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Foothill High School's Counseling Department Provides Services to Students and Their Parents

As counselors, our primary focus is the academic and personal well-being of every student. As we approach mid-year, students and parents may need assistance to succeed and enjoy their high school years. With the addition of more counselors this year, we have seven counselors available to help students and parents, providing both group and individual counseling.

Students are assigned to counselors by the first letter of students' last names. All counselors have or are currently obtaining Master's degrees in counseling, and all have Pupil Personnel Services Counseling credentials. Some also have Marriage and Family Therapy licenses or emphases in college advising. Our counselors are divided by the alphabet as follows:

Roxanne Edwards	A-C; Freshman Cluster Intervention Program Counselor
Jennifer Roush	D-Hn; Tobacco Use Prevention and Education Program Counselor
Jennifer Friesen	Ho-L; AVID Counselor
Aaron Baltzell	M; Student Support Counselor
Teri Hildenbrand	N-P; U-Z; Tobacco Use Prevention and Education Program Counselor
Susan Shanker	Q-T; English Language Development Counselor/Head Counselor
Rachel Concannon	Student Support Counselor (Mon/Wed only)

Throughout the year, we welcome students and parents to make appointments with us. Students can sign up on our clipboards in the Counseling Office, and parents can call any time with questions, concerns, or to make an appointment. We value parent involvement and know that your input is vital to your student's success. Our philosophy entails providing services to all students, which includes group advising sessions throughout the year, in addition to daily individual counseling and counseling groups formed to discuss specific concerns, such as stress, grief/loss, and social skills.

Beginning this year, every student will meet with his/her counselor at least once per year for individual counseling regarding progress toward graduation and post-high school plans. Furthermore, the counselors visit all English or History classrooms twice a year to inform students of the various resources that we offer and to guide them in creating their schedules for the following year. Annually, we write every junior and senior a letter providing them with an evaluation of their progress toward graduation and college eligibility. In addition to academic and college counseling, we all offer personal counseling which gives students the opportunity to learn to deal with common social and emotional difficulties that arise in adolescence. Our Student Support Counselors, Aaron Baltzell and Rachel Concannon, are also available to assist with any personal, emotional or social issue that may be impairing your student's growth, and additionally provide crisis intervention, grief counseling, threat assessment and conflict resolution.

Feel free to contact our counseling staff at any time at 461-6600 or via e-mail. Like you, we are invested in your student's success.

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National School of Excellence

Dear Parents and Foothill High School Community,

It was an honor to join Scott Sears and John Dwyer as Foothill High School was recognized in Washington DC as a 2006 *No Child Left Behind Blue Ribbon School* on November 10. Becoming a National School of Excellence is an effort of the entire educational community. We are fortunate to work with motivated students of character and supportive parents. At the same time, the leadership of our Board of Trustees, Superintendent, and District staff helps support our continuous improvement efforts. I am also proud of the teaching and support professionals of our school. These educators are committed to student success, in and out of the classroom. High standards and expectations are modeled each and every day. In fact, this year, my twelfth year as principal, has been my favorite. I see the community working together on behalf of students. I see teachers working collaboratively to insure common standards and supporting each other for student success. I see students supporting and pushing each other in the classroom, on campus, and through activities. It remains my honor to serve as principal of such an outstanding school and community.

As always, October and November were active times at Foothill High School. Homecoming activities concluded with the dance on October 14. All events went very well and the dance, although crowded was a positive evening. The skits were very collaborative. Students were involved and supportive of each other. Homecoming 2006 was a huge success. Congratulations to our students, student leaders, and our Activity Directors - Adam Jennings, Scott Sears, and Dan Schneider. Two weeks later, Foothill High School's Band Review was held. The annual band review, our largest ever, was held on Saturday, October 28, 2006. The parade and field show were outstanding, examples of responsibility and commitment. Congratulations to our students, Band Boosters, and Directors Bob Moorefield and Ed Cloyd. In November, students received reports of academic performance for the first quarter of the school year. Student performance results continue to show that the average grade point average was just above 3.0 with grades in the core academic areas (English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, and World Languages) averaging over 2.8, and the elective areas averaging over 3.3.

Congratulations are also called for as many students have earned outstanding academic recognition. **Shishir Agrawal, Benjamin DeStein, Yun Ding, Wesley Hong, Joshua Liu, Pulin Sun, Ryan Tsai, Galen Willett, and Joon Woo** have been recognized as National Merit Semifinalists in the 2007 Merit Scholarship Competition. In addition, the following Foothill seniors have been recognized as commended students: **Philip Auyang, Sarah Bonnar, Sarah Bunker, Frank Chen, Rick Chen, Kimberly Court, Julia Johnson, Samuel Kim, Yoon Ko, Jeff Lin, Jacinda Lofland, Rebecca Payne, Ryan Rubin, Michelle Sastri, Richard Tardif, Xing Tong, Suneet Tripathy, Sidarth Vijay, and David Wood**. In addition, approximately four percent of our seniors have earned automatic acceptance to the University of California system by achievement results as determined by the UC system: **Agrawal Shishir, Philip Auyang, Jessica Bell, Kimberly Brown, Sarah Bunker, Frank Chen, Benjamin Destein, Yun Ding, Wesley Hong, Julia Johnson, Samuel Kim, Siddhartha Kunda, Joshua Liu, Jacinda Lofland, Shreya Malli, Pulin Sun, Suneet Tripathy, Ryan Tsai, Jennifer Vincent, Marcella Yee, and Barnabas Yik**. Congratulations to these outstanding students for their academic excellence.

Our fall athletic season is concluding. We have started the year with outstanding success. Women's Tennis earned both an EBAL and NCS championship. Women's Volleyball completed an undefeated EBAL and are participating in the NCS tournament. Men's Football completed our first ever undefeated season earning an EBAL title and are also participating the NCS tournament. Cross Country, Men's and Women's Water Polo, and Women's Golf represented our school with great pride and determination. In addition, our cheerleading squads continue to represent our school with pride, class, and enthusiasm. I am confident that such effort will continue during the winter season.

Although this has truly been a school year of success and celebration, we will continue to work through issues. Early in the month of November, two African American students met with me to inform of an individual who while off-campus used a racial epithet as the students walked home. Others in the truck, they report, seemed to find this humorous. Sadly, as a community, we still need to help others achieve the character and class that we all expect. Let's always remember our commitment to character development: self-discipline, responsibility, honesty, compassion, integrity, respect. It is important that we all FACE IT – Foothill's Action for Character Education, It's Time. We have a lot to celebrate while maintaining our commitment to continuous improvement.

As always, thank you for your support of Foothill High School. It is a pleasure to work on behalf of our students and our community.

Sincerely,

Kevin Johnson
Principal



A Message from Hollie Lyseng, ASB President

Hello Falcon Family!

As the first quarter of the 06-07 school year comes to a close, it has proven to be the beginning of a bright and promising year ahead.

Foothill hosted the 32nd Annual Band Review on Saturday, October 28. We had the honor of having Fresno State's Bulldog Marching Band perform at the review, contributing to the outstanding success of the event. Up next for Foothill's Band is the regional NCBA Championship in Lincoln. In January, the Marching Band is going to the Fiesta Bowl Parade, which is the 3rd largest parade in the world, comparable to the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade and the Rose Bowl Parade. The Marching Band has already earned its spot participating in the National Championship in Arizona as well. We want to wish them the best of luck!

Our Girls Golf ended their year at NCS against Cal High and, after five contests against them, we finally beat them by one stroke. Out of 19 teams, our girls took 8th place. Good job, ladies!

It has been an outstanding season by our girls Varsity Volleyball Team. We claimed another EBAL victory and surpassed our league-ending record as overall undefeated. Congratulations!

Congratulations also to our Varsity Girls Tennis team who beat Amador 8-1 at the season finale. Foothill won against Miramonte in NCS semifinal play, and will play Monte Vista for the NCS Championship. Good luck girls!

A sold-out Football game on Thursday, November 9 between Foothill and Amador proved to be another unprecedented victory for Foothill. Congratulations to our boys and keep up the good work because we are presently number two under De La Salle. Outstanding job boys!

On a midnight flight after the Amador-Foothill football game on November 9, our Principal Kevin Johnson, and campus leadership advisor Scott Sears, headed to Washington D.C. There, they attended a conference where our school was recognized for receiving the 2006 National Blue Ribbon School Award. This award is given to the top 10% of high schools in the United States, which makes us one of only 250 schools who received the award out of the 250,000 schools in the nation.

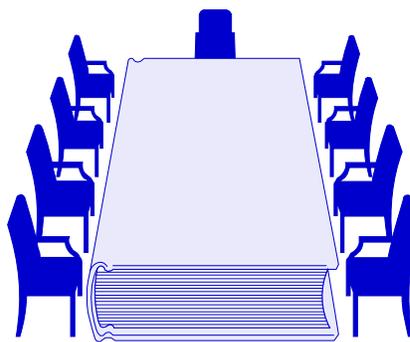
Foothill's Active Citizenship and Leadership Academy has been hard at work making a difference on our campus and in our community. Our campus community has been in charge of making sure everyone gets pumped up and goes out and supports everything our school does from sports, getting involved in awareness campaigns, and making sure we make all school events are safe and fun for every person who attends. As a result, school spirit, and turnouts for dances and games are at an all time high! Our ACL State and Local Community recently sponsored Red Ribbon week at Foothill High School. They went all out involving guest speakers and demonstrations to make a bigger impact in sending the message about drugs and alcohol to our students. One of Foothill's most recent awareness campaigns has come out of our ACL Global community. During lunch students put on an event called Cakewalk For Landmines, raising awareness of the dangers and problems still arising from landmines in foreign countries. These are just a few of the things that our leadership has been involved in so far. We all want to make sure we go out and support everything our students do, so keep up the good work leadership!

Only three months into the school year and already we have accomplished so much! I am so proud and appreciative of every single person who has worked to help achieve these accomplishments. Everyone has done a great job helping uphold the reputation for success we have earned here at Foothill High School.

Sincerely,

Hollie Lyseng
ASB President
Foothill High School

School Site Council Corner



Like to stay informed? Attend Foothill's School Site meetings held the first Wednesday of every month from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. in Room C-6. Future meetings will include discussion and information about Music and Performing Arts, Language Arts and our

counseling department. Too busy to attend a meeting? To view meeting minutes and upcoming agendas, check out the School Site website :

<http://www.pleasanton.k12.ca.us/foothill/SchoolSiteCouncil.html>

Presenting Benjamin DeStein — October Student of the Month

Ben DeStein has been chosen Foothill High School's October Student of the Month. "Ben is the perfect example of a Student of the Month. He is one of the nicest young men I ever met, plus he is actively involved in both school and community while carrying five AP classes," states his social science teacher, Cindy Juarez.

Ben's achievements are numerous. Academically, he maintains a 4.17 GPA. Mr. Eric Heinitz, Ben's Latin teacher wrote, "He is a very polite and respectful young man who is a pleasure to work with and have in class. In addition, he is challenging himself with five AP classes."

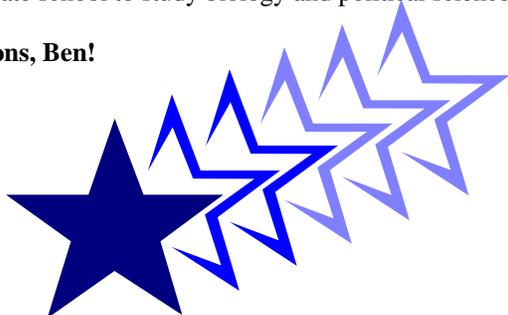
Ben is active in Foothill athletics, being a part of our undefeated J.V. EBAL champion Swim Team from 2003-2006. He was the captain of last year's J.V. Team. Each summer Ben gives private swim lessons, and also teaches group swim lessons with Swim America.

Ben is active with the Falcon Band, playing alto saxophone. He is a member and Section Leader in our Foothill Marching Band, and also plays with our campus Wind Ensemble. His other campus activities include serving as President of the Interact Club for two years, helping to raise over a thousand dollars for UNICEF. Last year he also helped to raise over \$5000 for Pump-Aid. Ben has been a member of Junior State of America (JSA) and the Latin Club since his freshman year, currently serving as president to both organizations. Since his freshman year, Ben has been active in the California Scholarship Federation (C.S.F.) Club. He is a member of Mrs. Juarez's, "We the People" competitive civics team, which is working hard preparing for their first upcoming competition. Cindy Juarez states, "In the community, Ben volunteers time to the Rotary Club to raise money for "Wheelchairs for the Poor," and he has also worked the election polls."

The awards and honors Ben has achieved are many. He has represented Foothill twice in Rotary speech contests, which he won as a sophomore, and also won the Interactor of the Year award that same year. Ben is a National Merit Scholarship Semifinalist, and he has won two silver medals and one gold on the National Latin Exam. In addition, last year Ben was the winner of the National Congressional Seminar essay contest.

During his spare time, Ben enjoys playing his guitar, tennis and reading. After high school graduation, he is hoping to attend a top UC or private school to study biology and political science.

Congratulations, Ben!



Falcon Pride!

Congratulations to the following students who received a Falcon Pride Award for exemplary citizenship or class work.



September Awards

Student Name

Ali, Asif
Atherton, Amy
Baptista, Colton
Beard, Jovan
Beretta, Michael
Bhatia, Ashley
Broie, l'Alla
Buffington, Daniel
Carothers, Logan
Collins, Erin
Doe, Nicloe
Donlon, Lauren
Easley, Derrick
Freeman, Ali
Gruen, David
Guthrie, Michael
Hare, Edmund
Herbert, Andrew
Hoffmann, Breanna
Hucker, Rebecca
Kam, Andrew
Kettering, KT
Kim, April
Lofland, Jacinda
Martin, Melissa
Martinez, Lisa
Mei, Jenny
Najeeb, Sahil
Olivar, Jose
Pedro, Curtis
Pourzand, Roxi
Rich, Tiffany
Rubin, Sharon
Schaeffer, Kathryn
Scott, Danielle
Shenave, Derek
Song, Kukhwa
Tenborg, TJ
Wu, Christine
Zimmer, Peter

Nominating Staff

C. Jackson
B. Moorefield
A. Thoe
E. Cloyd
J. Mannion
M. Camp
J. Parmelee
B. Reber
K. Deenihan
P. Smith
P. Smith
H. Fleming
M. Camp
A. Thomas
B. Moorefield
L. Pappas
A. Thoe
C. Juarez
C. Juarez
K. Deenihan
E. Pagtakhan
C. Jackson
C. Gibbons
C. Ogle
C. Gibbons
B. Correia
A. Thomas
M. Crawbuck
D. DeGiobbi
B. Reber
J. Parmelee
B. Correia
J. Koobatian
K. Anderson
M. McLaughlin
K. Anderson
M. McLaughlin
H. Fleming
C. Ogle
L. Pappas

Falcon Pride!

Congratulations to the following students who received a Falcon Pride Award for exemplary citizenship or class work.



October Awards

Student Name

Ajuilar, Max
Allbritten, Sarah
Babb, James
Bachelor, Greg
Barbario-Kitts, Chelsea
Bhatia, Anita
Blake, Angela
Braun, Nat
Cardoza, Jacky
Cech, Cindy
Chang, Bryan
Cobb, Dani
Corden, Haley
Denbroeder, Justin
Deutschman, Alexa
Dhar, Shailin
Edgington, Nicole
Ferrill, Brett
Gomez, Jesse
Ha, Cindy
Hale, Anita
Hale, Tonya
Havig, Brian
Holmgren, John
Holt, Jenica
Ilyin, Yuri
Joda, Sam
Lawerance, Kathleen
Lee, Adrain
Lee, Erika
Leigh, Jasmine
Louie, Christina
Maclean, Nick
Mammen, Jonathan
Martinez, Maya
Mei, Jenny
Olivar, Jose
O'Malley, Meghan
Payne, Christy
Randel, Jeff
Romijn, Shannon
Roth, Nick
Sigman, Kyle
Stephenson, Jessica
Stromberg, Ted
Thies, Paul
Vanderbilt, Michael
Vicerai, Brian
Wood, Allyson

Nominating Staff

L. Pappas
M. Lewandowski
A. Thomas
A. Thoe
K. Anderson
L. Pappas
M. McLaughlin
M. Camp
B. Correia
J. Castagnini
C. Jackson
J. Parmelee
K. Hooven
C. Juarez
M. Crawbuck
C. Juarez
L. Fulton
D. DeGiobbi
J. Parmelee
A. Thomas
L. Bean
M. McLaughlin
H. Fleming
B. Moorefield
J. Koobatian
J. Mannion
B. Moorefield
M. Camp
E. Cloyd
E. Pagtakhan
J. Friesen
C. Gibbons
N. denBroeder
K. Anderson
A. Thoe
C. Ogle
J. Gebet
S. Sears
S. Sears
K. Deenihan
B. Correia
C. Ogle
B. Reber
B. Reber
H. Fleming
C. Jackson
C. Gibbons
K. Deenihan
C. Jones

Introducing Soon Bin An — FHS November Student of the Month

Foothill High School is pleased to announce that Soon Bin "Sam" An has been chosen as the November Student of the Month. Caroline Fields, Foothill art teacher, states, "Sam is an incredible artist who shows great effort, maturity and craftsmanship." For most of this past summer Sam spent his time working on his AP Art portfolio, developing a series of artworks that Ms. Fields labeled as a "student masterpiece." Sam is humble when talking about his exceptional talent in art, simply stating, "Drawing is something that I enjoy."

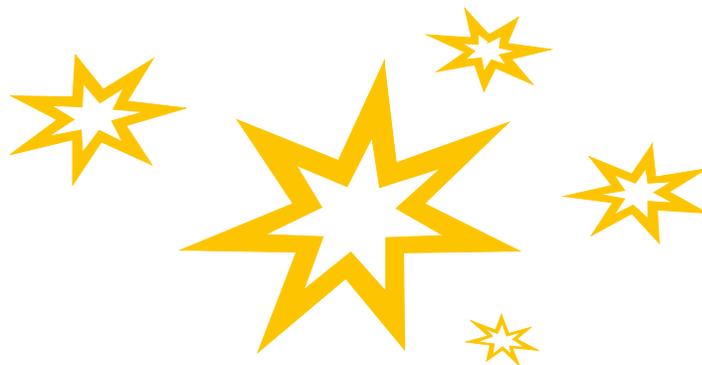
Mr. Mark Lightfoot, Sam's AP Art teacher, comments, "Sam shows extra effort, well above expectations – very strong, well-developed work." His dedication and talent with his art is evident in the accolades he received from NFAA (National Foundation for the Advancement of Art) when competing in a national art competition. He earned a score of 7.5 out of a possible 10, with the average score being 3.4.

Art is not Sam's only interest in which he excels. His classes at school are all college prep or advanced placement. He has received a Falcon Pride award for outstanding achievement. In addition, Sam has a 1st degree black belt in Taekwondo, taking 3rd place in the Junior Olympics. He enjoys playing all sports, especially soccer.

Sam is active in our campus community holding memberships in FISH Club, Interact Club and the Kids R Us Club. He is also active outside of school, volunteering at his church, local hospitals and assisting the homeless.

After high school graduation, Sam wants to double major in illustration for advertisement & commercial design and in interior architecture. Sam states, "I would like to become successful and leave my name in this world before I die."

Congratulations, Sam!



Marketing — DECA Students Achieve Success

The Foothill DECA chapter attended this year's first Career Development Conference (CDC), which took place at Livermore High School on Thursday, October 26th. DECA, an Association of Marketing Students, gives high school students the opportunity to explore today's business world and gain hands-on experience with industrial professionals as they compete.

The goal of this event was to train students to compete at the District, State & International competitions that will be held later this year. Close to 200 students, from five local high schools, participated in four different events in the areas of Retail Merchandising, Restaurant and Food Service Management, Business Services Marketing & Marketing Management. As always, the competition was intense. **Congratulations to our winners:**

Amy Crawford, Austin Abbruscato, Calem Tamayo, Danica Gragg, Erroll Jenkins, Jordan Friedman, Justine Lecco, Katie Johnson, Megan Ortisi, Nick Martell, Russell Takehara, Sarah Spiegel, Scott Tomlin, and Stephen Yoshida.

This success gives us tremendous momentum as we proceed to train and develop all of our Foothill DECA members for future competitions. We appreciate teachers allowing them to miss class to take advantage of this valuable learning opportunity. We appreciate your support!

Thanks!

Submitted by Tami Raaker,
Tri Valley ROP Marketing & Business Ownership Teacher
DECA Advisor



Library & Media Center News

Happy 2007! There is a lot of artistic talent at Foothill. Come in and see the new art displays by Mrs. Field's classes — they are getting a lot of attention! In January we are celebrating Black History Month with a bulletin board honoring Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and other African Americans who represent our Community of "Character." In February, we will be celebrating Presidents' Day with a display, contests, and a vote for "Who's your favorite President." Start thinking!

Our 1st Annual Book Fair was a success. Thank you students and parents!!! Students purchased some great reading material for themselves and for their teachers. In turn, teachers placed these books in their classrooms, so everyone got the benefit of the student donations. We thank DECA who put lots of time and energy into making this event a success. We learned a lot and look forward to putting some of the suggestions into play next November!

The library's "Holiday Culture" contests are back, by popular demand. If you want to reap in the prizes or just learn more about the roots of holiday celebrations such as Epiphany, Martin Luther King Day, Tu B'shvat, and Chinese New Year, stop by the library.

The semester change is rapidly approaching. Now is a good time to check around for library books that may be overdue. Remember, the student who checked out the materials is the one responsible for it, even if the books were used for a group project. It's easier to locate these materials now, before semester class changes.

Submitted by Brenda DuCharme,
Library Assistant

Yes, the Cold & Flu Season has Arrived!



Our Foothill office is sending home numerous students daily with flu symptoms. Please, if your student is not feeling well, assess his/her symptoms BEFORE they leave for school. Symptoms such as a sore throat, stomach ache, nausea, body aches, diarrhea, extreme fatigue and a temperature above 98.6 in the early morning should not be ignored. If your student develops these symptoms, please **KEEP YOUR STUDENT AT HOME**. The health office bustles with activity this time of year and has room for only one small cot. The intent for the Health Office is for short term use and first aid.

If your student becomes ill during the school day, please tell him/her to report to the teacher first, and then ask to go to the Health Office. All too often students will call home, or a parent's workplace, via cell phone to report they are sick, resulting in the parent calling the office to excuse the child. We have no way to locate an ill student who calls home by cell phone. **Students are required to use the Health Office phone to contact a parent/guardian, and office personnel are required to speak to the parent and sign the student out. To leave school early due to illness, PLEASE REMIND YOUR STUDENT TO CALL YOU OR OTHER EMERGENCY CONTACT FROM THE OFFICE.** To expedite their return home, please make sure your emergency information is updated with numbers where you can be reached and other emergency contacts.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Chris Faubion
Health Services Clerk
925-461-6605

"We the People" Prepare for Competition

YOU ARE INVITED TO WATCH OUR PRESENTATIONS!

After months of practicing, research, studying and hard work, Foothill's "We the People" will be presenting their district competition at City Hall in downtown Pleasanton on December 1st at 8:30 AM. All are invited to attend. "We the People" is an academically competitive team that competes against other schools in the state in the format of a simulated Congressional hearing. The team is made up of six units consisting of four or five students per unit. This competition consists of a four minute prepared presentation with each unit answering a number of difficult questions and then a six minute question and answer period with a panel of three judges (usually judges, lawyers and college professors). It may not sound exciting, but it is.

The competition has four levels with a one lose elimination. We compete at the district, regional and state level, with the winner of the state competition advancing to the National competition in May. If we are successful at the district level, we will then compete against schools from San Francisco and Oakland on December 9th at Laney College. A victory at this level will advance us to the State Competition to be held February 8 and 9th. Foothill's team has advanced to the final four at the state level for the past eight years.

This year's team has decided to dedicate their season to Sharon Cao, a lovely and brilliant classmate who was taken from us suddenly at the end of her sophomore year. It was her dream to be a member of this year's team, so she shall be in our hearts and spirits. We will always remember you Sharon.

This year's team looks exceptional and has as it goal to win the state competition and represent Foothill High School at the National competition. Our 2006-2007 team consists of the following students: **Sunny Agrawal, Shanzel Afridi, Philip Auyang, Kimberly Brown, Frank Chen, Rick Chen, Ben Destein, Shailin Dhar, Yung Din, Lauren Guerdat, Wesley Hong, Tyler Jurich, Samuel Kim, Sid Kundu, Shreya Mali, Grant Miller, Khasi Mowlavi, Ryan Rubin, Nikhil Sharma, Jacob Singer, Spring Sun, Ryan Tsai, Deepthi Vjayraghavan, Joon Woo, Marcella Yee, Kelly Zhou and Sharon Cao** in our hearts. The team is coached by teacher **Cindy Juarez**.

Submitted by Cindy Juarez,
Social Studies Teacher & Team Coach

Counseling Corner



This is an exciting time for seniors exploring their possibilities for beyond high school. Below are several reminders for graduating seniors:

- If you are applying to private colleges, check with each college's financial aid office to see if they require the CSS PROFILE application.
- Plan to attend Financial Aid Night on December 7th at 7pm at Amador Valley High School - Everyone going to a 4-year college should apply for financial aid, even if they don't think they will qualify.
- Give your counselor all secondary school reports and requests for letters of recommendation at least two weeks before they are due, and at least two weeks before winter break if they are due in January.
- You do not need to send transcripts to UC and CSU unless they specifically ask you for them.

Good luck in your application process and see your counselor with any questions. We are available to help with the application process, choosing a college, applying for financial aid, etc...just call, e-mail, or have your student stop by!

Submitted by Jennifer Friesen,
Counselor

Foothill Drama Department Presents . . .

COMPLETE HISTORY OF AMERICA (REDUCED)



**DECEMBER 7TH, 8TH & 9TH
FOOTHILL MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM
7:30 PM**

This comedy drama class production covers the last 500 years of history in ways no social studies class can! Similar to last year's "All the Works of Shakespeare Reduced," this year's fall production of "Complete History of America" stars three actors who will take you through a historic journey by ways of "film noir, radio shows, Pokeman challenge, rap, rock & roll, a tribute to the Titanic, and even bollywood! Sound crazy?? Yes! And YOU don't want to miss it!

Tickets are \$8.00 in advance or 10.00 at the door. Contact theater director Leanne Bean at lbean@pleasanton.k12.ca.us for ticket information or questions.

Your Student's Safety is Our #1 Priority!

The front parking lot, commonly referred to as the "horseshoe," is the only designated area for passenger loading and unloading. Traffic markings are clear — red and blue lines, white arrows, and the wording "Load" and "Unload." The far right and far left lanes are for unloading/loading passengers. The middle lane is for leaving the lot. When entering the lot, pull your vehicle as far forward as possible and move up as space is available. **DO NOT PARK BY THE RED CURB. DO NOT BLOCK THE DRIVEWAY ENTRANCE.**

Equally important is the potential safety hazard of picking up and dropping off students in the student parking lots. This is a significant campus safety issue.

We have many junior and senior students who drive to school, and as all of the parking areas around the school, the student parking areas are congested. The student lots are full of activity before and after school. The loading and unloading of passengers in these lots not only creates additional congestion, but is a definite **safety hazard** for students getting to and back from their vehicles.

PLEASE DO NOT USE THE STUDENT PARKING LOTS TO LOAD/UNLOAD PASSENGERS.

If anyone is observed using the student lots for this purpose, they will be stopped and reminded of the potential safety hazard.



In addition, we ask that northbound vehicles in front of the school be aware of cars making a left-hand or U-Turn. It is necessary for parents and Foothill staff who live north of the school to use this turning lane; however, successfully completing this turn often depends upon the courtesy of northbound vehicles.

For everyone's safety and a smooth traffic flow, your observation of these traffic rules would be greatly appreciated.

Kris Adkins, Mike Anderson, and Jillian Anderson grilling German Club's famous Brats for the school-wide Oktoberfest.

Academic Success

(Continued from Front Page)

What Can Students Do to Prepare for College?

- Earn high grades and take the most challenging courses that you can successfully manage.
- See your counselor about repeating courses in which you received a D or F grade.
- Register for the SAT Reasoning Test and/or the ACT with writing, as well as the SAT Subject Tests. The UC's require two subject tests from different subject areas (some private colleges require more), which should be taken as soon as you have completed the highest level of the subject that you plan to take.
- Participate in extracurricular activities, such as volunteer work, sports, clubs, etc.
- Keep a running list of all of your extracurricular activities to help when completing college applications.
- Sign up to attend presentations from college representatives in the Career Center.
- Visit colleges, sit in on classes, and try to get a feel for which type of college might suit you best.
- Keep your options open! Even if you're not sure what you want to do after high school or what you want your major to be, a solid academic foundation in high school will increase your opportunities after graduation.
- Attend FHS Counseling departments evening meetings for parents and students for valuable information presented by our Counseling Department. Listen to the bulletin and watch for flyers on these events.

Herzlich Willkommen!

Foothill's German Club and classes have been very busy celebrating! The long tradition of celebrating the Oktoberfest took place in all of the German classes October 29th—yes, the Oktoberfest takes place the last 2 weeks of September and ends on the first weekend of Oktober, since that is when the weather is better in Germany! This is a favorite of all the classes and the students enjoyed every bite of Bratwurst, Semmel (rolls) and Apfelschorle (sparkling cider).



German Club continued the celebration by not only grilling Brats for the school on October 12th, but by also having a teachers' luncheon. Both were quite a success and German's Bratwürste are becoming quite popular. Part of both lunches included Gummibären as a final treat! It was lecker (yummy)!

The end of October brought Halloween and German 2 once again researched famous German-speaking people who are deceased. They then put their facts on tombstones and the classroom was transformed into a cemetery. Everyone brought flashlights (Taschenlampen) so they could read the information. The students had to be careful, however, as Frau Fleming had turned into a witch and Frau Jackson was a vampire who was very thirsty!

German classes also celebrated the anniversary of the fall of the Wall and the advanced classes discussed the positive effects and the problems that plague Germany 17 years later. Other than that, November has been quite peaceful, to pave way for the busy holiday season the German students will be experiencing.

Until the next Talon Talk, the Deutschklub and German classes wish you all the best of everything including a wonderful winter break and a super jump into the New Year, or as the Germans would say: "Alles Gute und sehr schöne Winterferien mit einem hervorragenden Rutsch ins Neue Jahr!"

Submitted by Cindy Jackson
German Language Teacher
World Languages Department Chair

AABC Corner

AABC Budget Approved!

Thanks to the support of all the parents and staff that attended Falcon Royale last year, joined the AABC this year and supported our KEEP drive, AABC has been able to fund over \$75,000.00 in teacher wish lists (over \$50,000 in technology requests and \$25,000 in other instructional aids). Additionally, AABC will fund an additional \$34,500 in other school support. With your help, AABC has been able to support every department with technology, supplementary text books and materials, books for the library and much more! Thanks for your support to AABC: Here's some specifics.

- Purchase teacher laptops for the entire Social Studies Department – The social studies department has new textbooks coming that include a technology component so the Social Studies department will be able to make effective use of the curriculum components that come on DVD. Laptops will also support collaboration and classroom presentations (\$15,500)
- Laptop, scanner, communications module, DVD Player, sewing machine, sewing supplies, Health magazines, CPR supplies and other teaching aids for Career Prep (\$4,375)
- Laptop, Computer Monitors, Clip on Microphones, storage cabinets and magazine holders for Counseling (\$3,450)
- LCD Projectors - 4 for special Ed, 1 for Social Studies, 2 for World Language, 2 for Mathematics (\$6,750)
- Supplementary Text Books for Special Ed, World Language, & AVID (\$2,500)
- New World Book Encyclopedia, science books on Chemistry, astronomy and the environment for the Library (\$6,400)
- AP Computer Science Curriculum support, Computer Monitors, drawing pad for computer and software for Math Department (\$8,400)
- Ceramics wheels, TV w/ DVD and video series on ceramics for Art department (\$2,850)
- Camcorders for Video Production classes (\$8,200)
- Technology Maintenance (\$4,300)
- Digital Cameras and Magazines for Journalism Department (\$4,350)
- Piano Tuning for Music Department
- VCR/DVD and CD Player for English Department
- Student Activities – Destination Imagination, Shakespeare Festival, Scholarships, Student Recognition, Laws of Life Essay, Art Festival, We the People, Character Education, math Tech Fair, & the Multicultural Club (\$20,000)
- Community Service Programs – Sunshine, Backpack program, Student Assistance, Village HS Support & PSEE support (\$4,000 total)
- School Receptions/Activities – Teacher Gifts, Back to School, Blue Ribbon Celebration, Alumni Career Day, 8th Grade Orientation, Staff Appreciation Lunch, Art Reception and German Lunch (\$7,000)
- Operating Expenses – Graphics, Insurance, Postage & supplies (\$3,500)



Band Booster's 26th Annual Crab Feed



The Foothill Marching Band boosters invite you to their annual Crab Feed, Friday, February 2nd at the Shrine Event Center in Livermore. Dinner includes all you can eat crab, pasta and salad. The award winning jazz bands will be playing for your listening and dancing enjoyment. Raffles, silent and live auction. For tickets contact: Ilene Forman at mforman@ix.net or Foothillband.org.

AABC

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We wouldn't have been able to do it without your help! Thank-you, Thank-you, Thank-you! Every dollar that AABC raises goes directly to critical programs, staff support and materials at Foothill High School that would otherwise be unfunded. All of these dollars have a direct impact on students and help to improve their learning experience. Thanks for all your help!

Holiday Hoopla

AABC provides a student assistance fund. This fund helps students within our own school community who may need a little help here and there to get through daily life. Not everyone within our community has money for the basic items needed to support their educational experience. If you would like to contribute to our student assistance fund, please send a check payable to AABC put student assistance fund on a note or on the memo line. Give us your address and we'll send you a tax donation receipt. You can drop the check off in the office in the AABC mailbox or mail it to the AABC c/o Foothill High School.

KEEP – Keep Education Effective in Pleasanton

AABC accepts KEEP donations at any time! Weren't able to make a donation at Walkthrough registration? Perhaps you'll consider one for the holidays. What a great holiday gift for your favorite teacher or department! You can designate the department you would like to receive it or let the AABC determine where the greatest need is! If you would like to contribute to our KEEP fund, please send a check payable to AABC put KEEP and the department on a note or on the memo line. Give us your address and we'll send you a tax donation receipt. You can drop the check off in the office in the AABC mailbox or mail it to the AABC c/o Foothill High School.

Free ways to help your school make money!

The holiday shopping season is coming fast! Please register for eScrip before you shop so that your purchases benefit AABC! Here are several ways to help the AABC raise money for the school that don't cost you anything! If enough people would support our school with Raley's Quality of Life, eScrip, WaMoola for Schools and SchoolPop then we wouldn't need to do fundraisers. How do they work? Generally, you register your cards with the organization and a small percentage of your purchases are provided to us as a contribution... Doesn't sound like much, but a small amount for 2000 families adds up! It's easy and it's free to you! Please, please, please – register for Raley's, eScrip or Albertson's depending on where you shop.

Raley's Quality of Life

Do you Shop at Raley's or Nob Hill? You need a Quality of life Card! Pick one up from the AABC or from Raley's (just ask the clerk when you pay) any time, register it on-line and present it every time you shop. If your kids have moved up from the middle schools, be sure to re-register your card for Foothill High School AABC on-line at www.raleys.com. Contact denisewatkins@comcast.net

AABC Student Directory

The 2006-07 Student Directory has been mailed to all who placed an order during registration. If you have not received your copy, or would like to purchase one, please contact Judi Palin at 426-8602 (ptownpalins@comcast.net).

eScrip

Electronic Scrip – All you have to do is sign up and then shop where you would normally shop. Registration for eScrip is free. You register your favorite credit card, Safeway club card, and Macy's card and designate Foothill AABC as your beneficiary! As you shop, the AABC gets a percentage of your purchases. Local retailers that are registered with eScrip include: Safeway, Macy's, Gene's Fine Foods, Whole Foods and many more. If you are interested in checking the full list refer to www.escrip.com. If you are already registered, but just need to change your designator, log onto escrip.com and our group ID is 144 046 752! Please change your support to AABC if your children have moved up to the high school level.

WaMoola for Schools

Washington Mutual allows you to register your Washington Mutual credit or debit card in the WaMoola for Schools program. You can go to www.wamu.com and search on WaMoola or the go to this specific link to learn more about the program. You can request that your funds are directed to Foothill AABC! <http://www.wamu.com/about/wamudifference/currentpromotions/wamoolaforschools.asp>

SchoolPop

If you like to shop on-line, www.schoolpop.com is the place for you! You simply go to school Pop first, register for Foothill AABC (do a school search) and then shop at whatever retailers you would have anyway! There are 100's of on-line merchants that support our school with percentages as high as 8% of every purchase returning to our school! Merchants include Hp Shopping.com, Barnes & Noble, Lands' End, Dell, JC Penney, GAP, Eddie Bauer, Office Depot, LL Bean and many many more. It's easy and it supports our school!

Falcon Royale

It's coming sooner than you think! Please mark the date – **March 23, 2007 6:30-11:00 PM at the Hilton Hotel.** Tickets can be purchased at anytime. Check out our ticket flyer in this newsletter. This event is a great time for Foothill parents and staff to enjoy each other and support Foothill High School! Watch for ticket flyers coming after the new year or print a flyer off the AABC website at anytime (go to Foothill—look for Parent Club/AABC). We really need your support for donation items. If you have anything that you would like to donate, please contact JoLeeAnn Smith at 249-0618, joleeann@sbcglobal.net, Linda Traurig at ltraurig@aol.com or Denise Watkins at 925-200-8054, denisewatkins@comcast.net. We are particularly looking for vacation homes, tickets to sporting or other events, dinner gift certificates, services or any other creative donation!

Thanks for supporting Foothill!

Submitted by Denise Watkins,
AABC President

AABC Website

The AABC Website has been updated! Check out our new look... See our sweatshirt designs on-line! See our new website today!

Falcon Royale 2007



*March 23, 2007
6:30-11:00 PM*

A Taste of Tuscany

You are invited to enjoy an evening of fun and fundraising, while supporting important programs at Foothill High School! Join our fellow parents and staff for Monte Carlo Gaming, silent/live Auction, Dancing with the DJ, food and Fun! Don't miss this great evening with other Foothill Parents! Please help us Support Foothill High School!

Falcon Royale — Taste of Tuscany

What: Evening of Fun for the Parents of Foothill High School — Monte Carlo Gaming, Auction, Food, Wine and Social Time

When: March 23, 2007

Time: 6:30-11:00 PM

Where: Hilton Hotel, Pleasanton

Price: \$75/each pre-sale price!

Tickets _____ = \$ _____

Monetary Donation \$ _____

Items to donate: _____

Drop this form off or mail to the office (address below). Checks payable to Foothill AABC.

If you have tickets to an event, a vacation home or something else you'd like to donate... We'd love to hear from you! Questions? Contact JoLeeAnn Smith at 249-0618 or jasmith@sbcglobal.net or Linda Traurig ltraurig@aol.com or Denise Watkins at 200-8054 or denisewatkins@comcast.net

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FAB News

It is hard to believe that we are heading into the second half of our school year already. This year has been busy; we held our 2006 Foothill Golf Classic in October and it was a huge success! Not only did we raise over \$25,000, we had a great time! Visit our Web Site for more details about this extravaganza! For you senior parents, we ask that you encourage your student athlete's to apply for the FAB Scholarship. FAB is giving (4) \$1,000.00 scholarships for the class of 2007. We only had 28 applicants last year; your student's odds could be very good! Applications are available in the office or on our web site. If you are interested in getting involved with FAB, come to our monthly meetings the second Monday of every month at 7:00 PM in room C-6. If you would like more information go to our Web Site Foothillsports.com or contact Jaylene Groeniger at 426-5680.



FOOTHILL ATHLETIC BOOSTER SCHOLARSHIPS

Foothill Athletic Boosters will award \$1,000 scholarships to four graduating senior student-athletes who can best articulate and describe the positive impact that participation in athletics at Foothill High School has had on their lives. Applications for these scholarships can be downloaded from foothillsports.com or they may be obtained at the **FHS counseling office**.

Eligibility requirements:

- Must be a graduating Foothill High School Senior
- Participated in a sport for a minimum of one season during any of your four years at Foothill
- If you competed in more than one sport, indicate each sport
- Must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0
- Must submit a copy of your first semester report card from your senior year to verify cumulative GPA
- A coach must complete the Acknowledgement portion of the application for each sport in which you participated
- Must be enrolled in a United States college, university, junior college or Vocational Training program by January 15, 2008.
- Must submit a **one-page typed essay** addressing the following topic: **"Describe the roll athletic participation at Foothill High School has played in your life."**
 - ◊ Use a minimum 10 pt. font, preferably Arial or Times Roman
 - ◊ Staple your essay & copy of your first semester report card to the completed application
- **APPLICATIONS must be submitted on or before April 27th, 2007 to:**

FAB Scholarship Committee

c/o Counseling Office
Foothill High School
4375 Foothill Road
Pleasanton, CA 94588

- **The 2006 FAB Scholarship Award Winners will be announced at Senior Awards Night on May 29, 2007.**

Class of 2007 Activities!



SENIOR PARENTS!

To hear the most recent developments with the parent planned and assisted Senior Activities, please attend our next meeting on **Tuesday, January 23rd, 2007 at 6:30 PM in room C-6** at Foothill High School. We have the Senior Awards, Baccalaureate, Senior Ball Breakfast and Senior Barbecue to plan for our graduating class. Your partici-

pation will make a difference in the outcome of your senior student's activities!

GRAD NIGHT

Grad Night planning has begun and is in full swing. We are currently working on fund raising, decorations and food planning. If you are interested in getting involved with your senior's Grad Night experience, we encourage you to come to our next meeting on **January 23rd, 2007 at 7:00 PM in the Foothill Library**. If you would like more information about Grad Night and how you can be involved, contact Cynthia Lynn at 846-1823 or Jaylene Groeniger at 426-5680.

You've got the contacts . . . We need your help!

More than 500 of our 2007 graduating seniors are expected to attend GRAD NIGHT 2007! Grad Night depends solely on fundraising and donations to cover all costs. We know that our best resource for community contacts is you, the Foothill parents! If you, or someone you know or a corporation with which you have contact, could donate:

- \$\$ Cash \$\$
- Food or drink items to be consumed during the evening
- Raffle items to be given away during the evening
- Paper for photocopying or printing flyers
- Photocopying or printing of materials
- Corporate Sponsorship

If you can assist with any of the above, please contact: Amy Lofland (balofland@comcast.net), phone 462-5389, or cell 519-4908.

Senior and Junior Parents

You make all the difference in making GRAD NIGHT 2007 a success! We need volunteers for GRAD NIGHT celebration 2007. Committees are being formed to address all phases of the event. Want to help with GRAD NIGHT tickets? Would you like to help with finding entertainment or help with food for the event? Can you help with phoning other volunteers? How about working the check-in at the event? Perhaps you have contacts that would be willing to help sponsor the event. These are just a few of the activities for which we need your help. We'd love to hear from you! **Please contact Jaylene Groeniger at (925) 426-5680/ JayGroeniger@aol.com, or Cynthia Lynn at (925) 846-1823/ lynnfamily5@comcast.net.**

Recent Survey Results are on the District Website

The results from the October 2005 administration of the California Healthy Kids Survey (CHKS) were recently released to schools districts across the state. Pleasanton Unified students in grades 5, 7, 9, and 11 who returned positive parent permission were given the survey. The survey asked questions concerning alcohol, tobacco, and drug use, safety, diet and physical activity, and sexual behavior (grades 9 and 11 only).

Approximately 75% of students at the four grade levels participated in the survey. Results indicated both positive and negative trends and levels. For example, in all grades, the perception of cigarettes, alcohol, and marijuana as harmful increased, and 2% or less of students reported smoking cigarettes in the past 30 days. However, the percent of grade 11 students involved in the high risk behavior of "binge drinking" (5 drinks in a couple of hours) stayed at 23%. Also, while the percentage of grade 11 students who have had sexual intercourse remained constant, the percent engaging in "unprotected sex" increased.

In addition to the CHKS, an anonymous staff survey, the School Climate Survey (SCS) was also conducted. This survey includes questions to staff members about school climate, connectedness health related behaviors, academic achievement, and learning supports. The goal of this survey is to provide data that will supplement the information gained from the student survey.

Currently, District and school staffs are reviewing the results from both surveys to identify possible focus areas for needed improvement. District-wide results have been shared with counselors, and site-specific results have been distributed to school principals. Possible next steps under consideration by the District include sharing the data with the police department and other youth and wellness committees; educating counselors on student alcohol abuse prevention and expanding alcohol awareness in the DARE curriculum and health classes; and providing the parent community with alcohol abuse education and strategies to talk to their students about the issue.

The key findings from the California Healthy Kids Survey, the CHKS technical (full) report, and the School Climate Survey results may be viewed by visiting the District's website at www.pleasanton.k12.ca.us.

Foothill Activities -December, 2006

Fri	12/01	Muslim Stdnt Assoc Speaker G Scr Tournament @ Newark G. Scr FR TBD GBB vs Freedom (JV & Var)	Lunch 4:00/5:30
Sat	12/02	GVB State Championship @ San Jose State Event Center 5 PM G Scr Tournament @ Newark G Scr FR @ Home Wrestling Home Tournament Wrestling FR @ Haystack Tournament B Scr @ Clayton Valley B Scr FR/JV/Var @ Clayton Valley BBB @ Tennyson GBB @ Irvington Tournament (FR/JV) Falcon Band in Pleasanton Holiday Parade	5 PM TBD 12:30/2:00 11:00 3:00/4:30/6:00
Mon	12/04	Character Education Rally, 4th Per. Inst. Ldrshp Team Mtg G. Scr @ Dublin	 3:00 4:00
Tues	12/05	Muslim Stdnt Assoc Info Meeting G. Var Scr @ Mitty GBB vs Miramonte	Lunch 3:15 4:00/5:30/7:00
Wed	12/06	CSF Meeting SSC Meeting, C-6 B Scr FR @ DeLaSalle BBB JV Home Tournament through 12/08 BBB FR Tournament @ San Lorenzo through 12/09	Lunch 3:30-4:30 6:30
Thurs	12/07	BBB @ Valley Christian Tournament through 12/09 GBB @ Liberty Tournament through 12/09	
Fri	12/08	Drama Production, MP Band Field Tournament—Away	7:30 PM
Sat	12/09	FB NCS Championship @ Oakland Coliseum, 7:15 PM Wrestling FR/Soph Home Tournament B Scr @ Alameda B Scr FR @ Acalanes	7:15 PM Noon / 2:00 PM 10:00
Mon	12/11	FAB Mtg, C-6 G Scr vs Monte Vista B Scr @ Monte Vista	7:00 PM 4:00/5:45 4:00/5:45
Tues	12/12	Winter Jazz Concert, MP G Scr FR vs Monte Vista B Scr FR @ Monte Vista BBB @ Antioch GBB vs Antioch	7:00 5:30 5:30 4:00/5:30/7:00 4:00/5:30/7:00
Wed	12/13	Community of Character Mtg, C-6 G Scr @ Granada B Scr vs Granada BBB FR/JV vs Ygnacio Valley	3:00-4:00 4:00/5:45 4:00/5:45 6:00/7:30
Thurs	12/14	AIDS Red Showcase, MP G Scr FR @ Granada B Scr FR vs Granada	6:00-10:00 PM 5:30 5:30
Fri	12/15	G Scr vs Cal B Scr @ Cal BBB Var @ Newark Memorial GBB vs American	4:00/5:45 4:00/5:45 TBA 4:00/5:30/7:00
Sat	12/16	Wrestling JV @ Wildcat Invitational, Vacaville G Scr FR vs Cal B Scr FR @ Cal	 11:00 11:00
Mon	12/18	Band Winter Concert, Sm Gym B Scr Var Winter Soccer Classic through 12/22 BBB @ Pittsburgh	7:00 PM 4:30/6:00/7:30
Tues	12/19	GBB @ Washington	4:00/5:30/7:00
Wed	12/20	G Scr Tri Valley Classic through 12/23 BBB FR/JV vs Newark Memorial	 5:30/7:00

Thurs	12/21	Student Senate, B-26 Wrestling @ Reno, NV Tournament through 12/22 B Scr FR vs Clayton Valley	4th Per. 5:30
Fri	12/22	BBB vs Washington GBB @ Pittsburgh	4:30/6:00/7:30 4:00/5:30/7:00
Mon	12/25	WINTER BREAK THROUGH JANUARY 8, 2007	
Tues	12/26	Clear Calendar	
Wed	12/27	BBB FR/JV vs American GBB JV @ Irvington Tournament through 12/30	11:30/1:00
Thurs	12/28	BBB Var @ Tim Cole Tournament-American HS—12/30	
Fri	12/29	BBB FR/JV vs Liberty	4:30/5:00

Foothill Activities -January, 2007

Mon	01/01	Clear Calendar	
Tues	01/02	Clear Calendar	
Wed	01/03	B Scr FR @ James Logan BBB vs Tracy GBB @ Franklin	5:30 4:00/5:30/7:00 4:00/5:30/7:00
Thurs	01/04	Clear Calendar	
Fri	01/05	Clear Calendar	
Sat	01/06	Wrestling @ Granada Tournament B Scr FR vs Acalanes	11:00
Mon	01/08	Inst. Leadership Team Mtg FAB Mtg, C-6 BBB @ Monte Vista GBB vs Monte Vista	3:00-4:00 PM 7:00-9:00 PM 4:00/5:30/7:00 4:00/5:30/7:00
Tues	01/09	AABC Mtg, C-6 Wrestling vs Monte Vista Wrestling JV vs Monte Vista G Scr @ Livermore B Scr FR vs Livermore	7:00-9:00 PM 7:00 6:00 4:00/5:45 5:30
Wed	01/10	SSC Mtg, C-6 G Scr FR @ Livermore B Scr vs Livermore BBB vs Granada GBB @ Granada	3:00-4:00 PM 5:30 4:00/5:45 4:00/5:30/7:00 4:00/5:30/7:00
Thurs	01/11	Band Booster Mtg, C-6 Wrestling JV/Var @ Granada	7:00-9:00 PM TBD
Fri	01/12	Wrestling Var @ Los Angeles Tourn through 1/13 BBB @ Cal GBB vs Cal	4:00/5:30/7:00 4:00/5:30/7:00
Sat	01/13	Wrestling Var @ Clayton Valley Tournament Wrestling JV @ Granada Tournament B Scr FR @ Bishop O'Dowd	9:30 AM
Mon	01/15	MARTIN LUTHER KING JR SCHOOL HOLIDAY	
Tues	01/16	G Scr vs San Ramon B Scr FR @ San Ramon BBB vs Livermore	4:00/5:45 5:30 4:00/5:30/7:00
Wed	01/17	Community of Character Mtg, C-6 Choir Winter Concert @ Trinity Lutheran Church, 7:30 PM G Scr FR vs San Ramon B Scr @ San Ramon GBB @ Livermore	3:00-4:00 7:30 PM 5:30 4:00/5:45 4:00/5:30/7:00

January, 2007 Activities Calendar

Thurs	01/18	Jostens Sr Gown/Announcement Orders Parent PSAT Score Interpretation Mtg, MP Wrestling JV & Var vs Cal G Scr @ Amador BBB vs Livermore	Lunch 7:00-8:00 PM 6:00/7:00 4:00/5:45 4:00/5:30/7:00
Fri	01/19	Jostens Sr Gown/Announcement Orders Band—NCBA Honor Band BAMC Concert, MP Wrestling FHS Invitational @ Sacramento B Scr vs Amador	Lunch TBD 4:00/5:45
Sat	01/20	Band—NCBA Honor Band Wrestling JV @ College Park High School Tournament B Scr FR vs Amador G Scr FR @ Amador	 11:00 11:00
Mon	01/22	Spring Sports Parent Mtg, MP	7:00 PM
Tues	01/23	Wrestling G Scr @ Monte Vista B Scr FR vs Monte Vista BBB @ San Ramon	TBD 4:00/5:45 5:30 4:00/5:30/7:00
Wed	01/24	FINALS G Scr FR @ Monte Vista B Scr vs Monte Vista GBB vs San Ramon	8:00-11:15 AM 5:30 PM 4:00/5:45 4:00/5:30/7:00
Thurs	01/25	FINALS G Scr vs Granada	8:00-11:15 AM 4:00/5:45
Fri	01/26	FINALS B Scr @ Granada BBB @ Amador GBB vs Amador	8:00-11:15 AM 4:00/5:45 4:00/5:30/7:00 4:00/5:30/7:00
Sat	01/27	Band @ Folsom Jazz Festival G Scr FR vs Granada B Scr FR @ Granada	 11:00 11:00
Mon	01/29	NO SCHOOL—TEACHER WORKDAY	
Tues	01/30	Beginning of 3rd Quarter G Scr @ Cal B Scr FR vs Cal BBB vs Monte Vista	4:00/5:45 5:30 4:00/5:30/7:00
Wed	01/31	G Scr FR @ Cal B Scr vs Cal GBB @ Monte Vista	5:30 4:00/5:45 4:00/5:30/7:00

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