

NOVEMBER 14, 2018 UPC MEETING SNAPSHOT

Tip: Print out and use to give your report at parent group meetings

UPC-Who We Are and What We Do: We are parents working together to enhance the PV Schools experience for our children. We support you, we give you access to your Superintendent, and we provide relevant programs of interest to you. Ultimately we ADVOCATE for Students, EDUCATE Parents and Community, COLLABORATE with PVUSD and other Educational Organizations, and WORK with the Superintendent to increase the presence of the UPC.

Superintendent Comments: Dr. Jim Lee

Introduced Susan Matura – new Governing Board-elect member – will start in January.

Staff Changes: Janice Moore taking new position at Community Ed so opening at Aire Libre for principal – Missy Martin will be interim principal; Marie Oulette will fill in at Boulder Creek and Indian Bend (where Missy Martin was); Director of Nutrition/Wellness is retiring

Superintendent Search: PVUSD has hired Ray & Associates to conduct the search, application in process, Governing Board will discuss at study session on November 20th, Application process goes live in December and closes in January, Governing Board hopes to offer the position formally at the March 7th Board meeting. Please complete the survey!

Other: District is looking for a weekend in February to designate as a focus on family, healthy activity – no homework, no Monday tests.

Recognized CLN and its role and its trip to the Capitol on November 13th.

Happy Holidays and see you in January!

Committee Reports:

CLN: Lisa Hoberg

Trip to Capitol on November 13th, make sure you are signed up for CLN alerts and RTS (request to speak) – can find info on UPC website

Special Ed: Deb Kozak and Lisa Hoberg

January 23 is tentative date for Dr. Alison Reuter “Neuropsych Barriers to Learning” (executive function, learning disabilities, gifted, anxiety) February will be a program by Raising Special Kids. Note Facebook private group - pvparentsofstudentwithspecialneeds

Gifted: Marisha Geraghty (Melissa Schwartz)

There are videos for past Gifted seminars on Facebook. December 4th Dr. Laura Wingers “Mindfulness” Lisa Hoberg noted that she is working with Karen Brown on programming for uniquely gifted students through 12th grade

Immersion Education: Kea Carota and Laura Miyazaki

Meeting tomorrow with Dr. Courson

Social Media: Jessica Wani

UPC on Instagram now, watch FB for UPC posts, ask that PTAs/PTOs tag events

Website: Susan Matura

New website will launch in early January – old website still functional in the meantime

Teacher/Staff Appreciation: Shannon Hanna

February 13-March 13

DETR: Melissa Schwartz update

Reviewed lessons learned from Parkland shooting at last meeting

President’s Announcements: Melissa Schwartz

Superintendent’s survey – please complete this week! Make sure to mark 10 boxes otherwise it will not submit

Community Outreach – PV Special Olympics – need volunteers for regional event on April 4-5 – more info to come

Math and Science curriculum meetings are in process

Committee requests will increase come January as interview panels start forming

Infinite Campus – be sure to upgrade to the campus parent app

Announcement from the floor: support staff “Holiday Boutique” on November 30th – crafts, etc. created by PVUSD staff

Next Meeting 9:00am: January 16, 2019

January Program 10:15am: What are Restorative Practices?