



## RNN - Reed Network News For the Week of March 12, 2018

### Principal's Message

Mensaje semanal de la escuela de la Sra. Gamba- Principal

#### Greetings Walter Reed Families!

This Wednesday, on March 14<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am – 10:17 am, we will honor the 17 lives lost at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School in Parkland, Florida. We have organized on-campus activities that will allow for students to share their voice regarding the issue of gun control.

Parents are invited to participate and we ask that you talk to your children and encourage them not to leave campus. Our goal is to provide students opportunities to express themselves in a safe manner that respects the school environment and all perspectives.

We also ask parents to please monitor their child's social-media activity and behavior and to communicate any concerns to school personnel. By following the principle, "If you see something, say something", students, families, and employees can continue working as partners in contributing to the safety, security and well-being of our school.

#### Saludos familias de Walter Reed!

Este miércoles, 14 de marzo de 10:00 a.m. a 10:17 a.m., honraremos a las 17 vidas perdidas en Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School en Parkland, Florida. Hemos organizado actividades en el campus que les permitirán a los estudiantes compartir su opinión sobre el control de armas. Los padres están invitados a participar y le pedimos que hable con sus hijos y los anime a no abandonar el campo escolar. Nuestro objetivo es brindar a los estudiantes la oportunidad de expresarse de una manera segura que respete el entorno escolar y todas las perspectivas.

También pedimos a los padres que vigilen la actividad y el comportamiento de los medios sociales de su hijo y que comuniquen cualquier inquietud al personal de la escuela. Siguiendo el principio, "Si ves algo, di algo", los estudiantes, las familias y los empleados pueden continuar trabajando como socios para contribuir a la seguridad y el bienestar de nuestra escuela.

You may notice some changes that we have made in improving our campus safety. Our front door is locked and our check-in table has been moved closer to the entrance. Officer Galloway is now at the Sarah gate at 6:45 am and our Colfax gate will stay locked in the morning until it is supervised beginning at 7:00 am. We ask that you please refrain from dropping off your children prior to 6:45 am. In addition, we are staffing our main entrance security for an extra hour after school, until our offices close at 4:30 pm.

Finally, thanks to funding from our IHP community, we will have a crossing guard at the Irvine & Moorpark intersection for the remainder of the school year, which will begin when we return from spring break.

We are working towards having a lit crosswalk with an arching pole of blinking lights by the opening of next school year and we hope to raise donations for staffing more crossing guards for next school year.

This week we are looking forward to spring photos on Thursday and an 8<sup>th</sup> grade spring concert in the evening. Students may bring a non-uniform top to change into for their spring picture and you will receive a package in a few weeks with ordering options. This photo is optional and will not be used in the yearbook.

Finally, please check your child's 10-week progress report card that they will take home on Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup>.

As a reminder, the new Schoology platform allows you to monitor your child's ongoing graded assignments and assessments in each class. Please visit our school website,

Puede notar algunos cambios que hemos hecho para mejorar la seguridad de nuestra escuela. Nuestra puerta de entrada está cerrada y nuestra mesa de registro se ha movido más cerca de la entrada. El oficial Galloway está ahora en la puerta de Sarah a las 6:45 a.m. y nuestra puerta de Colfax permanecerá cerrada por la mañana hasta que esté supervisada a partir de las 7:00 a.m. Le pedimos que se abstenga de dejar a sus hijos antes de las 6:45 a.m. Además, estamos extendiendo a nuestra seguridad de entrada principal por una hora adicional después de la escuela, hasta que nuestras oficinas cierren a las 4:30 p.m. Finalmente, gracias a los fondos de nuestra comunidad de IHP, tendremos un guardia de cruce en la intersección de Irvine y Moorpark por el resto del año escolar, que comenzará cuando regresemos de las vacaciones de primavera. Estamos trabajando para tener un cruce peatonal iluminado con un polo de luces parpadeantes para la apertura del próximo año escolar y esperamos recaudar donaciones para la contratación de más guardias de cruce para el próximo año escolar.

Esta semana esperamos tener fotos de primavera el jueves y un concierto de primavera de octavo grado en la noche. Los estudiantes pueden traer un camisa o blusa que no sea uniforme para cambiarse para su fotografía de primavera y recibirán un paquete en unas pocas semanas con las opciones de pedido. Esta foto es opcional y no se usará en el anuario.

Finalmente, verifique la boleta de calificaciones de progreso de 10 semanas de su hijo que se llevarán a casa el viernes 16 de marzo. Como recordatorio, la nueva plataforma de Schoology le permite controlar las asignaciones y evaluaciones

reedms.com, or call our main office if you have questions regarding the LAUSD Parent Portal and Schoology.

**We look forward to seeing you soon, and remember, I NEVER fail; I either succeed or I learn.**

calificadas continuas de su hijo en cada clase. Visite nuestro sitio web de la escuela, reedms.com, o llame a nuestra oficina principal si tiene preguntas sobre el LAUSD Parent Portal y Schoology.

**Espero verlos pronto y recuerden: Yo Nunca Falló; Yo tengo Éxito o Yo Aprendo.**

**Jeanne Gamba, Principal, Walter Reed Middle School**

Español- Myriam Arechiga, Parent Center Representative, Rm 106, [mya2648@lausd.net](mailto:mya2648@lausd.net)

## **Class of 2018 - 8th Grade Activities!**



**CONGRATULATIONS YOU MADE IT THIS FAR!!**

**Now let's plan ahead for the celebrations!**

**To access all of the 8th Grade Activities  
Sign Up/Sign In here on Shutterfly:**

<https://reedms8thgradeactivities.shutterfly.com/>

**Click on the links below to access the following:**

**[2018 Year Book Order Form](#)**

**[Pre-purchase tickets for the 8th Grade Dance](#)**

**[Pre-purchase a Culmination DVD](#)**

**[Pre-purchase balloons for Culmination](#)**

All of the above documents and information are available at:

<https://reedms8thgradeactivities.shutterfly.com/>

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

**Please sign up here:**

<https://reedms8thgradeactivities.shutterfly.com/>

**The 8th Grade Dance Event is on April 28, 2018**

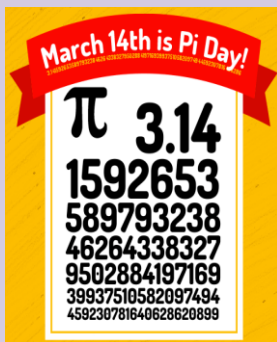
**The next meeting will meet on  
Tuesday, March 20 at 8:15 am. in room 107**

**The 8th Grade Fun Day is June 5, 2018**

**The next meeting will meet on April 10th at  
8:15 am in room 107.**

If you have pictures of events or field trips that your students were part of and would like them to be in the yearbook, please send them to Maribel at: [balloonsontherun@aol.com](mailto:balloonsontherun@aol.com)

## **Coming Up this Week**



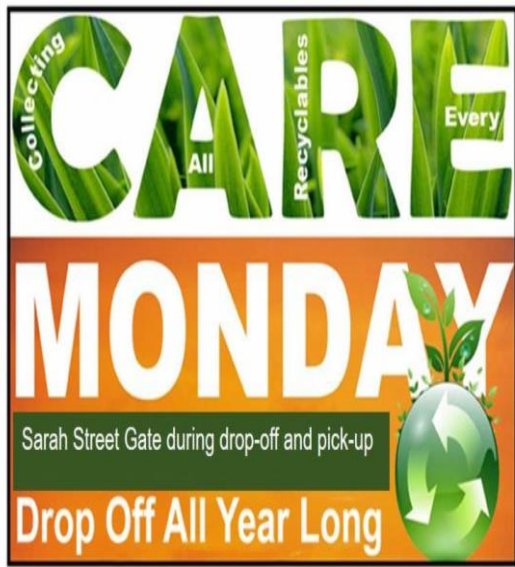
**Be ready on Wednesday, March 14th  
for your Homeroom**

**"10 Question Pi-Day Challenge"**

**Is your class participating?**

*Talk to Student Council and Teachers can speak to Ms. Bugyik  
(Rm 112)*

HELP REED BY RECYCLING BEVERAGE CONTAINERS EVERY MONDAY!



**Monday, March 12th**  
**Recycle and raise \$**

Collect all your recyclables and bring them on Mondays to Sarah Street gate during drop off and pick up. Help raise money for Reed! No need to separate or sort.

Bring clear plastic bottles (Gatorade, water, starbucks drink cups, handsoap, etc.), aluminum cans, clear produce containers.

**Location:**  
**Sarah Gate**  
**During Drop Off or Pick Up**

**Next Parent Workshop  
and Coffee**

**Tuesday, March 13, 2018**

**8:00 am – 10:00 am**

**Parent Center - Room 106**

Come learn and share with other parents about the following topics and how they can help your children's education:

**Culmination Requirements**  
**School Safety**  
**Academic Support for Parents**  
**Family Source**  
**A Look at Mental Health:**  
**Children and Youth**  
**Understanding Bullying**  
**Crisis Preparedness**  
**Workshop Graduation**

Facilitator: Gohar Najarian,  
Diploma Program Counselor

For more information and additional  
upcoming workshop dates:

**[Click here for English](#)**

**[Click here for Spanish](#)**

Or contact Myriam Arechiga  
818-487-7600



**Campus & Community Awareness**  
**REED CARES**  
as our Students &  
North Hollywood Neighbors share their thoughts.

March 14<sup>th</sup> & March 24<sup>th</sup> Student Voices are Heard

**Parkland Strong T-Shirts are available for pick up  
Mon. & Tues. in Rm 101 and after school.**  
(Extra shirts \$5 each until we run out)

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**The California State PTA will be addressing gun violence,  
school safety and mental health issues with federal  
lawmakers in Washington D.C. on March 13 – 15  
during the 2018 National PTA Legislation Conference.**

March 14th "Call Out" #NoMore

**[READ / LEARN MORE:](#)**



**8th Grade Spring Concert**

**Thursday, March 15, 2018**

**6:30pm – 8:00pm**

**Auditorium**

## **Los Angeles County Scripps Regional Spelling Bee Results**

Congratulations to all local school winners who competed here at Reed in the Regional Bee last Sunday, March 4th! We will be sending our first place winner, Dina Miranda from Stanford Middle School, on to the final bee in Washington D.C. later this spring.

[Learn more:](#)

### **NORTH HOLLYWOOD HS**

Parents Association North Hollywood - LAUSD Board Meeting  
**March 13, 2018**

**NHHS Community Battling Co-Location review by LAUSD**

**Reminder: What's this about?**

Read: [Daily News article](#)

See our [Petition with 2,000+ signatures](#) - get more supporters!

Watch the [video of meeting with 500+ people](#)

**Questions? contact us**

**SIGN UP for Session 4!**  
**Provide your student with fun, creative and  
educational programs after school.**





**Session 4: April 6th to June 4th**

**Robotics Engineering: Mission to Mars**

**Karate**

**Gourmet Cooking**

**Mock Trial**

**App Inventor**

**Musical Theatre**

**Young Doctors**

**Spanish Immersion**

**Programming with MIT Scratch**

**Teen Cuisine**

**Chess Club**

**Mechatronic Engineering**

**LUA with Minectaft**

**Wildlife Biology**

**Marine Engineering**

**The proceeds from these fantastic classes funds**

**FREE MATH TUTORING!**

**SESSION 4  
CLASS DESCRIPTIONS**

**COMPLETE THE RASE  
APPLICATION**

**[Click here for the RASE Intention Form to reserve online!](#)**

PAY FOR 4 CLASSES OR MORE (Session 3 and/or Session 4) AND RECEIVE A 10% DISCOUNT!

**Local District Northeast  
Arts & Lit Festival**

**April 21, 2018 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm  
at San Fernando High School**



**Music, Dance, Theater, Film, Storytelling, Poetry,  
Visual Art, Workshops, and much more!**

Visit: [www.neartsandlitfest.com](http://www.neartsandlitfest.com)

**Click here for more!**

## **PASSport and Schoology**



**Monitor  
Progress  
towards  
Graduation**

*Darle seguimiento al  
progreso hacia la  
graduación*



**Check  
Attendance**

*Verificar  
asistencia*



**Monitor  
Grades and  
Assignments**

*Darle seguimiento  
a calificaciones y  
tareas*



**Update  
Emergency  
Contact  
Information**

*Medio de actualizar  
la información para  
casos de  
emergencia*



**Get  
Information  
on English  
Learner  
Progress**

*Obtener  
información sobre  
el progreso de los  
aprendices del  
inglés*



**All of these features and more are available online by visiting:**  
*Todas estas características y más están disponibles por Internet en el enlace:*

**<http://passport.lausd.net>**

**Many parents have already signed up, but we are campaigning for 100% participation so that parents can see their children's grades for tests/assignments on Schoology as well as other student information.**

**FIND OUT MORE: <https://achieve.lausd.net/Page/11582>**

**Click Here to View Reed's 2017-2018 Calendar**

**Stay up to date with school events, meetings, PTSA, FOR, SLC's and more! Sync the calendar to your phone or computer to receive updates and changes.**

**Reed's Annual Giving Program & Local Business Support**

## FRIENDS OF REED

### FOR ALL OF US

Friends Of Reed is a non-profit parent group that acts as an umbrella supporting every SLC at Walter Reed as well as activities + groups offered to ALL students such as:

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| <b>Provides Business Structure for SLCs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Maintains SLC status</li><li>• Supports accounting/banking</li><li>• Insurance for field trips &amp; special events</li></ul> | <b>Schoolwide Events</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Meet the High Schools</li><li>• Battle of the Books</li><li>• National Spelling Bee</li><li>• Reed Spring Fair</li><li>• Graduation events</li></ul> | <b>Supports Groups/Electives</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• PE and Art</li><li>• Nat'l Jr Honor Society</li><li>• Student Council</li><li>• Cadets</li><li>• Student Interest Clubs</li></ul> |
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### FOR ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

### FOR GLOBAL LEADERSHIP

### FOR HUMANITIES

### FOR INDIVIDUAL HONORS PROGRAM

### FOR MEDIA ARTS + TECHNOLOGY

### FOR MUSIC

### FOR STEAM

Together  
we can DO IT!

## PARENTS ~ FAMILIES ~ FRIENDS

You can support the SLCs, Fieldtrips & Educational Enrichment! Volunteer, provide your expertise or donate \$\$\$!

### [DONATION FORM](#)

### [DONATE ONLINE](#)

### [Where Our Funding Goes](#)

## LOCAL BUSINESSES ~ SPONSORSHIPS

We need business support!  
Fence Banners are viewed by over 30,000 vehicles each week along Colfax Avenue.  
Sponsorship and banner opportunities help support Friends of Reed!

[Click here for more Community Commerce!](#)

[Click here for the Fence Banner Form!](#)

## SLC NEWS

Click the links below to learn more about SLC meetings, events, field trips, opportunities, programs, and more!

IHP

Technology

Environmental

Steam

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