

LANEVIEW OUTLOOK

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The Berryessa Union School District provides all students the skills to become lifelong learners and successful 21st century global citizens.

Principal's Message

Dear Laneview Parents and Families,

It seemed like only yesterday that we started our first day of school for the new year. Our first month of school has zoomed by rather quickly and smoothly. I would like to thank all of you for your support to your children and our classroom teachers. I enjoyed seeing all of you at our Back to School Night. I appreciate all of you coming out to meet your child's teacher and hear about what your child will be learning and doing this year. I look forward to seeing all of you at our various school and family events.

For those of you who were at the General Session during Back to School Night, I shared some exciting news about our state test scores. Looking at last year's SBAC results, our students improved 9% in the percentage of students who met or exceeded the standard in English Language Arts and our students improved 10% in the percentage of students who met or exceeded the standard in Mathematics. That is FANTASTIC!!! Kudos to our students and our teachers.

October is a month that we focus on Emergency Preparedness. Our school will be participating with schools across the state in the Great California Shakeout. On October 20th at 10:20am, we, along with schools all over California, will be practicing a Duck, Cover and Hold drill. Because we live in California, we need to practice and be prepared. I will be updating our emergency site plan that defines staff duties and responsibilities during emergency situations.

Please help your child start their day right by getting up on time and arriving to school before the bell. We have had too many students coming in late and this really does affect their day. If your child has too many tardies or unexcused absences, you will be sent a letter to meet with myself and the school counselor.

As always, should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to give us a call, email or come in. Your child is important to us and you are a partner with us in their education.

Sincerely,
Carol Mar

Site Writing Assessment & District Assessment

California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP)

Signed into law on October 2, 2013, Assembly Bill 484 launched a new student testing system for California's schools, now called the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP). The CAASPP system is based on the State's new California Common Core State Standards (CA CCSS) for English Language Arts (ELA) and mathematics, adopted by the State Board of Education in 2010. This new system replaces the Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) Program that was based on 1997 standards. The primary goal of the new statewide testing program is to better prepare all students for college and careers in the twenty first century. Computer-based assessments, developed through the Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium, form the cornerstone for CAASPP. All 3rd through 8th grade students take the new exams. For our severely disabled students, an alternative exam is available.

California Education Code states that parents/guardians can submit a written request to the principal of their student's school if they do not wish to have their student take any or all parts of the State's CAASPP tests. Berryessa teachers and schools support students to do well on the tests and help them learn test-taking skills that will enable them to be successful throughout their school career and beyond. We encourage parents to contact their child's teacher or principal with any concerns they may have about the tests before they request that their student be excluded from taking the test(s).

- All 5th and 7th graders take the Physical Fitness test in early spring, which assesses student physical wellness.
- The English proficiency of all English Language Learners (ELLs) is assessed using the California English Language Development Test (CELDT). Initial CELDT Assessments are administered, if possible, during the summer. The rest of the exams are given in September and October of each year.

Please be sure to attend your parent conference date scheduled with your child's teacher to review these important assessment outcomes and other academic data. Parent teacher conferences will be held November 13th to 20th and March 11th to 18th.

Tardy Warning

Students need to **arrive at school on time**. If your child has excessive tardies, you will be receiving a tardy/late notification letter in the mail.

Early Dismissal and Minimum Days

Every Thursday we have early dismissal.

Dismissal for Kindergarten to 5th grade is at 1:00pm. This shortened day provides the staff time for professional development, collaboration and instructional planning. It is important to pick up your child on time every day and especially on early dismissal days (minimum days):

Every Thursday.

Nov. 9, 14, 15, 16, 18, 2016 – Fall Parent Teacher Conferences

Dec. 16, 2016 – Before Winter Break

March 10, 13, 14, 15, 17, 2017 – Spring Parent Teacher Conferences

June 9, 2017 – Last Day of School

Halloween Activities

This year we will be celebrating the Halloween Parade on Monday, October 31, 2016 at 9:15am. **Students can wear their costumes to school** and change after the parade.



Attendance Policy

If your child is sick or absent from school, please call the Laneview Office at 923-1920 and state the date and reason for the absence. If you do not call, you will receive a call asking you to call the office. Excused absences are only: illness, medical appointments, quarantine, funeral of immediate family member and exclusion due to required immunizations. Please bring a doctor or dentist note to the office after your appointment.

Independent Study

From April 28 to June 9, 2017 Independent Study will not be approved. Please plan your vacations accordingly.

Board of Trustees Meetings is held once a month. The next meeting will be October 18th at 7:00pm at the Berryessa District Office Main Boardroom. The following is a list of Board meetings for 2016-2017: November 17th, December 9th, January 19th, February 9th, February 23rd, March 8th, April 12th, May 10th, May 17th, June 7th and June 21st. All community members are encouraged to attend.

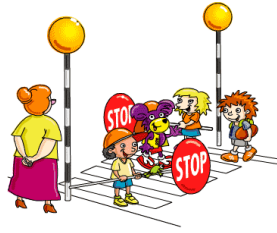
School Site Council

Congratulations to Tracey Medlin, Paul Friday, Nola Henderson & Rajesh Nandwani. These four are our newly elected SSC members for the next two years from 2016-2018. Rashmi Nandwani is our alternate. Our next meeting is October 12th at 6:00pm. We will be voting for SSC officers, discussing SBAC results and this year's school plan.



Dates to Remember:

- Oct. 3 4:00-7:00pm PTA McDonald's Night
- 4 **Picture Day**
- 10 Vision Screening for First Grade Boys
- 11 Vision Screening for K, 2nd, 5th, SAI, RSP
- 12 6:00pm SSC Meeting
7:00pm PTA Meeting
- 13 12:15pm Safety Patrol Meeting
- 14 Multicultural Music From Around the World Assembly
- 20 The Great Shake Out at 10:20am
- 17 6pm 5th Grade Parent Science Camp Mtg.
- 18 7:00pm Board of Trustees Mtg at D.O.
- 21 Student of the Month Assembly
8:45am- K, 1, 2
9:45am – 3, 4, 5
- 28 PTA Harvest Festival, 6:30-8:30pm
- 31 Halloween Parade at 9:15am
- Nov. 6 (Sunday) Daylight Savings Time
- 8 Election Day (USA)
- 9,14,15,16, 18 Parent Teacher Conferences
- 11 **No School – Veterans' Day**
- 15 Make-Up Picture Day
- 18 Student of the Month
- 21-25 **No School – Thanksgiving Break**



Safety for our Students

Many parents go through the crosswalk when the safety patrol has their signs out or pick-up students in the red zone or staff parking lot, stop in the crosswalk, leave their car unattended, cutting in line, parking in a neighbor's driveway or park beyond the pick-up sign in front of the school, etc. Please pick-up and drop off your child only in the designated areas and please ***slow down.*** ***Drivers should not be going faster than 25 mph in front of a school or any faster than what is safe.***

District Assessments – From October 3rd to October 28th, students in Kindergarten to fifth grades will be taking District Benchmark assessments. These tests will help us measure each child's growth during the year in reading, writing and math. Please be sure your child arrives on time every day and is ready to start their school day.

PTA NEWS

A BIG THANK YOU to all the families that came to support Family Night at Bounce-O-Rama! Our net profit was \$255.99!

McTeacher Night at McDonald's was on Monday, October 3rd from 4:00-7:00pm. It was a huge success and all who attended had a lot of fun seeing their teachers taking orders.

The next PTA meeting will be Wednesday, October 12th at 7:00pm in room 18. Child care is provided.

The PTA Harvest Festival will be on Friday, October 28th from 6:30-8:30pm. Come and enjoy all the fun including a Haunted House!



Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday, November 6th at 2:00am. Remember to move your clock back one hour before you go to sleep on Saturday night.

Si desea una copia de esta información en español por favor acuda a la oficina de la escuela.

If you would like a copy of this information translated in Spanish, please contact the school office.

Nếu quý vị muốn bản dịch thông tin này bằng tiếng Việt Nam, xin liên lạc với trường học của con em quý vị.

If you would like a copy of this information translated in Vietnamese, please contact the school office.

如果您需要一份有關這信息的中文翻譯, 請與學校辦公室聯繫。

If you would like a copy of this information translated in Chinese, please contact the school office.

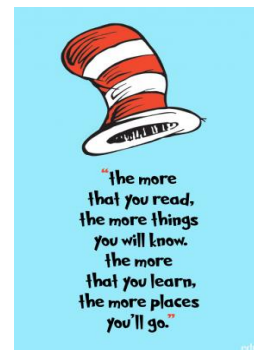
Thank you Laneview families for your kind generosity!

We have collected \$1,970.23 so far in our library fund and we are still counting! This is amazing! I want to express my gratitude to all of you, wonderful families for your generous donations. Your donations will make a very positive impact on our Laneview students' learning. In the next few weeks our library will be purchasing new and exciting title aligned with common core that will greatly enrich your children's reading experiences.

It is the policy of the Berryessa Union School District not to discriminate on the basis of sex, religion, race, national origin, or handicapping condition in its education programs and activities, or in the recruitment and employment of personnel.



Pathway to the Future



The next School Site Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 12, 2016 at 6:00pm. If you would like to attend and need an interpreter, please call (408) 923-1920.

Nuestra próxima junta del Concilio Escolar llevará acabo el October 12, 2016 at 6:00pm. Si usted desea atender y necesita interprete por favor llame al (408) 923-1920,

Buổi họp kỹ tiếp cho Hội ýing Nhà Trýing sý là vào ngày October 12, 2016 at 6:00pm. Nýu quý vỹ muýn tham dự và cýn ngýyi thông dých, xin gýi (408) 923-1920.

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Laneview School - Critical Points, October 2016

1. **Attendance Policy** – If your child is sick or absent from school, please call the Laneview Office at (408)923-1920 and state the date, child’s name, teacher’s name and reason for the absence. If you do not verify your child’s absence, it will be listed as unexcused and you may be referred to the Attendance Review Board if you have too many unexcused absences.
2. **November Parent Teacher Conferences** – It’s time to plan ahead. November 9 -18 has been set aside for Parent Teacher Conferences. Please set aside time to meet with your child’s teacher.
3. **Laneview PTA Harvest Festival** – Please join us on Friday, October 28th from 6:30-8:30pm for our annual family event.

Laneview School – Puntos importantes, Octubre 2016

1. **Reglamento de asistencia** – Si su niño(a) está enfermo o ausente de la escuela, por favor llame a la oficina de Laneview a (408)923-1920 e indique la fecha, el nombre de su niño, el nombre de su maestro y el motivo de la ausencia. Si usted no verifica la ausencia, será registrada como una ausencia injustificada y si su niño(a) tiene demasiadas ausencias, usted podrá ser referido a la Mesa de revisión de asistencia.
2. **Noviembre es el mes de conferencias de padres y maestros** – Es tiempo de planear con anticipación. Las fechas de las conferencias serán del 9 al 18 de noviembre. Por favor programe un tiempo para reunirse con el maestro de su niño(a).
3. **Festival del PTA de la Cosecha en Laneview** – Por favor únase a nuestro evento anual familiar el Viernes 28 de octubre de 6:30-8:30pm.

Điểm tin quan trọng của trường Laneview – Tháng 10 Năm 2016

1. **Quy Tắc Có Mặt Ở Trường** – Nếu con em quý vị bị bệnh hoặc sẽ vắng mặt ở trường, xin vui lòng gọi văn phòng trường LANEVIEW ở số (408)923-1920 và xin nêu rõ ngày, tên họ của học sinh, tên của giáo viên và lý do của sự vắng mặt. Nếu quý vị không xác minh sự vắng mặt của con em quý vị, sẽ bị liệt kê là vắng mặt không được cho phép và có thể bị đề nghị chuyển đến *Review Board Attendance* (Ban Hội Đồng Xem Xét Có Mặt Ở Trường) nếu con em quý vị có nhiều lần vắng mặt không cho phép.
2. **Hội Thảo Phụ Huynh và Giáo Viên trong Tháng Mười Một** - Đây là thời gian để chúng ta lên chuẩn bị trước. Từ ngày 9 đến ngày 18 tháng 11 sẽ được dành cho Hội Thảo Phụ Huynh và Giáo Viên. Xin hãy dành thời gian để gặp giáo viên của con quý vị.
3. **Laneview PTA Harvest Festival** - Hãy tham gia lễ hội hàng năm này cùng chúng tôi, vào Thứ Sáu Ngày 28 Tháng 10, từ 6:30 đến 8:30 giờ tối.

Mga Kritikal na Puntos ng Paaralang Para sa Oktubre 2016

1. **Patakaran sa Pagdalo** –Kung ang inyong anak ay may sakit o liliban mula sa paaralan, mangyari lamang na tumawag sa kagawaran ng Laneview sa (408)923-1920 at sabihin ang petsa, pangalan ng bata, pangalan ng guro at ang dahilan sa pagliban. Kung hindi ninyo patutunayan ang pagliban ng inyong anak, ito ay matatala na hindi pinayagan at kayo ay maaaring isangguni sa Attendance Review Board kung ang bata ay maraming mga pagliban na hindi pinayagan.
2. **Mga Komperensya ng Magulang at Guro Para sa Nobyembre** – Oras na para magplano ng pasulong. Ang Nobyembre 9 -18 ay inilaan para sa mga Komperensya ng Magulang at Guro. Mangyari lamang na maglaan ng oras upang makipagpulong sa guro ng inyong anak.
3. **Pagdiriwang ng Pag-ani ng PTA ng Laneview** – Mangyari lamang na samahan kami sa Biyernes, Oktubre 28 mula 6:30-8:30 n.h. para sa aming taunang pagdiriwang para sa pamilya.

1. **出席政策** - 如果你的孩子生病或不能來上學，請致電Laneview辦公室 (408)923-1920，說明日期，孩子姓名，老師名字和缺席的理由。如果你沒有核實你孩子的缺席，它會被列為無故曠課，如果你有太多的曠課，將被提交給出席審查委員會處理。
2. **十一月份家長教師會議** - 現在是提前計劃的時候了。11月9 - 18日期間將舉行家長教師會議。請撥出時間會見您孩子的老師。
3. **Laneview PTA豐收節** - 請加入我們10月28日，星期五下午6:30 - 8:30的年度家庭活動。

PTA Harvest Festival

Friday, October 28, 2016 from 6:30-8:30pm

Come out for a night of family fun! There will be game booths, food booths, a crafts booth and a Haunted House!!!

Food booth tickets are \$1 each – items will cost between 1 and 4 tickets. Proceeds to help fund field trips and classroom supplies. Don't forget to wear your costume and make it a night of fun with your family and friends!

Entrance fee: \$1 per person.

Come out for a spooktacular time!!!



Halloween/Trick –Or-Treat Safety Tips

Halloween is an exciting, fun-filled time for young people. Unfortunately, it can also result in tragedy.

Important tips for Parents: 1) Without exception, an adult should accompany any group of children under 12 years of age; 2) Place jack-o-lanterns up off the ground so that children's costumes won't come into contact with the flames or even better use a battery operated candle instead; 3) Do not hand out or allow your child to eat homemade or unwrapped treats; 4) Welcome trick-or-treaters with your porch lights and any exterior lights on; 5) set a time limit for your "trick-or-treaters" in the early evening.

Important Tips for Trick-Or-Treaters

1) Do not go inside anyone's home. Remain on the porch at all times; 2) Do not take short cuts through backyards, alleys and parks; 3) Trick-or-treat in your own neighborhood on well-lit streets; 4) When you return home, have an adult examine and discard all candies that have not been wrapped by the candy company. Discard any homemade or unwrapped treats; 5) Insist on a "buddy system" – make sure that you have at least one buddy for the entire evening; 6) Use caution when crossing streets. Walk, don't run and always use sidewalks.

After Halloween Reminders

We instill healthy habits at Laneview, so please **do not** send candy to school with your child for their snack or lunch.

Laneview School Healthy Halloween October 2016

In an effort to stay in accordance with our Board Policy on Nutrition and Health, we are encouraging our students to enjoy a Healthy Halloween. What may be the most frightening to you at Halloween is not ghosts or goblins but the thought of what all that candy can do to your kids' health and teeth. Here are some ideas for [healthy](#) treats, and recommendations for ones to avoid. Steer clear of any snacks or toys — like small plastic objects — that could pose choking hazards to very young children.

Try passing out some of these [healthier](#) snacks to trick-or-treaters:

(Keep portions kid-sized! One or two small treats per child is reasonable.)

- Small individual bags of pretzels, microwave popcorn, box of raisins, granola bars, goldfish packages
- Individual bags of roasted pumpkin seeds
- 100% fruit leathers made from real fruit or sugar-free candy
- 100% Juice in a Box

Or surprise your trick-or-treaters with a cauldron full of unique treats:

(Small toys make unexpected treats that last longer than the sweets.)

- Decorated pencils/erasers, mini-pens, crayons, or markers
- Stickers, magnets, fake tattoos, yo-yos, whistles, finger puppets, Tiny Play-Doh or bubble containers
- Halloween party favors like plastic spider rings or rubber spiders/worms

Try to avoid or limit these unhealthy treats:

- Sticky treats like gummy candies, jelly beans, and caramels are bad for dental [health](#).
- Full-sized candy bars. Some chocolate bars contain high amounts of saturated fat.

Having a big pile of candy to nibble at for several days may be fun but it adds extra sugar, calories and unhealthy fats to your kids' diet. Once [your kids](#) are back from their neighborhood prowl, remember that one of the healthiest ways to deal with the candy that comes home is to manage its consumption. To avoid arguments when the temptation of candy is staring them in the face, set up the rules with the kids first, before they head out the door to trick-or-treat. Some good tricks that seem to help:

- Let kids know ahead of time the limits and reasons for those limits.
- Send them out with tummies full of a warm and healthy dinner and have them bring a healthy snack to eat while trick-or-treating so they don't come home starved or, worse, eating candy along the way.
- Let your children enjoy some of their Halloween candy in moderation when they have finished trick-or-treating -- after you have inspected the treats for safety. Toss out the most brightly colored candy!
- Store candy out of sight, such as in a kitchen cupboard that only you can reach. Out of sight is out of mind, and you can control how many treats your kids get to eat over the next few days.
- Limit candy to one a day at an agreed-upon time, such as with a glass of milk as an after-school treat, or for dessert after dinner.
- Consider buying back some or all of the remaining Halloween candy. This acknowledges that the candy belongs to the child and provides a treat in the form of a little spending money.
- Consider the “barter” system. Have better snack options, small gift cards, and/or “privilege” coupons on hand with candy values attached that they can trade some or all of their loot for.
- Be a role model by eating Halloween candy in moderation yourself.
- Encourage your child to be mindful of the amount of candy and snacks eaten — and to stop before feeling full or sick.
- Donate candy

And remember that Halloween, like other holidays, is a single day on the calendar. If your family eats sensibly during the rest of the year, it will have a more lasting impact than a few days of overindulgence.

Laneview School – October 2016



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