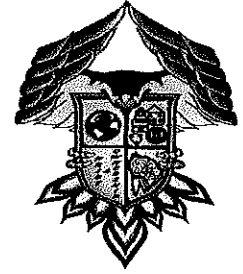




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LUSD STUDENT BOARD REPORT – September 23, 2014

To: Board of Education
From: Jacqueline Godoy, Student Board Representative

Good evening Board President Briseida Gonzales, Board Members, Superintendent Mr. Paul Gothold, District Cabinet Members and Lynwood Community. My name is Jacqueline Godoy, Student Board Representative from Marco Antonio Firebaugh High, and this is our Board Report for September 23rd, 2014.

FHS

On September 13th, students from both FHS and Vista High attended the “Bridging the STEM Divide Conference” at USC. The conference gave the students the opportunity to demystify STEM and exposed students to opportunities to pursue fields of study and careers in STEM.

Tomorrow is Back to School Night. Everyone is invited to come visit our school. And, Senior Parent Night will be held tomorrow, as well, starting at 5pm in the gym.

El Camino College began offering their dual-enrollment courses this week. This semester students are being offered Theatre, Manufacturing Technology, and Sociology. Students are also attending courses at Cal State Dominguez Hills through their “Young Scholars Program”.

To kick off the October 1st CSU application submission opening, Ms. Edwards, our 12th grade counselor, has a Cal State Long Beach EOP representative visiting to discuss the opportunities and advantages of applying to EOP.

SPORTS

On Thursday, September 11th, our Football team captured the victory against Century High! And our girls Volleyball team played against Lawndale last Tuesday and both JV and Varsity brought the victory home!

ASB

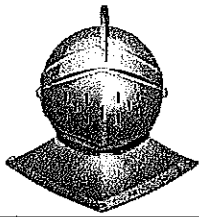
Our annual Club Rush was held last week from Tuesday through Thursday with over 30 clubs represented such as Teens Against Poverty, G2C, which stands for Go To College, Childhood Cancer Awareness Club, and the LGBT Club.

Our school spirit has been kicked into high gear with two very successful lunchtime pep rallies. On September 12th, our Back to School Lunch Time Pep Rally was held with a peanut butter licking contest between classes, which the Junior Class won. And then this past Friday another successful pep rally supporting our fall sports teams was held. The class competition this time involved frosting and cheese puffs. And again, the Junior Class won and is the current Class of the Year champions. Thanks to our one lunch schedule, the school is much more spirited by allowing students from all the grade levels to interact and participate in lunchtime events.

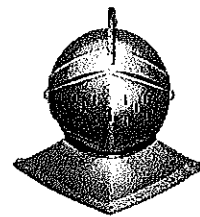
This Friday is our first dance of the year. This dance is called our Icebreaker dance with the theme of Safari. It will include giant inflatables, big screen video gaming, and food & drink.

Don't forget to join in on the Community Clean-Up this Saturday, September 27th from 9 am to noon!

This concludes the Marco Antonio Firebaugh High School Board Report.



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Date:	September 23, 2014
To:	Board of Education, Superintendent and Cabinet
From:	Larissa Campa, Student Board Representative
Regarding:	Lynwood High School Student Report to the Board

Good evening board President Ms. Gonzalez, Board Members, Superintendent Mr. Gothold, District cabinet members, and Lynwood community. I am Larissa Campa, Lynwood High School's Student Board Representative. And now, this is Lynwood High School's student board report:

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT – On Wednesday, September 17th we had Back to School night. We began at 4 PM with a College Fair. Our administrators then held a parent meeting at 5 PM to give out information regarding LHS and the new parent portal for student grades. After the meeting workshops were held in our computer labs to help parents log on to their accounts in order to gain access to student grades, attendance and behavior. Parents will now be able to check student grades, missing assignments, attendance, email teachers and counselors straight from their parent portal. All information is live. Counselors have had, and will continue to have, ongoing workshops for parents to help them navigate through the website.

HOMEcoming – Last week Knight City celebrated Homecoming. We began the morning with a decorated campus and the band, drill team, color guard and cheerleading squad forming two lines from the front gate to the quad. As students passed through the middle, they were cheered on as they walked to class. We had a Pep Assembly in the morning and finished off the day with a Knight Rally that had more than 30 clubs and organizations participating. We also had a float competition before the game. Our Culinary Arts took 1st place with their amazing float. During the halftime show we had parade of floats, crowned the Homecoming court, and finished off with a fireworks show. We defeated Lancaster in our football game with a score of 42-0. The LHS Football team now has a record of 3-0. The Homecoming dance was held the next night. Our ASB students transformed the gym into an Egyptian paradise. Everyone had a wonderful time. Thank you to all of our Board Members and District members that came out to join us during the celebration.

COLLEGE WEEK – Lynwood HS will be holding our annual College Week this week. We will be having various competitions to raise college awareness. There will also be presentations about the various colleges and universities. Today, AVID held a college fair with presentations of over 45 colleges and universities during lunch in the quad. Tomorrow, we will have a lunch rally in which our teachers will participated in the Battle for Los Angeles, UCLA vs. USC!

RIVALRY WEEK – Next week is the beginning of Rivalry Week. Lynwood Knights are excited to have a week full of good, clean rivalry fun. We have tons of fun spirited activities planned for our Knights as they get ready to face off against the Falcons. We will kick off the week with a fun Spirit Week that will include a Funky Falcon Day. And since we just received our BOBs this week, we are also excited to see the Falcons do their Nerdy Knight Spirit Day! We invite all of you to join us and the Falcons next week at the Lynwood City Classic Football game, as the Mighty Knights take on the Firebaugh Falcons. We are aslo working on activities to present to students from all 3 middle schools who will also be attending a pre-game rally. After the game, we are planning a Rivalry Dance combined with Firebaugh to give both Knights and Falcons a night to hang out and just dance!

PARENT PROJECT – Parent Project begins this week. It will be a 10 week program where parents receive support and guidance on difficult parenting issues that will help them support their students. Last year we had a tremendous success with these parent classes.

Ladies and gentlemen, this concludes the Lynwood High School Student Board Report.



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Maribel Martinez, Principal

To: Board of Education, Superintendent and Cabinet

From: Samantha Torres, Student Representative

Date: September 23, 2014

Re: Board Report

Good Evening Board President Briseida Gonzalez and the board of education, Superintendent Gothold, Members of the Cabinet, and the Lynwood Community, my name is Samantha Torres, and I am the Student Board Representative and ASB representative for Vista High School.

Vista is currently campaigning for ASB Officer Positions. A lunch time rally will be held this Thursday, September 25, 2014 at 12:15 p.m. to hear the students running for office present their election speech. Voting will take place on Friday, September 26 and Monday, September 29, 2014.

The National College Resource Foundation continues to recruit and assist students in their journey at Vista and beyond. Students can see Coach Carter in Room 8 every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 11:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. to enroll in the program, all students are invited.

In memorial of 9-11 Vista held a "Moment of Silence" on Thursday, September 11th led by SSC student representative Natajae Jordan.

Vista High School will be hosting our annual Back-to-School Night on Wednesday, September 24, 2014 from 3:00 – 6:00 pm. We extend a cordial invitation to all Board Members, the Lynwood Community, Parents and Students.

Vista High is offering Perfect Attendance Certificates and gift cards to all to students with 0 absences for the month of September in recognition to Attendance Awareness Month. Recognition Assembly will be taking place Friday, October 3, 2014.

This concludes the Vista High School report. Thank you.



"Enter to Learn, Depart to Serve"
Dr. Jean L. Jones, Principal

September 23, 2014

TO: Board of Education, Superintendent and Cabinet
FROM: Debra Ramirez, ASB President

SUBJECT: Student Board Report

Members of the Board of Education, Superintendent Paul Gothold, Lynwood Unified School District officials, fellow students, friends, and family members. Good evening.

My name is Debra Ramirez, and I am the Associated Student Body President at Lynwood Community Adult School.

The month of September has been a very busy month at the Adult School. Registration for classes began on August 25th, and is still ongoing for English As a Second Language (ESL) classes and Independent Study classes. To date there have been over 1700 students registered in all of the Adult School's programs which include Adult Secondary Education (ASE), Career Technical Education (CTE), English As a Second Language (ESL), Adult Basic Education (ABE), and High School Equivalency Certificate Preparation (includes GED, and HiSET).

On March 13, 2014, the State Board of Education approved the use of three high school equivalency tests. The approved tests are the General Educational Development Test (GED), the High School Equivalency Test (HiSET), and the Test Assessing Secondary Completion (TASC). The Adult School is working diligently to become an official Pearson Vue testing center so that it may offer the GED test online, and in addition, the Adult School will offer the HiSET in a paper pencil format.

With the State of California's adoption of Assembly Bill 86, funds have been committed to AB86 consortia of K-12 and community college districts to collaborate to improve adult education services by creating linkages between the two educational systems. To that end, the regional consortium that has been formed here locally is called the Tri City Consortium. The members include Lynwood Unified School District, Compton Unified School District, Paramount Unified School District, Compton Community College District, and El Camino Compton Center. The Adult School has been representing the district in this planning process, and is committed to improving educational services to all members of this community.

On September 10th, the Associated Student Body (ASB) held its first meeting, and the following people were elected as officers:

President – Debra Ramirez
Vice President – Indira Morningstar
Secretary/Treasurer – Claudia Tinajero

The ASB is instrumental in planning and executing popular student/community events that are hosted by the Adult School

On Thursday, October 2nd, the Adult School will host the annual Vocational Nurse graduation and capping/pinning ceremony. Twenty-one new nursing students will be given pins and caps to signify their entry into the program, and twenty graduates will be honored for their achievements.