



# SFCS Weekly Bulletin

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## *Happy New Year!*

We hope everyone had an enjoyable holiday break. Best wishes for a wonderful 2020!

### WINTER PROGRAM THANKS

Thanks to all who attended the Winter Program on December 18th, and to staff and students for putting on a great show! **Special thanks to Mr. Paul Singh, owner of Catheys Valley Chevron, for donating cookies and hot chocolate for the evening.**

### TWO HOUR DELAYS AND SNOW DAYS

If weather conditions ever warrant school starting late or a “no school” snow day, you will receive a phone call.

**Please make sure to update the office if your contact number changes.** For late starts, the bus will run exactly two hours later than the regular schedule and students will line up to start their day at 10:25AM. Delays and snow days are aligned with MCUSD.

### OPEN ENROLLMENT & INTENT TO RE-ENROLL

The enrollment window for the 2020-2021 school year opens on January 24th. **Attached to the bulletin you will find an Intent to Re-enroll form that we ask be completed and returned to the school office as soon as possible.** If this form is not returned before the enrollment window closes on April 6th, spots for next school year cannot be guaranteed. **For new students, Intent to Enroll forms are available on the SFCS website ([sierrafoothillcharterschool.org](http://sierrafoothillcharterschool.org)) and in the office.** If more forms are received than spots available, a public lottery will be held on April 8th. Please pass on this information to anyone who may be interested in enrolling students for next school year. If you have any questions, please contact the office at (209)742-6222.

### CLOTHING DONATIONS NEEDED

**We are in need of pants for girls and boys in sizes 5-8.** Sweats or leggings are best. Please send any donations to the office. Thank you!

### SPA AND DINNER FUNDRAISER AT THE BUG

**Please plan to join us for the Spa Day and Dinner Fundraiser for SFCS this Saturday, January 11th, at the Yosemite Bug Rustic Mountain Resort.** Spa treatments will be available from 10AM-10PM, \$15 for adults and \$8 for kids. Dinner at the June Bug Cafe will be from 6-9PM. Live music by the band 2 Pisces will be 7:00-9:30PM. S’mores by campfire will be available for \$5 per person. All proceeds will support SFCS. We hope to see you at this wonderful annual fundraiser!

### LEARNING GARDEN: BE PREPARED!

**Please send your children to school with warm coats and sturdy shoes or boots that can get muddy on their scheduled Learning Garden day.** Unless it is raining, the students typically have lessons outside.

Monday - Grades TK/K

Tuesday - Grades 5/6

Wednesday - Grades 3/4

Thursday - Grades 7/8

Friday - Grades 1/2

### IMPROVED ATTENDANCE AT SFCS

We appreciate your support for your children’s education by prioritizing full-time daily attendance. **We are excited that the chronic absentee rate has dropped to 8.6% at SFCS, a decrease of over 7% since last school year.** Chronic absenteeism is defined as a student missing more than 10% of school days for any reason. It is a measure followed closely by the State because research shows that missing school significantly increases the likelihood that students will not perform as well as their peers. Additionally, school funding is based on average daily attendance, so **SFCS loses money each time a student is not in school unless a completed Independent Study packet is on file in the office.** Your continued support to further reduce the chronic absenteeism rate is greatly appreciated.

### DATES TO REMEMBER

- **Sat., 1/11: Spa Day & Dinner Fundraiser at Yosemite Bug Rustic Mountain Resort**

## SFCS Home School Enrichment: Week of January 6, 2020

### Core Virtue for January: Courage

#### 6 Monday: Welcome Back

TK/K                      11:40-2pm                      Lunch and Rotations: Garden, Spanish and PE

#### 7 Tuesday:

5th/6th                      11:40-3:15                      Lunch, Rotations: Garden, Spanish, PE Rotation  
5th-8th                      12:35-3:05                      Music Classes: Band, New Instruments, Violin & Guitar,  
please let me know if you are interested

#### 8 Wednesday:

3rd/4th                      11:40-3:15                      Lunch, Garden, Tech, and PE

#### 9 Thursday:

7th/8th                      11:40-3:15                      Lunch and Rotations: Garden, Tech and P.E.  
1st-8th                      12:35-1:40                      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

#### 10 Friday:

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

#### Coming Up:

- Save the Date: Homeschool Field Trip to the Monterey Bay Aquarium, Friday, January 24th. Click [here](#) for Resources.

### 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.

- [Academic Support](#) and [Academic Standards and Expectations](#) from the SFCS Web Page
- [The Home School Blog](#)
- TK/K's [Curricular Connections](#)
- [Mrs. Baumann's 1st and 2nd grades' Website and Curricular Connections](#)
- [Ms. Starchman's 3rd and 4th grades' Blog and Curricular Connections](#)
- [5th and 6th Curricular Connections](#)
- [7th and 8th grade Curricular Connections](#)
- [The SFCS Garden Blog](#) - all grade levels
- [5-8th Grade Tech Exploration](#)

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# Spa & Dinner Fundraiser

at the Yosemite Bug  
Rustic Mountain Resort

Saturday,  
January 11th

Spa access 10am-10pm  
\$15/adults, \$8/kids

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Dinner from 6pm-9pm

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Live Music from 2 Pisces  
7pm-9:30pm

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Campfire & s'mores \$5/person



# SIERRA FOOTHILL CHARTER SCHOOL

## JANUARY 2020

MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
<b>BREAKFAST</b> Reduced \$0.30 Paid \$2.00 Adult \$2.50 <b>MILK</b> Student \$0.35 Adult \$0.50		Daily Breakfast Choices Juice & Fresh Fruit 1% White or Non Fat Chocolate Milk Daily Lunch Choices Fresh Fruit & Vegetables 1% White or Non Fat Chocolate						*MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE	
<b>BREAKFAST:</b> Cereal & Graham Crackers or Benefit Bar <b>LUNCH:</b> Sandwich w/Chips (Ham or PB&J) <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Cereal & Graham Crackers or Benefit Bar <b>LUNCH:</b> Sandwich w/Chips (Turkey or PB&J)		<b>BREAKFAST:</b> Honey Wheat Bar or Benefit Bar <b>LUNCH:</b> Bean & Cheese Burrito or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Honey Wheat Bar or Benefit Bar <b>LUNCH:</b> Sloppy Joe or Ham & Cheese Sandwich <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Honey Wheat Bar or Benefit Bar <b>LUNCH:</b> Orange Chicken w/Rice or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Honey Wheat Bar or Benefit Bar <b>LUNCH:</b> Cereal & Graham Crackers or Benefit Bar		<b>BREAKFAST:</b> Cream filled Cereal Bars <b>LUNCH:</b> Breakfast for Lunch (Pancakes & Sausage) <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Cream filled Cereal Bars <b>LUNCH:</b> Breakfast for Lunch (French Toast & Sausage) <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Cream filled Cereal Bars <b>LUNCH:</b> Breakfast for Lunch (Pancakes & Sausage) <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Cream filled Cereal Bars <b>LUNCH:</b> Breakfast for Lunch (French Toast & Sausage)		<b>BREAKFAST:</b> Honey Wheat Bar or Cereal Bar w/Grahams <b>LUNCH:</b> Chicken Nuggets or Taco Salad <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Honey Wheat Bar or Cereal Bar w/Grahams <b>LUNCH:</b> Chicken Drumsticks or Oriental Chicken Salad <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Honey Wheat Bar or Cereal w/Grahams <b>LUNCH:</b> Chicken Sandwich or Taco Salad <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Honey Wheat Bar or Cereal Bar w/Grahams <b>LUNCH:</b> BBQ Rib Sandwich or Oriental Chicken Salad		<b>BREAKFAST:</b> Chocolate Muffin <b>LUNCH:</b> French Bread Pizza or Cheese Breadsticks <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Chocolate Muffin <b>LUNCH:</b> French Bread Pizza or Cheese Breadsticks <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Chocolate Muffin <b>LUNCH:</b> French Bread Pizza or Cheese Breadsticks <b>BREAKFAST:</b> Chocolate Muffin <b>LUNCH:</b> French Bread Pizza or Cheese Breadsticks	
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HOLIDAY		HOLIDAY		HOLIDAY		HOLIDAY		HOLIDAY	



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## Re-Enrollment 2020-21 For Students enrolled 2019-20

### Student Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

StreetAddress: \_\_\_\_\_

City&ZipCode: \_\_\_\_\_

Male/Female

### Parent information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Sibling Information:

Name of Sibling: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

This form demonstrates your intention of attending SFCS and guarantees re-enrollment if returned by January 17, 2020.

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Parent signature:

Date:

### **Satisfaction Survey**

Please indicate your level of overall satisfaction with SFCS: Very Satisfied Satisfied Not Satisfied

Comments/Kudos/Complaints: \_\_\_\_\_