



SFCS Weekly Bulletin

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SCHOOL CALENDAR UPDATE

With the Snow Day called last week, **the Snow Day that was scheduled for March 29th has been removed from the school calendar. March 29th will now be a full school day.** An updated school calendar was sent home with students and is available on our website.

FRESHMAN ORIENTATION EVENTS

SFCS eighth graders will participate in Freshman Orientation at Mariposa County High School (MCHS) on Thursday, February 28th from 8:30-11:30AM. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to learn more about the high school experience that awaits them next year. **Also, parents/guardians are invited to an informational meeting at 6PM in the MCHS Auditorium on February 28th.** The evening will include a Q&A portion. **Freshman registration packets are due on Friday, March 1st.** If you have any questions, please contact the MCHS Counseling Office at [209-742-0260](tel:209-742-0260) x2234.

MCUSD/MCOE SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH

The MCUSD/MCOE Board is conducting a superintendent search to hire the county's next superintendent. Superintendent Hopper will step down at the end of the school year. Leadership Associates, a firm chosen to guide the selection process, will be gathering input from stakeholders about the desired qualities and characteristics of the next superintendent. **There will be an open forum on Feb. 13th from 2:35-3:00PM at the MCUSD Board Room (5082 Old Highway N.) to provide input.** Also, an online survey will be available at www.mcusd.org from Feb. 13-22. The direct link to that survey will be available at bit.ly/2S2Rft4. MCUSD is the authorizing agency for SFCS. We encourage you to have a voice in the superintendent selection process.

FOUR-DAY WEEKEND AHEAD

There is no school on Friday, February 15th and Monday, February 18th in honor of Presidents' Day. Enjoy the long weekend!

ORDER YOUR SAVOURYS TORTE TODAY

Savourys restaurant has generously coordinated another Chocolate Toffee Torte fundraiser with all profits supporting SFCS. **Order your chocolate toffee tortes by today at noon using the order form or place an order at Savourys. Pick up your tortes at SFCS or Savourys on Thursday, February 14th.** The chocolate toffee tortes are \$25 each or two for \$40. Each delicious torte serves 10, is pre-cut, freezes well, and is gluten free. Checks payable to Savourys. **For more information, call 209-966-7677.**

SCHOOL STORE FUNDRAISER

Information regarding SFCS's ongoing fundraiser, SchoolStore, was sent home past week. This fundraiser is an easy way to earn money for our school by shopping with over 400 merchants online over the next year. Students also have the opportunity to earn prizes of increasing value during this time. **If you haven't done so already, please register your student's account by following the steps on the School Store envelope.** Please contact the office with any questions.

VALENTINE'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

Many classrooms will be celebrating Valentine's Day on February 14th. Please look for information from teachers for information specific to your child's classroom. Also, **please remember the SFCS Wellness Policy and do not send candy or other dessert items to school,** outside of what teachers specify is allowable. Thank you for saving sugary treats for outside of school. **If your child would like to pass out valentines to classmates and needs a pack of valentines, we have extras available in the office.**

DATES TO REMEMBER

- *Every Monday - Early release at 2PM*
- **Fri., 2/15 & Mon., 2/18 - NO SCHOOL, Presidents' Day**
- **Mon., 2/26 - SFCS Board Meeting, 4PM**
- **Wed., 4/10 - Enrollment window closes for the 2019/20 school year**



SFCS Home School Enrichment: Week of February 11, 2019

February's Core Virtue: Heroism

11 Monday: 100th Day of School

TK-2nd TK/K	All Day 11:40-2pm	100th Day of School Celebrations Lunch and Rotations: Garden, Spanish and PE
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12 Tuesday:

5th/6th 5th-8th	11:40-3:15 12:35-3:05	Lunch, Garden, Tech, and PE Music Classes: Band, New Instruments, Violin & Guitar Please let me know if you are interested.
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13 Wednesday:

3rd/4th	11:40-3:15	Lunch, Rotations: Garden, Spanish, PE Rotation
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14 Thursday:

7th/8th Most Classes	11:40-3:15 Various Times	Lunch and Rotations: Garden, Tech and P.E. Valentine Exchanges in each classroom, please let me know if your child will be participating
1st-8th	12:35-1:05	Piano Classes, please contact me if you are interested.
TK/K	1:50-2:20	Music Class
1st/2nd	2:35-3:00	Music Class

15 Friday: NoSchool

1st/2nd	11:40-3:15	Lunch and Rotations: Garden, Spanish and PE
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Coming Up:

Monday, Feb 18	No School - President's Day
Tuesday, March 5	History Day with Chakwanakee Home School at New Life, 2:30-6:45pm

SFCS Links to Blogs, Web Sites and Curricular Connections:

Subscribing to classroom blogs and websites is a great way to get ideas from what is happening at school.

- [The Home School Blog](#)
- [Mrs. Stillwell's TK/K's Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Mrs. Baumann's 1st and 2nd grades' Website and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Ms. Starchman's 3rd and 4th grades' Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Ms. Miranda's 5th and 6th grades' Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Ms. Contreras's 7th and 8th grades' Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [The SFCS Garden Blog](#) - all grade levels
- [The SFCS Tech Blog](#) - all grade levels & [5-8th Grade Tech Exploration](#)