



Marco Antonio Firebaugh High School

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LUSD STUDENT BOARD REPORT – September 27, 2016

To: Board of Education
From: Lizzeth Quiroz, Student Board Representative

Good evening Board President Alma Renteria, Board Members, Superintendent Mr. Paul Gothold, District Cabinet Members and Lynwood Community. My name is Lizzeth Quiroz from Marco Antonio Firebaugh High School, and this is our Board Report for September 27, 2016.

COLLEGE & CAREER

EL Camino College will be offering classes at Firebaugh for juniors and seniors. The classes they will provide are: Psychology, Spanish, Theatre Appreciation, and Medical Terminology. Medical Terminology and Theater Appreciation will be on Monday and Wednesday starting September 26. Psychology and Spanish will be Tuesdays and Thursday, starting September 27.

SAT prep classes will be offered for all juniors and seniors. They will be conducted by Princeton Review and held on Saturday's starting starting October 1st.

A representative from UCLA will be on campus on tomorrow, September 28th. This is a perfect opportunity for students interested in applying to receive information on the admission process.

Driver's Ed will be offered at Firebaugh starting October 8. Information on how to sign up can be picked up in the front office at Firebaugh.

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Earlier this month on September 2, ASB and Link Crew hosted our Welcome Back Rally with the theme of Olympics. At the rally, Mr. Hernandez, presented our school's Positive Behavioral Interventions & Support program. He showed students videos on how to behave properly in various situations. Students, staff, along with our fall athletes were recognized. This is our first school-wide Welcome Back Rally in three years, and with the energy and excitement of the student body, we plan to hold more rallies throughout the school year.

Club Rush was held last week during lunchtime and went on for two days. Thirty clubs were represented for the student body to choose from, such as: Surf Club, Button Club, Glam 360, and the Gaming Club. It was really exciting to see all the enthusiasm from the student body to get involved and make their school year fun and interesting.

The week of October 17th is our Homecoming week. We'll kick off the week with Spirit Week by celebrating the Homecoming theme of "Once Upon A Time". The student body will get the opportunity to dress up as follows: Lazy Monday will be Pajama Day; Three Little Pigs Tuesday,

triplet or twin day; Every Story has a Twist Wednesday, mismatch socks or inside out shirts; Disney Day Thursday, any Disney character; and Pink Day Friday, support cancer awareness by wearing pink. Our homecoming football game will be on Friday, October 21 at 7pm with the dance being held Saturday, October 22 from 7 to 11pm on campus.

Telemundo will be coming to Firebaugh this Friday, September 30 at 4:15am. Yes – at 4:15 in the morning. We get to show all their viewers who tune in to their morning show what great pride & spirit our Falcons have.

SPORTS

Our next varsity football home game will be this Friday, September 30 against Manual Arts at 7pm. Girls Volleyball will be playing Flintridge Prep on Monday, October 3rd. Girl's golf plays a tri-match against Chadwick and Westridge on October 4th at the Los Amigos Golf course.

This concludes the Marco Antonio Firebaugh High School Board report.



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Date: Tuesday, September 27, 2016
To: Board of Education, Superintendent and Cabinet
From: Desli Parra, Student Board Representative
Regarding: Lynwood High School Student Report to the Board

Good evening board President Ms. Renteria, Board Members, Superintendent Mr. Gothold, District cabinet members, and Lynwood community. I am Desli Parra, Lynwood High School's Student Board Representative. This is Lynwood High School's student board report for Tuesday, September 27:

The Alumni Conference - Took place on August 27 in our school starting at 8 am. We had returning Alumni come back and give us feedback about how their college experience has treated them. We had from more than 15 workshops to choose from and also had colleges like UCLA and Northridge give us more information about their school and their requirements. LHS would like to thank all Alumni that volunteered their time to provide this opportunity for our students.

Club Rush - Took place from September 13 - 15. We had around 48 clubs outside during lunch and it was great seeing many students trying to get involved and participate in Lynwood High School's extra-curricular activities.

Fiestas Patrias - On September 16th La Raza and Fashion Club teamed up together to celebrate Fiestas Patrias. We had performances and flag presentations representing the many Latin American countries.

Back to School Night - Took place on Wednesday, September 21st from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm. We had a College Fair with about 20 colleges & universities represented. We also had an informational parent meeting with our Principal, Mr. Zaragoza. During class visits, the parents got the opportunity to meet their child's teachers and learn about class expectations and student support in the class.

Principal's Posse - We held our first Principal's Posse meeting today. One student representative is selected from every 2nd period class to meet with our Principal Mr. Zaragoza to discuss important school information. Students also have an opportunity to share with the principal any questions, comments or concerns the, and other students, might have about any important issues taking place on campus.

College Applications - These first weeks of school 12th grade English teachers have been focusing on students' personal statements. They are helping them break down and understand the insight questions so they can start working on them as soon as possible as they prepare for the college application process.

Cal State Applications - Starting October 4th, counselors will be going into 12th grade English classes to begin the college application workshops in order to help students through the application process..

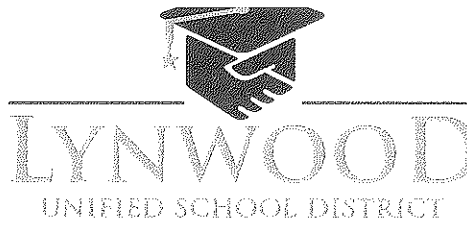
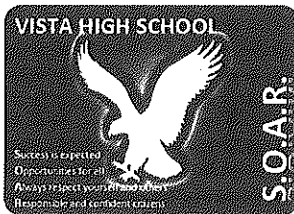
Coffee with the principal - Mr. Zaragoza will host Coffee with the Principal on Wednesday, October 5th in the Lynwood High School library.

College and Career Center - A Princeton review workshop would be hosted in the College and Career Center on Thursday, October 6th to go over personal statements. Also there have been many students meeting with our College and Career Center staff to go over questions about college applications and the college entrance exams.

Homecoming - Homecoming week will soon be here.. Mark your calendars for all the fun activities we have planned for our Homecoming celebration. We will begin on October 10th with our Spirit Week with spirit dress up days. On October 14th we will begin the day with our Homecoming Assembly. After-school we will have our Knight Rally in the Quad. That evening we will have our Homecoming football game with a halftime show to include a parade, the coronation of the Homecoming Court and a fireworks finale. We will conclude the Homecoming festivities with the dance on Saturday, October 15th.

Sports - Our Fall sports are in full swing. Volleyball had a home game today vs. Downey High School. Our next home game for football will be for Homecoming on October 14th also vs. Downey High School. Tennis had an away game vs. Paramount High School today and Cross Country's 2nd meet will be on October 13th at Cerritos Regional Park at 3:00 pm.

Ladies and gentlemen, this concludes my Student board report for Lynwood High School, Thank you.



Ms. Nina Denson, Principal

Vista High School

To: Board of Education, Superintendent and Cabinet

From: Adolfo Sandoval, Student Board Representative

Date: September 27, 2016

Re: Board Report

Good Evening Board President Ms. Renteria and the board of education, Superintendent Mr. Gothold, Members of the Cabinet, and the Lynwood Community, my name is Adolfo Sandoval, and I am the Student Board Representative and Vice President of ASB for Vista High School.

Vista High School welcomed the students of 2016-2017 to the new academic year, with a 92% student's attendance.

Vista is offering before and after school support Monday through Thursday, to ensure that our students complete all assignments required to receive the credits for the quarter and/or Graduation. We are also offering Saturday School to increase our attendance rate.

Student elections for ASB and School Site Council were held Thursday, September 9th.

In memorial of 9-11, Vista held a moment of silence school wide on September 12th. Throughout the day all classes reflected on the events of September 11, 2001 and held discussion regarding the fight on terrorism.

Vista held its Back to School Night, September 21st. Parents were able to meet their students' teachers and learn about the curriculum and academic expectation at Vista.

The National College Foundation is hosting weekly Monday Fun Day to promote their programs and help increase student attendance.

In honor of Suicide Prevention Month Vista invited Liam Mira from Didi Hirsch Suicide Prevention Center as a guest speaker September 27th. He gave a presentation about Suicide Prevention to the student body to expand the knowledge of warning signs and preventive steps to decrease suicide loss.

This concludes the Vista High School report. Thank you.