Capistrano Unified School District

**ARROYO VISTA K-8**

A California Distinguished School

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 Tuesday, September 14, 2021

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**Arroyo Vista K-8’s mission is to develop and inspire ALL STUDENTS to become lifelong learners who will make a positive impact in a rapidly changing world.**

#We Care.  We Share.  We Prepare. **We are Wildcats!**

**Thank you for ensuring your child(ren) are healthy before coming to school.  If your child(ren) shows any signs of a cold or flu, please have them stay home.  We have home COVID test kits available if you are concerned your child(ren) may have COVID symptoms.  Please err on the side of caution.  Thank you.**

**FIRST PTA ASSOCIATION MEETING OF THE YEAR IS TOMORROW, SEPTEMBER 15 AT 7:00 PM VIA ZOOM.**This is a great chance to hear from Mr. McGann and the PTA on what is going on at our school and to ask any questions you may have. We hope that you will join us!  Visit [http://bit.ly/AVPTA](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/VPdaR-E_UiU88xISa1SE-w~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRjInB8P0QTaHR0cDovL2JpdC5seS9BVlBUQVcHc2Nob29sbUIKYUD8PEFh4XwFslIVS0FNQVhXRUxMQGNhcG91c2Qub3JnWAQAAAAB) to register for the ZOOM link which will be sent out two hours prior to the meeting.

**SCHOOL PICTURES FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17:**Arroyo Vista K-8 Students will have their pictures taken on Friday, September 17**.**You do not need to send in money. Proofs will come home a few weeks later and you can place an order at that time.

**WILDCATS WAY – Our Elementary Wildcats have been working on Do the Right Thing this week because that’s what Wildcats do.  They make good choices even when no one is watching; Play fair; Include others; follow class guidelines; and make today count.  This is all part of the WILDCATS WAY!**

**YEARBOOK INFO**:  Our **NEW** yearbook sales site is open!  Order yearbooks and ads here: [https://bit.ly/avk8yearbook](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/RIfi0A01Iqsc-2OF5Ks82Q~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRjInB8P0THaHR0cHM6Ly9saW5rcHJvdGVjdC5jdWRhc3ZjLmNvbS91cmw_YT1odHRwcyUzYSUyZiUyZmJpdC5seSUyZmF2azh5ZWFyYm9vayZjPUUsMSxJdnlFd1RjWldHeEw4eXRPWDVRZ2c4OHloYTRlU1VqNFJDNXM0NUlFcjJYRWNpYzB6aXhJcG4ycGpPa1NuZ3J4NjJkRlBCaVhmeXF3QmhSRlNxS21KS0FOX3dSSnJ3UHk4RmJ1ZDlSUXZDVG81NUxkJnR5cG89MVcHc2Nob29sbUIKYUD8PEFh4XwFslIVS0FNQVhXRUxMQGNhcG91c2Qub3JnWAQAAAAB)

**Yearbooks**

* Pricing starts at $30
* Softcover and Hardcover Available
* **Order in September and receive an early bird discount!**

**Yearbook Ads**

* **All Grades:** 1/8 Page --$25
* **5th & 8th Grade ONLY**: 1/4 Page - $50, 1/2 Page - $100 and Full Page - $200

**\*\*\***Yearbook ad pricing is not subject to early bird discounts, however ad space is limited and is first come first serve!

**ORANGE COUNTY STUDENTS CAN RIDE OC BUS FOR FREE WITH NEW YOUTH PASS:**Good news! For a limited time, youth aged 6 to 18 can ride OC Bus for free with the Youth Ride Free promotional pass. Operated by the Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA), OC Bus is a safe and convenient way to get around Orange County. This is a great option for students to ride to school, after-school activities, jobs, and more.  The Youth Ride Free pass will be available upon parent request starting in September. The pass will be valid on any OC Bus fixed-route service until February 28, 2022.  To request a pass, please complete a Parental Request Form (available online [here](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/ltJZ3jQbzJPlt3xsY7AOZQ~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRjInB8P0Q2aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cub2N0YS5uZXQvcGRmL1lvdXRoUmlkZUZyZWVfUmVxdWVzdEZvcm0ucGRmVwdzY2hvb2xtQgphQPw8QWHhfAWyUhVLQU1BWFdFTExAY2Fwb3VzZC5vcmdYBAAAAAE~)) and provide the completed form to **Kerri Maxwell**, who will provide your child with the free pass. For more information, please contact **Kerri Maxwell 949-234-5951**, or visit [**OCTA.net/YouthRideFree**](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/VAFphi38porhERQSKPnxlA~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRjInB8P0QiaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cub2N0YS5uZXQvWW91dGhSaWRlRnJlZVcHc2Nob29sbUIKYUD8PEFh4XwFslIVS0FNQVhXRUxMQGNhcG91c2Qub3JnWAQAAAAB).

Joe McGann

Principal, Arroyo Vista K-8

 **ARROYO VISTA K-8 'SAVE THE DATE' UPCOMING EVENTS**

**SEPTEMBER**

September 15 - PTA Zoom Meeting @ 7:00 pm

September 17 – Fall Pictures

September 22 – Elementary Virtual Back-to-School Night.  ES Minimum Day-12:20 Dismissal

**OCTOBER**

October 4 – Makeup Picture Day

October 8 – Jog-a-thon

**October 29 – Trunk or Treat Movie Night**

**NOVEMBER**

November 12 – Elementary Ability Awareness Day

November 16-18 – Science Fair

**DECEMBER**

**MAY**

May 13 – PTA Carnival

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**Absence Line: 949-234-5929**

23371 Arroyo Vista, Rancho Santa Margarita, CA  92688
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