheatricals.com))

**Sobrato FFA's 3rd Annual Car Show! Rev up your engines!!**

We would like to invite you to Sobrato FFA's 3rd Annual Car Show! All cars, trucks, off road vehicles, and motorcycles from all decades are welcome!! This will be held at Sobrato High School in the front staff parking lots, on Saturday, May 31st from 9AM - 1PM.

Vehicle registration can be purchased through the Sobrato ASB Store Website (click reload button and it will take you to the site, scroll down to bottom):

<https://sobratohighschool.myschoolcentral.com/>

Don't miss out, first come-first serve spots are filling up quick! Please email [nunesr@mhUSD.org](mailto:nunesr@mhUSD.org) with any questions.



# SOBRATO FFA



## 3RD ANNUAL CAR SHOW

**SATURDAY MAY 31, 2025**  
**9AM-1PM**

SHOW VEHICLES ARRIVE AT 7AM

**FREE SPECTATOR ENTRY!!**  
DONATIONS ENCOURAGED!

VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND  
ADDITIONAL DONATIONS THROUGH  
ASB ONLINE STORE

FRONT STAFF  
PARKING LOTS  
ALL VEHICLE DECADES WELCOME!!

Vehicle Registration Includes  
Free Contest Entry, Coffee  
and Donuts

Proceeds Benefit FFA  
student activities, classes,  
FFA Teams, and leadership  
travel!

**Contests:**  
People's Choice  
Best of Each Decade  
Best Truck

**VEHICLE  
REGISTRATION  
\$30**



**ANN SOBRATO HIGH**  
401 BURNETT AVE, MORGAN HILL

Food and Drinks For Purchase  
Music    Student Made Awards  
Judges    Silent Auctions

**<https://bit.ly/Sobratostore>**

**REGISTER BY WEDNESDAY 5/23, 11:59 PM!**



IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT  
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## Counselor Corner

Please click on the link for the latest edition of our [Counseling News](#).

## Wellness Center News

- If you have any **questions** for the Wellness Center, please feel free to email Ms. Martina (Sobrato Wellness Counselor) at [glennm@mhusd.org](mailto:glennm@mhusd.org).
- If you have any **concerns about a student due to their mental health and wellness**, please fill out our [referral form](#). Ms. Martina will see the student at her earliest convenience. You can also email Ms. Martina with more details about why you think the student should be seen.
- **Exciting news!** The Wellness Center is starting a **crochet club**! If you have a student who is interested in **learning crocheting**, please email Ms. Martina at [glennm@mhusd.org](mailto:glennm@mhusd.org). We are also accepting yarn donations.
- The **Wellness Peer Support Group** is organizing the **Earth Day Celebration on Tuesday April 22nd during lunch in front of the Wellness Center**. Come decorate your own flower pot, we will provide succulents for you to plant! Lots of other activities included!



## Fundraisers



- **FFA Spring Auction, Guglielmo Winery, April 25, 5:30pm**



- **And Frozen Treats H&SC, Yes Yogurt, April 25-26, 12:00-9:00pm**



- **Giants Baseball Games**

Support Sobrato by joining the Giants at Oracle Park for one of their select April/May fundraising games! Bleacher and View Reserve tickets are only \$15 (+\$3.85 in fees), and \$5 of each ticket purchased will be donated back to Sobrato by purchasing through [this special link](#). Promo Code: sobratohs

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- **SMMA, [Graduation Yard Signs](#), last day to order - May 8**

[Click here for fliers!](#)