

Mary A. Deterding Elementary School

Where the Arts Are Academic!

March 10, 2014

Loni Mellerup, Interim Principal

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Important Dates:

- March 10:** Rm. 23 to In N Out
Begin 3rd Trimester
- March 11:** PERLE Meeting
7:00PM - Library
- March 12-14:** Minimum Days for
Conferences; Grades 1-6
11:00AM Dismissal All
Kdgs. attend 7:40-11:00AM
- March 13:** ELAC Mtg. Cancelled, Next
Mtg. May 15
- March 14:** 5/6 Dance Team
11:00AM - 12:00 PM
- March 15:** 3rd Chorus & 4-6 Choir Sing
National Anthem at
Carmichael Little League

Future Dates:

- March 18-21:** 6th Grade to Monte Toyon
- March 18:** School Site Council mtg.
2:45 PM, room 6
Family Game Night, 6:30
PM
- March 19:** DREAM Mtg., 7:00 PM
- March 20:** 2nd Grade RL Information
Night at Deterding
- March 21:** AM Kdg. Dr. Yee 9:45AM
PM Kdg. Dr. Yee 12:00PM
- March 22:** Deterding Talent Show &
Spaghetti Feed
5:00PM-9:00PM

Neighborhood Kindergarten Enrollment

Kindergarten enrollments for the 2014-15 school year started on Feb. 13, 2014. **Any kindergarten student wishing to enroll for the 2014-15 school year must turn 5 years old on or before September 1, 2014.** Please be sure to enroll your kindergartener as soon as possible in your neighborhood school. Students living within the boundaries of Deterding Elementary School have top priority. If you have an incoming kindergartener, or know of someone in our neighborhood who does, please enroll at San Juan Central Enrollment, 3700 Garfield Ave., Carmichael or call 725-5826.

New Testing Begins in April

What you need to know:

This year many of our students will be taking end-of-year tests that look dramatically different than what they've been used to. For these students, a new computer-based, online test will replace the pencil and paper, Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) assessment. The Smarter Balanced Field Test is designed to offer students, families and teachers a clearer picture of what students are learning to be successful in college and their careers. It will require more of our students than simply selecting multiple choice answers. Please visit www.sanjuan.edu/testing for answers to many of the questions you may have, to take practice tests and to watch videos explaining in more detail the Smarter Balanced Field Test. Our teachers and staff have been working hard to prepare students for this change.

Parent Volunteer

Many of you attended the Mother/Son Minute to Win It event last Sunday. Tammy Chabino was instrumental in coordinating this event.

She is also a DREAM Board Member, field-trip driver, Weekly Envelope stuffer, and so much more. Her son, Zane is in Mrs. Harris' 6th grade class. Thank you Tammy for everything you do and your great smile too!!!

Student Volunteer

Nick Nunez, from Mrs. McCuen's class, is our student volunteer of the week. Every day Nick demonstrates positive leadership skills with his classmates and uses respect and responsibility while doing so. Good job, Nick.

Butter Braid Fundraiser

The 6th grade Butter Braid sale started on March 3rd. Orders will be accepted through March 21st and delivered on March 26th. This is our final push to raise money so that all 6th grade students can attend the Monte Toyon field trip!

DREAM Family Game Night

Join us for a fun evening of board games and more on Tuesday, March 18th @ 6:30PM in the MP Room. Girl Scout cookies and lemonade will be served. This a **FREE** event for all Deterding families! Sponsored by DREAM.

2014 Deterding Talent Show & Spaghetti Feed

Mark Saturday, March 22nd on your calendar! Reserve your seats for the much-anticipated Talent Show and Spaghetti Feed. The Talent Show is a fun family event with featuring our amazing Deterding students. This year's event will be moving to the beautiful MP Room at Christ Community Church. Dinner includes all you can eat spaghetti, salad, garlic bread and dessert. All proceeds help support the arts and education programs at Deterding. Tickets are on sale now at www.deterding.org.

Yearbook

You may still purchase your yearbook for \$25 online at www.excelphotographers.com or pick up an order form in the school office

Yearbook Pictures

If you have pictures that you would like to share for the yearbook, please contact Jill at jroska@sanjuan.edu.

Jog-a-Thon is now the DREAM Run

Thursday, April 10th, Deterding will host our inaugural DREAM Run, formerly known as the Jog-a-Thon. We have set a goal of raising \$15,000 this year! New this year... Every student, staff member, and volunteer will receive a FREE DREAM Run t-shirt. T-shirts will be distributed on the day of the run by their classroom teacher. In this week's Flyer Envelope you will find information about our Business & Family Sponsorship. If you own or work at a business that would like to receive some great local advertising, please consider sponsoring the DREAM Run. Families can also show their support by becoming Family Sponsors. Student Run packets and pledge sheets will go home next Monday. All proceeds support the arts and education programs at Deterding.

Weekly Envelopes

On January 21st, we started our Weekly Flyer Envelope program. Envelopes go home every Monday with your oldest student. Be sure to check the envelope for the school news and all flyers for the week. Make sure to return your envelope to school so that we can fill it up again. You can also download each week's contents on our website at:

<http://www.sanjuan.edu/Deterding.cfm>

Lost and Found

Girl Scout Troop 1637 will be going through the Lost and Found and delivering all unclaimed articles to the San Juan Clothes Closet on March 14th.

Paint a Masterpiece - Ceramics Workshop

DREAM is sponsoring an after-school ceramics workshop in the MP Room on Tuesday, April 8th from 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm. Representatives from Alpha Fired Arts will be available to help students glaze their platters in the style of Wayne Theibaud's gumball machines. What a perfect Mother's Day gift! **All ages are welcome — including parents & siblings!** (We also need parent volunteers to help with setup at 1:30 pm and during the workshop.) Flyers are in this week's envelopes or to reserve your spot online visit: www.deterding.org/dream-store/ceramics

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Dear Families,

End-of-year testing will begin to dramatically change this spring, and I'm writing to help you understand what it means and how you can help your child prepare. This year, instead of pencil-and-paper tests, many of our students will participate in a field test of a **new online, computerized assessment** that will eventually replace the traditional Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) program you and your student are used to.

The Smarter Balanced Field Test will take place throughout San Juan Unified between April 21-May 16 and will include assessments in English-Language Arts and Math.

This new computerized test looks a lot different because it's being designed to offer students, families and teachers a clearer picture of what students are learning to be successful in college and their careers. For example, while there will be some multiple choice questions, students also will be asked to fill-in tables, write essays, drag and drop and graph. The test will take a total of three to four hours of time over multiple days, and they will challenge your student to more deeply demonstrate their knowledge than traditional testing.

Because this is a field test, **there will not be any scores issued this year**. Still, it's important to take this test seriously: This year's field test is happening in thousands of schools across California and will help determine how well individual questions allow students demonstrate what they know and still need to learn.

I encourage you to learn more by going online to www.sanjuan.edu/testing, where you and your child can take practice tests, watch videos about the new assessment and find answers to common questions about the Smarter Balanced Field Test.

Sincerely,



Loni Mellerup
Interim Principal

Deterding's Third Annual



This is a FREE family event sponsored by
DREAM!!!

Come enjoy an evening of free family fun with games, crafts, and treats!!!

Tuesday, March 18th
6:30-8:00 in the MP Room

We will have a giant Tic Tac Toe, Twister, Blokus, and many more!!!

We will be raffling off Two (2) Adult tickets to the Deterding Talent Show &
Spaghetti Feed at the end of the evening!!!

Hope to see you there!!!!!!



Paint a Masterpiece Ceramics Workshop

Tuesday, April 8th from 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Deterding MP Room

\$25 per participant for a rectangular platter

Deterding Resources for Education, Arts & Music (DREAM) is sponsoring an after-school ceramics workshop in the Deterding MP Room on Tuesday, April 8th from 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm!

Representatives from Alpha Fired Arts will be available to help students glaze their platters in the style of Wayne Theibaud's gumball machines. Participants will have about 90 minutes to complete their project. The platter will be fired off-site and returned in early May.

What a perfect Mother's Day gift!

All ages are welcome – including parents & siblings! (We also need parent volunteers to help with setup at 1:30 pm and during the workshop.) Space is limited. Send in your form with payment by **Monday, March 24th**.

Don't miss out on this fun workshop!

Space is limited! Fill out the form below and return it with payment ASAP to reserve your spot.

Yes, we want to participate in this workshop:

Number of Plate(s) _____ x \$25.00/per platter

Additional Donation \$ _____

Your donations help DREAM support
arts & education programs at Deterding.

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____
Make checks payable to DREAM.

☐ Yes! I can help setup at 1:30 pm.

☐ Yes! I can be a parent helper at the workshop.

Participant(s) Name(s) _____

Additional Participants _____

Address _____

City / ST / Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Sign-up & pay online at www.deterding.org/dream-store/ceramics

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Spring Youth Volleyball Clinics

Ages: 8—10 and 11—13

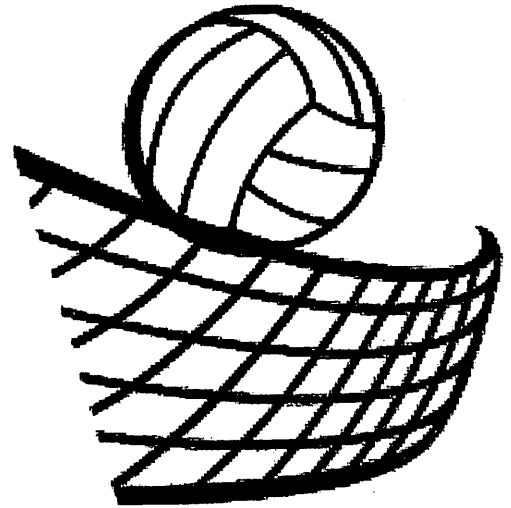
Girls and Boys

Fridays: 3/28, 4/4, 4/11, 4/25, 5/2, 5/9

6:00pm - 7:00pm

**At the La Sierra Community Center: Big Gym
5325 Engle Rd, Carmichael 95608**

**Fee: \$10 (R) \$12 (NR) per clinic or
\$55 (R) \$67 (NR) for all 6 clinics**



Features:

- Focus on Fundamentals: Serving, Passing, Setting, Hitting, and Defense
- Communication, speed, and agility drills.
- Clinics will work progressively on skill building leading to fun tournament play the final weeks.

Coaches:

Katie Hill

Varsity Volleyball Coach at Del Campo H.S.
Club Volleyball Coach
Former Collegiate Athlete
Former Assistant Coach for ARC
Current indoor and outdoor player

Kristen Matthew

Jr. Varsity Volleyball Coach at Del Campo H.S.
Club Volleyball Coach
Current indoor and outdoor player

Registration Information:

Must pre-register for clinics.

No registration will be taken on clinic dates.

Space is limited.

How to Register:

In person at our La Sierra Community Center
5325 Engle Rd, Suite 100 in Carmichael
(drop box located outside office for after
hours registration), by fax at 483-7861 or by
email at sports@carmichaelpark.com.
Payment must accompany registration.

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REGISTRATION FORM FOR Spring Youth Volleyball Clinics 2014



Registration will be accepted via mail, walk-in at the address below or use the drop box located outside the La Sierra Office.
LA SIERRA COMMUNITY CENTER SPORTS OFFICE
5325 ENGLE RD, SUITE 100, CARMICHAEL 95608

For more information and questions please contact the Sports Office at 483-7826

FEE: Single Clinic—\$10 (Resident) \$12 (Non-Resident) 6 Clinic Discount—\$55 (Resident) \$67 (Non-Resident)

Mark clinic date attending: ☐ 3/28 ☐ 4/4 ☐ 4/11 ☐ 4/25 ☐ 5/2 ☐ 5/9

Payment must accompany registration

Make Checks payable to C.R.P.D.

How are you paying? (please mark one): ☐ Check ☐ Cash ☐ Money Order ☐ Credit * Visa or Mastercard

Total Amount Paid \$ _____ Office Receipt # _____

*Credit Card # _____ Exp. Date: _____ X _____

Players Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____ Male or Female

School Name: _____ Grade: _____ Age: ☐ 8—10 ☐ 11—13

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Primary Phone #: _____ Secondary Phone #: _____

Carmichael



Carmichael Recreation & Park District
5325 Engle Rd, Carmichael, CA 95608 • (916) 483-7826 • FAX: (916) 483-7861
Spring Youth Volleyball Clinics 2014

AGREEMENT, WAIVER, AND RELEASE

In consideration for being permitted by the above district to participate in the above activity, I hereby waive, release, and discharge any and all claims for damages for personal injury, death, or property damage which I may have, or which may hereafter accrue to me, as a result of participation in said activity. This release is intended to discharge in advance the above district (its officers, officials, employees, and agents) from any and all liability arising out of, or connected in any way, with my participation in said activity even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities mentioned above. It is understood that this activity involves an element of risk and danger of accidents and knowing those risks I hereby assume those risks. It is further agreed that this waiver, release and assumption of risk is to be binding on my heirs and assigns. I agree to indemnify and to hold the above persons or entities free and harmless from any loss, liability, damage, cost, or expense which they may incur as the result of my death or injury or property damage that I may sustain while participating in said activity.

PHOTO RELEASE: By signing this agreement, you are agreeing to release photo rights to Carmichael Recreation & Park District. Carmichael Recreation & Park District reserves the right to photograph facilities, activities, and program participants for potential future use. All photos will remain the property of Carmichael Recreation & Park District.

PARENTAL CONSENT: (To be completed and signed by parent/guardian if applicant is under 18 years of age).

I hereby consent that my son/daughter _____ participate in the above activity, and I hereby execute the above Agreement, Waiver, and Release on his/her behalf. I state that said minor is physically able to participate in said activity. I hereby agree to indemnify and hold the persons and entities mentioned above free and harmless from any loss, liability, damage, cost, or expense which may incur as a result of the death or injury or property damage that said minor may sustain while participating in said activity.

I have carefully read this Agreement, Waiver, and Release and fully understand its content. I am aware that this is a release of liability and a contract between myself and Carmichael Recreation & Park District and I sign it of my own free will.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name (Printed): _____ ☐ Parent ☐ Guardian



Youth Programs Spring 2014

NINJAGO Lego Camp,

For 1st-6th graders

Master the world of NINJAGO by becoming a Ninjaneer! Tame the Ice Dragon, motorize your Blade Cycle or design the Dark Fortress.



La Sierra Community Center

5325 Engle Road

\$90/Residents, \$99/Non-Residents

4/14-4/16

Mon-Wed, 1-4pm

Family Pottery:

Ages 5-17 years with a parent

Enjoy a unique family experience in this one of a kind ceramics class. Three different methods of hand building as well as the potter's wheel will be taught.

Arts & Crafts Bldg,
7997 California Ave. in Fall Oaks

April 22 - May 20

4:15-5:30pm or 6:15-7:30pm

\$71 Residents, \$78 Non-Residents

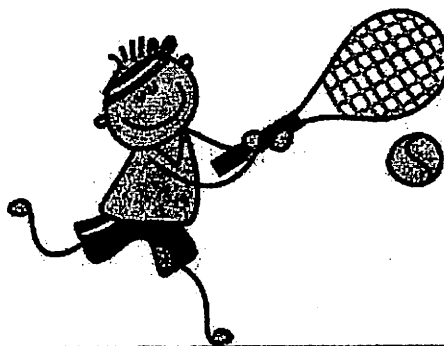
*Fee includes parent and child

*\$15 materials fee due at first class

Tennis Camp, 4/14-4/16

Ages 6+ years

Join Tennis Camp and learn the necessary skills to become a good tennis player - from conditioning and the key techniques to scoring and just plain having fun!



Courts 1-2 at
Carmichael Park
Mon-Wed, 9-11am

\$60/Residents

\$66/Non-Residents

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Doggie Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 20, 12-1pm

Bring your pooch to sniff out as many treats as it can - the one that finds the Golden Egg wins!

People of All Ages*\$7/dog

Held at Carmichael Park
Vets Hall Lawn



Hula for Kids

Ages 6+ years

Students will learn the dances, stories and music of the Hawaiian culture in a fun environment!

La Sierra Community Ctr., Sierra Rooms

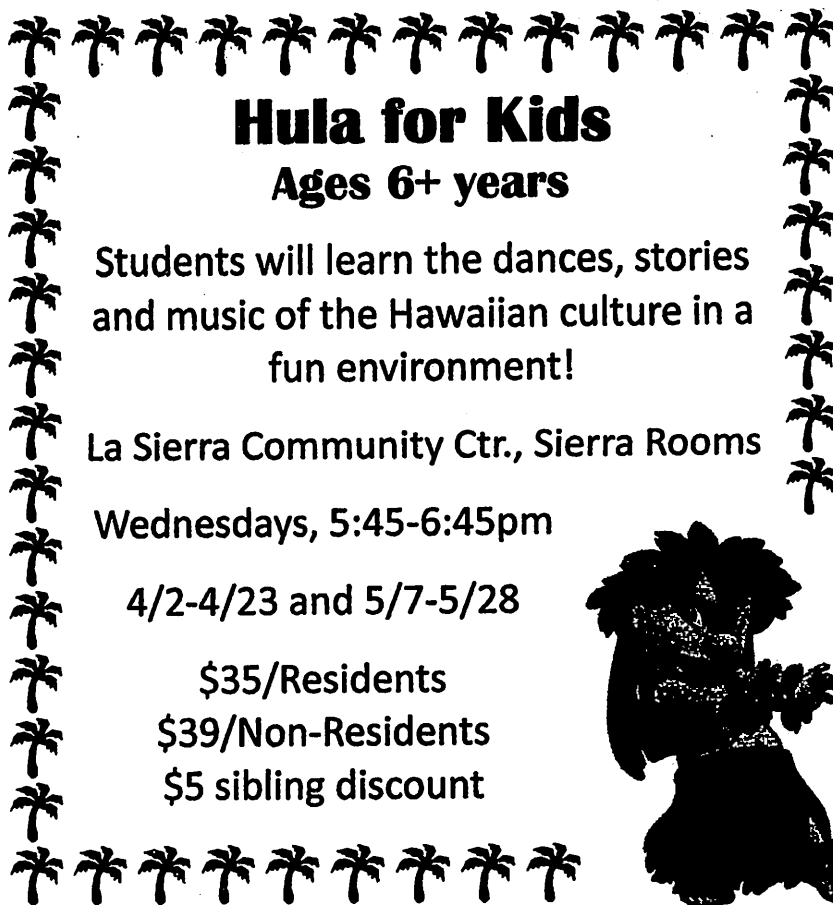
Wednesdays, 5:45-6:45pm

4/2-4/23 and 5/7-5/28

\$35/Residents

\$39/Non-Residents

\$5 sibling discount

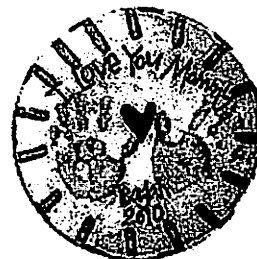


Mommy & Me Little Hands Pottery

For all ages (under 10 requires parent participation)

Have fun and create a memory to treasure. Decorate a plate with your little one's handprint and a personalized design.

Artwork will be clear coated and kiln fired. A \$10 materials fee is due at the class. Held at the Arts & Crafts Bldg. at 7997 California Avenue in Fair Oaks.



4/25 or 4/26, 10:45-11:30am*\$20/Residents, \$22/Non-Residents

To Register for Classes & Programs:

*In-Person at the Carmichael Recreation & Park District Office, 5750 Grant Ave.

*On the phone, call 485-5322

*Online at www.carmichaelpark.com



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