

Las Animas Home & School Club (HSC) Newsletter

Jan./Feb. 2019 Edition

Las Animas Families,

We hope the school year is going well for you and your student(s). This newsletter is meant to provide you with a unified view of activities and information you may find helpful over the next 60 days. If you have general feedback, or additional information you would like to see in future newsletters, please contact hsclasanimas@gmail.com.

Highlights of upcoming events/activities for January and February:

**All dates are subject to change*

January 2019

Jan. 17 (8:15-9:15am) – **HSC Meeting @ School Library**

Jan. 18 (8:30-9:45am) – ELAC meeting @ Staff Room

Jan. 18 - School Spirit—Pajama Day

Jan. 21 – MLK, Jr. Day, **NO SCHOOL**

Jan. 25 – Staff Development day, **NO SCHOOL**

Jan. 28 (after dismissals) Kona Ice @ Quad blacktop near 1st-4th bldgs (\$5 pp/cash only)

Jan. 30 (5:00-9:00pm) – Parents Night Out at Bella Viva (7423 Monterey Road, Gilroy)

February 2019

Week of February 4th - 5th Grade Promotion selling Valentine-Grams

Feb. 8 (6-8pm) Sweetheart Valentine Dance

Feb. 11 – Walking School Bus – meet at Oak Brook Way and Blackberry Ct. at 7:30am

Feb. 11 (after dismissals) Kona Ice @ Quad blacktop near 1st-4th bldgs (\$5 pp/cash only)

Feb. 14 (8:15-9:15am) **HSC Meeting @ School Library**

Feb. 15 (8:30-9:45am) – ELAC meeting @ Staff Room

Detailed information related to upcoming events/activities for January and February:

Home & School Club Meeting (Jan. 17, 8:15-9:15am and Feb. 14, 8:15-9:15am @ School Library)

We are going to have lots of information about upcoming events, as well as how you can stay up to date, and get involved. Hope to see you there!

5th Grade Promotion Committee selling Valentine-Grams (week of February 4th)

To help raise money for the 5th Grade Promotion party, the 5th grade promotion committee will be selling Valentine-grams the week of February 4th. Scented pencil grams will be \$2 each, and lollipop grams will be \$1 each. More details to come.

Sweetheart Valentine Dance (Parent/Child) (February 8th, 6-8pm)(Multi-purpose Room)

Come out with a special adult (parent, guardian, grandparent, etc.) for a night of dancing and socializing. We are asking families with the last names A-M to please bring snacks to share, and those with last names N-Z to bring either small water bottles or juice boxes. Admission is free. Children must be accompanied by an adult the entire evening. No drop offs allowed.

Kona Ice (January 28th and February 11th)

Love shaved ice? Looking for an easy after-school treat, while contributing toward our school? Look no further! Kona ice will be on campus once per month due to their limited availability, so be sure to grab one while you can! ***Kona Ice will be sold on January 28th and February 11th (after school dismissal, in Quad area near the 1st-4th grade entrance gate). Cost is \$5 per person, cash only.***

Box Tops (Yearlong)

Did you know clipping Box Tops is an easy way to help earn cash for our school? Each one is worth 10¢! Just look for the pink Box Tops on hundreds of products you already purchase. All you have to do is clip them and send them in to school. Please contact Sarah Sathianathan, Sarah.Sathianathan@gilroyunified.org with questions.

Birthday Marquee (Yearlong)

If you'd like to have your child's name on the birthday marquee in front of school, please obtain a form from the office or from the files folder on our Facebook page and put the form along with payment (\$20) in birthday marquee slot in the HSC box in the office. ***Please submit forms at least two weeks before your child's birthday.*** Please contact Jody Pulford, thepulfords@yahoo.com with questions.

Finally, to stay up to date on current events, be sure to use our communication tools!

- **Find us on Facebook "Las Animas Home and School Club"**
- **Subscribe to Text Reminders**
 - Simply send the text "@lasanima" (note: there is no "s" at the end) to 81010. Your phone number remains private and is not shared with anyone, nor will you be enrolled in any group texts. This is solely for outgoing notifications to parents from HSC.
- **For general questions, email the HSC: hsclasanimas@gmail.com**