



# JOHN MUIR HIGH SCHOOL

## Weekly Bulletin March 4 – 8, 2019

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### MONDAY, 3/4

- **EVEN DAY, CLASSES BEGIN AT 9:40AM**
- **CPA**

### TUESDAY, 3/5

- **English Field Trip:** A Noise Within
- **Generation Green:** meets during lunch in G226
- **JV Baseball:** away game @ Burbank at 3:30pm
- **JV Softball:** home game vs Arcadia at 3:30pm
- **Swim:** vs Blair at 3:30pm
- **V Baseball:** home game vs Burbank at 3:30pm
- **V Softball:** away game @ Arcadia at 3:30pm

### WEDNESDAY, 3/6

- **College Wednesday**
- **Girls' Group(12<sup>th</sup>):** meets during lunch in E521
- **Room 13:** meets at 3pm in G221
- **Early College Recruitment Night**

### THURSDAY, 3/7

- **AEG Job Connection**
- **Physics Day**
- **BSU:** meets during lunch in E516
- **Girls' Group(10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>):** meets during lunch in E521
- **Mustang Riders:** meets after school in K653
- **Solar Cup:** meets at 3:15pm in A165
- **JV Softball:** away game @ Hoover at 3:30pm
- **V Softball:** home game vs Hoover at 3:30pm

### FRIDAY, 3/8

- **Blue and Gold Friday**
- **EESATrip:** Pali Mountain
- **K-Pop Club:** meets during lunch in K661
- **JV Baseball:** home game vs Burbank at 3:30pm
- **Swim:** vs PHS (JV) at 3:30pm
- **V Baseball:** away game @ Burbank at 7pm

### SATURDAY, 3/9

- **EESATrip:** Pali Mountain
- **Track:** Irvine Invite

### SUNDAY, 3/10

- **EESATrip:** Pali Mountain

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## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**4TH ANNUAL CAREER STEAMPOSIUM:** This FREE event will take place on Saturday, March 16, 2019 from 8am - 1:30pm at Pasadena City College. Exciting, motivating guest speaker will be Ramsey Jay, Jr. Professionals from all areas of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math) will be present. Hands-on activities include Virtual Reality, Precision Medicine, a SAE Formula Car, Robotics, a Liquid Rocket Lab and more. Breakfast and lunch will be served. Registration will be available in February.

**EARLY DISMISSAL:** Next Friday, March 15 will be a banked day and school will be dismissed at 1:35pm.

**GRADUATION:** As the date for graduation quickly approaches, Seniors, please make that you have completed your 40 hours of community service, internship and or work based learning, in order to qualify to participate in graduation and receive your diploma. Contact your counselor to confirm the number of hours you have completed. You must submit paperwork signed by the supervisor to your counselor.

**MUSICAL THEATRE CLINIC:** The McKinley School of the Arts Annual Fund is thrilled to announce our Musical Theatre Clinic coming this March. Our clinic runs March 25th-30th and is open to students in grades TK-12. We have an all-star coaching team lined up to work with our performers, including: Emmy, Golden Globe, and SAG-nominated actress Jane Kaczmarek; Broadway Musical and Television Performer Bryce Ryness; Musical Theatre Performer and Account Manager with KeyCode Media's Tony Arratia; Former Resident Actress with the Media Music Theatre Company and Vocal Coach at the Pasadena Conservatory of Music's Lindsay Dodoras; Dance Coach Donna Gale; MKS's Theatre and Musical Director Alison Garfinkel, Set and Costume Designers and Artists in Residence Anthony Bonoli and Alicia Gorecki, Master of Fine Arts 2D Artist in Residence Teresa Totaro, and Improv Coach Lauren Partma. The clinic is from 3:30-7:00 pm on March 25th through the 29th and 9 am-4pm on March 30th (dinner will be provided Monday through Friday). Each student will attend workshops in stage acting, vocal coaching, dance and choreography, musical theatre singing, costuming and set design, stage and tech management, and improvisation. The cost is \$75 (cash or check. 5% additional processing fee for credit cards). Space is limited to ensure each participant receives quality coaching time. Students will audition for roles during our first session on March 25th. Students should prepare a song and either a poem or monologue for the first day of camp. The clinic ends with a performance at 2pm on Saturday March 30th. Students will need to attend all six days of the clinic to perform on Saturday. The workshop schedule and meal plan will be sent to the email listed on this form no later than March 15th. To reserve a spot for your student at our clinic, please complete this online form: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScDY1Jxz1DtCpkDAkmx4thoypGXLZz0MZfyBlszXDGlz9A9sA/viewform>. For more information, please contact Principal Nicole Ann Duquette (duquette.nicole@pusd.us).

**NACAC GREATER LA COLLEGE FAIR:** Start your college search for free at the NACAC National College Fair on Tuesday, April 9, 2019 at Pasadena Convention Center. Free and open to the public, NACAC fairs connect you to hundreds of colleges and universities in one location. Students may now register online at [gotomyncf.com](http://gotomyncf.com) prior to the college fair and bring their printed or electronic barcode to the fair. Online registration is optional, but highly recommended to save time when talking to college representatives {no more filling out information cards on site}.

**NO BOUNDARIES 14:** No Boundaries is the 14th annual all-district art exhibition featuring close to 300 artworks from all 28 schools in the Pasadena Unified School District. This is the first year that the exhibition was curated and produced by students at Rose City High School in partnership with Side Street Projects. As the students processed the artwork they looked at the work through the lens of aesthetics and concepts. The themes of identity, nature, and culture emerged as overarching concepts that informed the students' curatorial decisions. The idea of No Boundaries remains a thread throughout the exhibit. There are no boundaries to the ways in which students can create and present work, just as there are no boundaries to the audience perspective and connection to the work. This sensibility is core to how the exhibition was curated and produced. The exhibition will take place at the Paseo Colorado, suite 151 (theatre courtyard) from March 8-16. Opening Reception is March 8 from 6-10pm, remarks at 7pm. For more information, visit <http://www.artnightpasadena.org/>.

**OPEN HOUSE:** Open House College Fair will take place on Wednesday, March 27.

**PROM ATTIRE DRIVE:** That gown or suit stuffed in the back of your closet... The accessories that you pass by every morning... Put it to good use and donate your gently used items to the office of Families In Transition (FIT)! Donations are being collected now through March. Every student deserves to look fabulous for prom. Dresses, suits, and accessories will be given away during the 11th Annual Prom Attire Giveaway on Saturday, March 23, 2019. Please call the FIT office at 626.396.3698.

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS:** Seniors, scholarship application due dates are fast approaching. Go to the John Muir Scholarship Website to see due dates. Here is how to get to the scholarships on the John Muir website: [Johnmuirhs.org](http://Johnmuirhs.org) → Academics → College and career preparation → Scholarships → Scholarship Applications. They are listed in due date order. Click on the one you want. There will be a description. The website or application will be in blue as a hyperlink.

**SENIOR ACTIVITIES:** Please read the information for the upcoming senior activities. Pay close attention to the deadlines. Seniors, you must make sure that you do not owe any hours and that you are cleared to attend the activities. Also, as the date for graduation quickly approaches, seniors, please make sure that you have completed your 40 hours of service, internship and or work based learning, in order to qualify to participate in graduation and receive your diploma. Contact your counselor to confirm the number of hours you have completed. You must submit paperwork signed by the supervisor of the community service, field study, or paid or unpaid job/internship to your counselor.

Class of 2019 Upcoming Senior Activities: Prices and Deadlines

Senior Picnic - March 15 (Friday) @ Huntington Beach

- Tickets sold for \$20 - due March 7 (Thursday)
- Deadline for eligibility cleared by Mr. James - March 8 (Friday)

Prom - April 19 (Friday) @ Casteaway Burbank

- Prom tickets sold now for \$105 from March 4 (Monday) - March 15 (Friday). Last week to purchase prom tickets is from March 25 (Monday) - March 29 (Friday) for \$120!
- Deadline to check eligibility to attend event by Mr. James - April 5 (Friday)

Prom King and Queen Announcements

- March 11 (Monday): Prom King and Queen meeting/application pick-up during lunch in Ms. Tucker's room, A126
- March 25 (Monday): Prom King and Queen applications due - turn into Ms. Tucker
- April 1 (Monday) - April 5 (Friday): Promote for Prom court
- April 8 (Monday): Vote for Prom court - 4 boys and girls
- Prom court announced by the end of the day
- April 8 (Monday) - April 12 (Friday): Promote for Prom King and Queen
- April 15 (Monday): Vote for Prom King and Queen
- King and Queen will be announced at Prom, April 19 (Friday)

Grad Nite - May 29 (Wednesday) @ Disneyland: California Adventure

- Tickets to be sold from April 22 (Monday) - May 10 (Friday) for \$120
- Deadline to check eligibility to attend event by Mr. James - May 17 (Friday)

All ticket purchases and permission slips should be bought and turned into Mrs. Lam in her office.

**SERVICE HOURS AT MUIR RANCH:** Students can work at Muir Ranch on Mondays and Thursdays, after school, to earn service/wbl hours that are required to be eligible for graduation. Students need to check in with Jill McArthur in order to log their hours.

**SPRING BREAK:** School will be closed for Spring Break from Monday, March 18 to Friday, March 22.

**WRITES OF PASSAGE:** Please join our returning creative writing group Wednesdays after school from 3:15-5pm in A160 (s. Moore's room). We will have pizza, creative writing, improv, field trips, and many other community building activities and service opportunities.

For more information regarding any of these events or other questions, please call us at (626) 396-5600.  
Have a great week and go Mustangs!