



## January 14, 2016 TO BE POSTED IN EVERY CLASSROOM



Happy Birthday to: Carlos Barrientos.

(If you do not want your birthday announced, let Ms. Nuño know in the student center).

Daily announcements are available for all to read in the Student Center.

## Meetings:

- 1. There will be a "Latino Student Union" meeting during lunch today 1/15 in room 1136.
- 2. Attention all **SWAMP** members: There will be a meeting this week on **Thursday 1/14** at lunch in Mr. Dakan's room BE7.
- **3.** The **Pacific Asian Club** is meeting **today 1/14** at lunch in room 1205, Ms. Voong's class. Come and join us and have fun.

## Misc.:

- **1.** For any high school student interested in playing baseball this year, there will be a meeting this **Friday**, **1/15** in room BE2. Please be prompt. Items to be discussed are the status of the baseball program, practices, and participation requirements.
- **2.** The deadline for paying **IB fees** has been extended until next **Tuesday**, **January 19th**, because Ms. Josie Chong is out of the office and unable to accept payments today. Fees may be paid in cash, or with a personal check, cashiers check or money order.
- **3.** If anyone is interested in being in the **District Art Show**, please see Mrs. Martinez for more information in room 1136 at the middle school side.
- **4.** Attention Seniors, please come and let Ms. Reynoso know when you get a **college acceptance letter**. You can email her or go to her room #1218 in the middle school. Thanks!
- 5. PCC is once again offering Cash for College Workshop on Saturday, January 30, 2016 from 9am-1pm in the Creveling Lounge. We will help you apply for thousands in financial aid. Come and get one-on-one financial aid assistance if you are completing the FAFSA, Cal Grant GPA Verification form and/or the California Dream Act Application. For more information visit their website at <a href="www.pasadena.edu/cashforcollege">www.pasadena.edu/cashforcollege</a> Come to a workshop and you could win a scholarship!
- **6.** READY FOR COLLEGE? CAP IS OFFERING FREE **SAT PREP** TO JUNIORS & SOPHOMORES! SAT classes will run for 8 weeks and will meet once a week on Thursdays. Courses are from 3:15 to 5:15 PM. Space is limited (priority given to juniors). For more information & to pick up an application visit CAP today during program hours.

## **Scholarships:**

- 1. Seniors, the Bill & Melinda Gates foundation wants you to apply to the Gates Millennium Scholars Program. If you have a GPA of 3.3 or higher come to the student center for more information. They award 1000 scholarships per year. Do not miss out! The deadline to apply is January 13, 2016. Come to the Student Center for more information or go to WWW.APIASF.ORG/SCHOLARSHIPS
- 2. The Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange Program (CBYX) offers merit-based scholarships for an academic year in Germany. The program was established in 1983 to celebrate German-American friendship based on common values of democracy. Students live with host families, attend local schools, and participate in community life in Germany. For more information and application deadlines, visit the organization in charge of recruitment for your state at <a href="www.usagermanyscholarship.org">www.usagermanyscholarship.org</a>. Deadlines for U.S. applicants range from <a href="December 1">December 1</a>, 2015 to January 15, 2016, depending on state of residency.
- **3.** Seniors, this year the **Ronald McDonald House Charities** are offering more than \$4.8 million in scholarship funds. A partnership between Ronald McDonald House Charities and its local Chapters opens the door to higher education for graduating high school seniors. Students come to the Student Center and see if you meet the criteria to qualify or visit <a href="https://www.rmhc.org">www.rmhc.org</a>. Application **Deadline is January 20, 2016**.
- **4.** The **California Association of Collectors** (CAC) is proud to announce a scholarship opportunity for 2016 graduating California high school seniors for their use at any accredited college, university or vocational school. The awards can be used by the students toward tuition, fees or books. Three finalists will be chosen and will get up to \$2,500. All entries must **postmarked by January 20, 2016**. For more information come to the Student Center or visit **www.cacesf.org**
- 5. Graduating seniors of African American descent and residing in Pasadena, Altadena or Sierra Madre you can apply to the 2016 student academic award. This award is provided by the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. Candidates will be selected based on academic performance, community and school activities, letters of recommendation, essay and interview score. The application for a 2016 academic award can be found on the Chapter website at www.dstpasadena.com. All applications must be completed electronically, printed, and mailed. Application package must be received no later than Friday, January 29, 2016. For more information come to the Student Center.
- **6.** The non-profit organization, **The Make Sense Foundation** is proud to offer scholarship award opportunities for outstanding female youths who are college-bound in 2016-2017. Scholarship awards are up to \$10,000. Applications must be received by **February 15, 2016** to be considered for an award. Come to the Student Center for an application and for more information.
- 7. Launched in 2005, our Bezos Scholars Program @ the Aspen Institute is collaboration with the Aspen Institute that cultivates the next generation of leaders. It is a leadership development opportunity and all-expenses-paid scholarship open to public high school juniors and educators. Apply now to join the 2016 Bezos Scholar Program! Submit your completed application online by February 16, 2016 at <a href="https://www.BezosFamilyFoundation.org">www.BezosFamilyFoundation.org</a>

- 8. The Asian Pacific Fund administers 12 scholarship programs, each with unique eligibility criteria. Scholarship amounts range from \$1,000 to \$20,000 and many are renewable. Incoming or current college students of any ethnic backgrounds can apply. Application deadline is February 19, 2016. Visit their website at <a href="https://www.asianpacificfund.org/scholarships">www.asianpacificfund.org/scholarships</a> for complete criteria.
- 9. The Grand Lodge of California, Order Sons of Italy in America announces the availability of two scholarships for graduating seniors of the Class of 2016. Scholarships are available in the following categories: Academic Awards for high school seniors and the Italian Language Study Grants in Italy for high school seniors for the summer of 2016. One of the requirements for applying for a Scholarship or Student Grant is that applicant must be wholly or partially of Italian descent. Applications are available through your School Counselor or on line by accessing the Grand Lodge of California, Sons of Italy website at <a href="https://www.sonsofitalyca.org">www.sonsofitalyca.org</a>. Deadline to apply is March 1, 2016.
- 10. Since 2005, Warner Bros. Entertainment has awarded internship- scholarship packages, known as Honorships. There are up to 3 new Honorships awarded each year for LA county seniors. We are looking for outstanding students who are passionate about the business of entertainment and are excited for the chance to work for the global leader in content creation, production, distribution, licensing and marketing of all forms of entertainment. Honorships include Full-time paid summer internships at the company each summer while in college, a \$5000 college scholarship, and mentoring and networking opportunities with entertainment professionals. For more information and to apply online, visit <a href="http://wbcitizenship.com/community/reach-honorship-program">http://wbcitizenship.com/community/reach-honorship-program</a> or email <a href="mailto:reach@warnerbros.com">reach@warnerbros.com</a>. Deadline to apply is Tuesday, March 1, 2016.
- 11. The Sierra Madre Civic Club is pleased once again to invite local high school seniors to apply for its annual Education Award. To qualify for consideration, you must be a Sierra Madre resident, be a relative of a Sierra Madre Civic club member or work in Sierra Madre. Come to the Student Center for an application. The deadline to apply is March 15, 2016.
- **12.** The **Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund** is now available in the Student Center. If you are hard-working, positive and community spirited come to the student center for an application and see if you meet the criteria. There will be three to five scholarships awarded for the amount of \$2,500 each. Deadline to apply is **Thursday, March 31, 2016.**