

APG PTSA + Family Newsletter · 9/10/2021

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Dear APG Community,

I hope everyone made it to Back to School Night and had the chance to connect with their student's teachers. I look forward to connecting via Zoom at 6:30 p.m. on September 15 for the PTSA General Meeting.

Quick note: if you need any garden supplies this weekend, drop by Sloat Garden Centers! If you drop the AP Giannini name at any of the locations, we will get 10% of all purchases.

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Notes

Arts Department Quarterly Newsletter—Hot off the press—[check it out here!](#)

Giannini Athletics—Please make sure to turn in your **Physical Packet** to Mr. Cheng prior to the tryout dates in order to be eligible to try out.

Boys Basketball Team Tryouts—All tryouts will begin at 4pm in the Gym:

Monday 9/13—6th Grade | Tuesday 9/14—7th Grade | Thursday 9/16—8th Grade

Girls Basketball Team Tryouts—Friday 9/17 @ 4pm in the Gym. All grades.

Girls Soccer Team Info Meeting & Tryouts—Info meeting on Monday 9/27 @ 4pm outside the Gym. Tryouts will begin the week of 10/5. More information coming soon!

APG Athletics Google Classroom—for students | **APG Athletics Website** | **Physical Packet**

Please email Mr. Cheng (Athletic Director) at chengc1@sfusd.edu with any questions.

Garden Gloves Volunteers—ISO parent volunteers to wash garden gloves. Ms. Sara needs one volunteer every two weeks. If you don't mind doing an extra load of laundry, please sign up: bit.ly/apg-garden-gloves. You'll receive an email reminder the week of. Thanks in advance!

School Phones Out of Order—The school's phone connectivity remains spotty due to construction. If you need to reach the school or your student, please email their grade level counselor or the APG admin assistant:

6th grade: Ms. Lau (LauA3@sfusd.edu)

7th grade: Mr. Jang (JangJ1@sfusd.edu)

8th grade: Mr. McDaniel (McdanielS@sfusd.edu)

Admin assistant: Ms. Cheng (ChengA3@sfusd.edu)

Events

Wednesdays **APG Family Bulletin**—school news

Fridays **PTSA + Family Newsletter**—PTSA + community news

9/11–12 **Sloat Garden Fundraiser**—Mention AP Giannini and they'll donate 10%!

Wed 9/15 **PTSA General Meeting** @ 6:30pm via **Zoom** (ID: 873 3600 7172, Passcode: 4vzCWv)
(also 11/17, 1/19, 2/16, and 4/20)

Thurs 9/16 **APG Beacon Family Social** @ 5:30pm ([see the flyer](#)) ([RSVP here](#))

9/30 – 10/1 **Green Apple Books fundraiser**—more info coming soon

Fri 10/1 **Staff Appreciation Breakfast**—[click here to donate goodies](#) (first Fridays)

Volunteer

PTSA Help—Please reach out to ptsa@apgsf.com if you are interested in any of the following roles. Job sharing is welcome!

APG Gear—Help purchase and sell APG schwag.

Fundraising—Support the rollout of the Jag Fund, our annual school wide fundraiser.

Hospitality—Coordinate monthly breakfasts for our APG staff and faculty.

Volunteer Coordinator—Coordinate any volunteer needs that come up throughout the year.

To Do

ASAP Complete the **Multipurpose Family Income form** (a.k.a. school lunch form) at sfusd.edu/MFIF (available in English, Arabic, Chinese, Spanish, Tagalog, and Vietnamese). **Even though all meals are free and regardless of whether your child eats school meals**, this form is essential to help secure school funding and can help families in need secure discounted utilities and other benefits regardless of citizenship status.

ASAP Complete your **Emergency Card form**—via the ParentVUE app or **online**! From the app, log in and find the **purple OLR button** (Online Registration). From a web browser, log in and find the **black and gold Online Forms** button. (tabs at the top right). **[DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS]**

SFUSD Resources

SFUSD technology resources—sfusd.edu/familytechnology

SFUSD Student Family School Resource Link—This is a cross-departmental project to support students, families, and school staff in navigating all of the SFUSD resources available to them. Submit a request at familylink.sfusd.edu, email familylink@sfusd.edu, or call **415-340-1716**.

SFUSD Free School Meals—Breakfast, lunch, and supper all free for all students. Kids with home lunches are welcome to take free milk, fruit, and vegetables. **[WEB PAGE] [INSTA] [FB] [TWITTER]**

SF Resources

Free food resources—**SF-Marin Food Bank** has a food locator for assistance in San Francisco and Marin. For more food resources: **call 311 any time** or go to sf.gov/get-food-resources.

Free produce—**Aleman Farm** supports self-harvest of some vegetables and distributes produce through their **Free Farm Stand** (Sundays 12–3pm at Parques Ninos Unidos on 23rd & Treat).

Noticias en español—Regístrese para recibir las últimas noticias sobre COVID-19, un servicio gratuito del diario Mission Local: joinsubtext.com/mlesp **[ESPAÑOL]**

Links

PTSA Calendar: apgsf.com/calendar

PTSA Website: apgsf.com

Instagram page: instagram.com/apg_middle_school_ptsa

Facebook page: facebook.com/APGSF

Join the APG family Google group: bit.ly/apg-subscribe

Join the WeChat group: wechat@apgsf.com **[CHINESE]**

Join the APG PTSA: bit.ly/apg-joinptsa

School Website: sfusd.edu/school/ap-giannini-middle-school

APG Gear Shop: apgsf.com/shop

Amazon Smile: smile.amazon.com
(choose **A P Giannini Middle PTA** as your cause)

Donate to APG: bit.ly/apg-jagfund

Contact the PTSA: ptsa@apgsf.com

Newsletter feedback: newsletter@apgsf.com