



## The Wolverine Update

### Week of May 5th to May 11th, 2024

All school days	ASSETS Tutoring	3:30 - 6:00 pm - Library
05/05 - 5/17	Spring Testing - Juniors and AP Classes	<a href="#">Testing Schedule</a>
05/06	Softball @ El Dorado	4:00 pm
05/07	Graduation Assembly - Seniors Only	3rd period - Auditorium
05/10	Family Lunch Day	12:45 - 1:15 pm - Small Gym
05/11	Junior/Senior Ball	6:00 - 11:00 pm
05/14	Site Council	4:30 pm Front Conference Room Zoom: <a href="https://scusd.zoom.us/j/83513910022">https://scusd.zoom.us/j/83513910022</a> <a href="#">Agenda</a> Meeting ID: 835 1391 0022 Passcode: RHSSSC
05/16	PTSA Fundraiser and Meeting	6:30 pm - Round Table Pizza

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### The Rundown

#### ***2024-2025 Staffing Update***

As many of you may already know, I will be returning next year as principal and am excited to continue to serve the school. Looking forward to 2024-25, we are currently set to have our entire administrative office team return. In addition, most of our teaching departments will be returning with their entire staff, and others with only small changes. As of the end of April, all teaching positions going into next school year are filled, and we have candidates waiting and excited to join for other potential vacancies. In addition, we are excited to use funds from Prop 28 to hire for a theater position for next year and to start our theater program.

#### ***Teacher Appreciation Week***

Please stop by the library Friday morning beginning at 7:30 am for some delicious treats, courtesy of the Rosemont PTSA. Although May 6 - 10 is officially Teacher Appreciation Week, we want to recognize and celebrate all staff for the work you do every day to support students and each other. Thanks to the entire PTSA for their hard work all year and for providing breakfast on Friday!

#### ***Spring Testing: AP Testing begins***

This week AP Testing will begin. On deck: US Gov, Stats, English Lit, Env. Science, Psychology, and US Hist.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week 4</b> [5/6 - 5/10] CAST makeups and AP testing	<b>Regular day</b> CAST makeups  <u>AP US/Gov</u> Exam @ 8 am (Small gym)	<b>Regular day</b> CAST makeups  <u>AP Statistics</u> Exam @ 12 pm (A139)	<b>Regular day</b> CAST makeups  <u>AP English Lit -</u> <b><u>DIGITAL</u></b> Exam @ 8 am (Small gym)	<b>Regular day</b> CAST makeups  <u>AP Env. Science</u> Exam @ 8 am (Small gym)  <u>AP Psychology</u> Exam @ 12 pm (Library)	<b>Regular day</b> CAST makeups  <u>AP US History</u> <b><u>DIGITAL</u></b> Exam @ 8 am (Small gym)

Cellphones are not permitted during the test administration. Students taking an AP test marked "Digital" must bring a fully charged, school issued, Chromebook to the test day.

Other helpful tips:

- Students can bring a light snack for the day.
- Students should get a good night of sleep the night before! And be sure to pick up breakfast on Tuesday morning.

## Recognition

### SEVA Video Contest

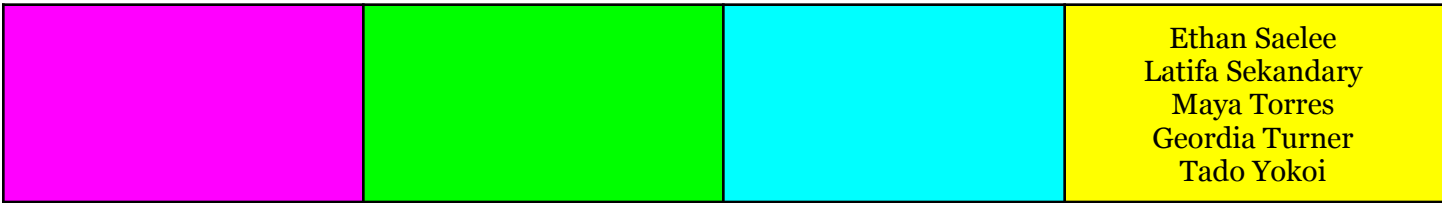
Geordia Turner is a finalist in the SEVA Video Contest "Instructional" category. Awards will be announced 4/28. Ceremony at Hiram Johnson. I have tickets if anyone wants to attend. Awesome video and great collaboration between Geordia and Victoria. Best of luck.

Here's the video announcing them as finalists: [Link](#)

### Students of the Month - April

Teachers and staff came out in force this month to recognize our students. Congratulations Wolverines.

9th	10th	11th	12th
Michael Arnaut Ramona Arreola Julia Brownlee Nathan Cabrera Jasmine Davenport Malino Finau Isaak Imamura Jaleigha Lacy-Pauley Elizabeth Mendoza Christopher Padilla Mercy Reyes Hernandez Yosary Sosa Martinez Mickayla Stillson Ny'Leyse Stokes	Amy Aguila-Lopez Zildjian Beckett Betzy Diaz Ortencia Diaz-Perez Jyllissa Gutierrez Jaunella Marie Belle Joshua Mendoza Isabella Ragan Janeesa Robinson Miguel Sosa Hina Stanikzai Vanessa Stebbins Volodymyr Tatsii Gavin Terry Jayden Tidwell	Alexa Acevedo Brandon Borromeo Someya Islam Simon Krum Beatriz Luna Alex Rutherford Park Andrii Sharma John Valdez Mousa Wahid Zalmi Valerie Yang	Liliana Acosta Angelo Albarran Jimenez Larissa Banks James Brown Jason Chen Janielle Dalanan Adam Eam Ellis Fort Lesli Gomez Marquez Hannah Heckley Ronnie Hirschi Rudolf Hylton James Mamola Caitlyn Melgarejo Saeed Mohammed Jennifer Morales Herrera Ivan Moreira Donis Miryan Ocampo Chanel Prince Karen Ramirez Hernandez



Ethan Saelee  
Latifa Sekandary  
Maya Torres  
Georgia Turner  
Tado Yokoi

### **Student Board Member Position at the California State Board of Education**

The State Board of Education relies upon its student members to provide unique perspectives and to advocate for all students across the state. The student board member directly influences important policy discussions and decisions.

The student board member application and related information can be found here:

<https://www.cde.ca.gov/be/ms/mm/sbestudentmember.asp>

Completed applications for the 2025-26 student board member position are due by 5:00pm on Friday, September 20, 2024.

Please contact the State Board of Education Office at [sbe@sbe.ca.gov](mailto:sbe@sbe.ca.gov) with any questions.

### **PTSA Roundup**

#### **Round Table Fundraiser - THIS WEEK!!!!**

The Rosemont PTSA Round Table Pizza fundraiser is coming up this May. Join us on Thursday, May 16th at the Round Table Pizza on Kiefer Blvd. The fundraiser will run from 11 am to 9 pm.

**ROSEMONT High PTO**  
&  
**ROUND TABLE PIZZA ROYALTY**

**Eat Pizza, Raise Funds!**

Get together with friends, family and neighbors to help us. Meanwhile you'll be helping yourself to some great food—with an event like this, everybody wins!  
When you come in to the location listed below and bring this flyer or show the cashier this information from your phone, Round Table Pizza will donate 20% of the proceeds to our cause! Enjoy great tasting Round Table Pizza while benefiting your school.

**Dine In, Carry Out, or Delivery**  
Not Avail for Online Ordering

**Date:** Thursday, May 16, 2024  
**Time:** 11:00am – 9:00pm  
**Where:** Round Table Pizza  
9138 Kiefer Blvd 916-366-6376

**SUPPORT THE CLASS OF 2024**  
**Ribbon Lei Fundraiser**

**\$20 LEI**  
**\$5 PROFIT**

**\$30 LEI**  
**\$10 PROFIT**

**\$40**  
**\$15 PROFIT**

Order your Grad lei today!  
**Deadline to order**  
**Fri. May 17th**  
Don't have a grad? Scan the form and donate a lei.

Feel free to call me for additional information  
**Evelyn (916) 524-6214**

Scan to place your order today or go to <https://forms.gle/uxyKP7S1B1chZpAb6>

Pay **venmo**

Evelyn Mendez @Evelyn-Mendez-6

## **Rosemont PTSA Needs YOU!**

Do you want to get more involved in our school? The Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) Board is looking for people to help in the following areas for the 2024-2025 school year:

President  
Treasurer  
Fundraising  
Web site/Communications  
Membership

Join our talented team of parent volunteers! Please contact Sheri Chow, PTSA President, at [sheri\\_chow@hotmail.com](mailto:sheri_chow@hotmail.com) for more information.

## **Attention Senior Parents: PTSA Ribbon Lei Fundraiser**

Order your ribbon leis for graduation and support our school! Use this [Order Form](#) and see below for more details. Order deadline is May 17.

## ***ASB Updates***

Link for the 4th period announcements [here](#). Keep up-to-date on student and campus activities..

- **Food Service Opportunity:** Students...how would you like to earn some extra money while here at school and get some food service experience as well? We are once again looking for enthusiastic students to participate in our cafeteria student worker program for the next school year. We are hiring for the lunch shift only, and have limited spots available...so please act quickly! If you are interested, please see Irene Carruthers in the cafeteria for an application or for more information.
- **AAPI Month:** This month is AAPI month which stands for Asian American Pacific Islander and May was chosen because of two significant events. The first Japanese immigrants to the U.S. arrived on May 7th, 1843. Then on May 19, 1869, the final spike for the transcontinental railroad track, in which Chinese laborers played a crucial role, was embedded.
- **Link Crew:** Attention students, Link Crew acceptance letters have been sent out. Teachers, please make sure you have checked your boxes for the acceptance letters to hand out to students. Students' acceptance letters have also been emailed to your student email. Thank you for applying! The first Link Crew activity and training will take place on May 31st. See you then!
- **Junior Senior Ball:** This Saturday is Junior/Senior ball: May 11th from 6:00 - 11:00 pm
- **May Mental Health Month:** Wolverines! May is Mental Health Month, which means we will be promoting open conversations about mental health and its impact on our personal and academic lives. Throughout May, we will host events and activities to raise awareness, encourage self-care, and connect you with resources. Help end the stigma all this month!

## ***Scholarship Information***

### **2024 Scholarship for Multilingual Learners**

Spread the word - Elevation's annual scholarship fund dedicated to Multilingual Learners is live for 2024!

This year, we're awarding ten \$2,000 grants for students pursuing higher education. All high school seniors who have ever been identified as language learners are encouraged to apply by May 12th.

Click [here](#) for more details and the application. Also, feel free to forward this email onward!

## ***Student and Staff Safety***

Shortly after dismissal on Friday, we had 3 non-students come onto campus looking for a student as part of an interpersonal conflict with another student. School staff acted quickly and responded immediately, however, a large number of our students began following the non-students and the potential conflict either to film, watch, instigate, or interfere with staff. The effect was several staff members who were bumped, pushed, and blocked in the performance of their duties and created the potential for a crush near the E building entrance. Due to the crowd, staff had difficulty initially intervening, but ultimately secured the area and the situation. Several of these students were non-responsive to direction and continued to make the situation more dangerous than it should have been.

The school takes these situations seriously and as we identify students involved in rushing toward and/or interfering with the situation they will face school disciplinary action. If a student pursues a conflict for any reason that contributes to creating substantial disorder and a hostile environment they will be subject to suspension. The rush of spectators, videographers, instigators, and friends and potential participants creates an unsafe environment and makes it difficult for staff to do our duty in maintaining the safety of students.

I want to thank the safety team, teachers, office staff, and administrators who responded immediately to the situation and, in spite of the crowd, restored order, maintained composure and prevented a worse situation from developing. I also want to thank those students who acted responsibly and either stayed back or immediately responded to the direction of staff.

California Education Codes for suspension and recommendation for expulsion to be used: 48900.k (*students who disrupted school activities or otherwise willfully defied the valid authority of supervisors, teachers, administrators, school officials, or other school personnel engaged in the performance of their duties*) and 48900.4 (*Intentionally engaged in harassment, threats or intimidation, directed against school district personnel or pupils, that is sufficiently severe or pervasive to have the actual and reasonably expected effect of materially disrupting class work, creating substantial disorder, and invading the rights of that pupil or group of pupils by creating an intimidating or hostile educational environment*). Due to SB274, signed in October of 2023, effective July 1, 2024, schools will no longer be able to use 48900.k until at least July 1, 2029. We will continue to utilize 48900.4 for any student contributing to an unsafe environment.

## ***In memoriam***

This past Saturday, May the 4th, marks the anniversary of the passing of Jeremy Predko, our Rosemont assistant principal for 9 years. I got to know him for the last two of those years. He was essential in shaping my experience at Rosemont and am grateful for the opportunity I had to work with him and learn from him. He was extremely proud to be a part of this school and he lived Rosemont everyday. If you ever had the "Predko Tour" you could hear how much he thought of this place and he made you want to love it as much as he did. His presence here is missed.

## ***Family Lunch Day***

This Friday is our last Family Lunch Day of the year. Lunch starts at 12:45 pm and goes until 1:15 pm. Please pre-register with our parent advisor, Tammy Vann ([tammy-vann@scusd.edu](mailto:tammy-vann@scusd.edu)). Families will enter from the Auditorium end and students from the quad. We hope to see you there.

## **Wolverine Athletics and Competition Update**

### ***Swim Update***

At swimming sections last week, Peter Fortune took 8th in 100 breaststroke with a state consideration time of 57.51, crushing his previous school record by 4 seconds. He also broke his own school record by 2 seconds with a lead-off relay time of 23.06 in the 50 freestyle. Peter now holds 10 of 11 Rosemont school records.

The team of Jude Bazos, Peter Fortune, Nathan Richards, and Frankie Fortune competed in the 200 medley relay, taking another 1.5 seconds off their school record set earlier this season.

The 200 freestyle team of Fortune, Fortune, Richards and Anthony Lagergren also broke their school record set earlier this season by over half a second.

### ***Track and Field Update***

Congratulations to all of our Wolverines on the Track and Field team for a great season, and an amazing performance at the Sierra Valley Conference Championships! This past weekend, our JV and Varsity Boys finished 3rd overall in team scoring.

Our Varsity Girls team finished with an impressive 2nd place team finish. Athletes moving on to the Divisional Championships May 8th/10th at Riverbank High School include Michael Cherry (double league champion), Julia Taranchuk (triple league champion), Vanessa Kawaharada (double league champion), Amir Martinez (league champion), Ozmund Noble (league champion), Evelyn Lyubezhanina, Kaleeah Bryant, Armani Bueno, Gillian Passovoy, Jasauni Nelson, Jaylen Burton, Bruce Bradshaw, Zildjian Beckett, Kari Autio, Marcus Paglialunga, Alexavier Siscoe, Myra Miles, Maurice Thomas, Fred Valdez, and Ricky Morales.

### ***Girls Basketball***

Girls Basketball spring training starts Thursday May 2nd in the big gym at 4pm. to 5:30 There will be 30 minutes of skills training followed by an hour of open gym. This will be every Tuesday and Thursday in May. Also did you hear there are 2 new head coaches Coach Dave And Coach Villela, So come out all returning players and new players.

### ***Baseball: 9-17- 1 overall and 2-13 in league (5th place)***

04/26	@ Kennedy	T 3-3
04/27	@ Liberty Ranch	L 3-5
04/29	@ Galt	L 0-9
05/01	v. Galt - Senior Night	W 9-8
05/03	v. Monterey Trail	W 13-12 (9)

### ***Softball: 18-1 overall and 12-1 in league (1st place) - Softball up to 1st place!***

04/26	v. Union Mine	W 13-0
04/29	v. Galt - Senior Night	W 12-1
05/01	@ Liberty Ranch	W 8-5

05/03	@ Bradshaw Christian	W 12-5
05/06	@ El Dorado	4:00 pm
05/07	v. Galt	4:00 pm

### **RHS Communication Webpage - Reminder**

Here is the link to the [RHS Communication webpage](#).

Remember to submit all [announcements](#) using the announcement link also found on the school homepage. Announcements submitted through the form will also be copied to the announcement document

Have a great week, Wolverines!

## **REMINDERS**

### **First Period Counts**

Effective immediately, we are re-emphasizing first period attendance. Beginning November 6th, 2023, **1st period absences and tardies will carry the same weight as other periods** when factoring in participation in events and athletics. Students facing issues, such as transportation, that affect attendance beyond a student's control can be reviewed by our Engagement Support team or Administration for exceptions.

### **Cell Phone Policy**

- It is strongly recommended that non-essential personal property not be brought on campus because we cannot guarantee the security of these items and because they are a distraction to the learning environment and/or are a potential source of trouble.
- The rule is that if electronic devices are brought to Rosemont's campus, they are not allowed to be out during class time without teacher permission. The following are considered non-essential items:
  - Cell phones
  - Music devices: (e.g., MP3 players, iPods, iPads, laptops, CD players)
  - Video cameras, walkie-talkies, handheld games, or any other electronic devices.
- The state of California adopted Assembly Bill 272 in July of 2019. The bill declares that there is growing evidence that unrestricted use of smartphones by students during the school day interferes with the educational mission of schools; lowers pupil performance, promotes cyberbullying; and contributes to an increase in teenage anxiety, depression, and suicide. The bill further encourages local agencies to

adopt policies to address cell phone use in schools. SCUSD has a Board Policy that pre-dates yet aligns with AB 272.

- How this works at Rosemont
  - Classroom Level – Depending on the teacher’s classroom room policy, electronic device violations can be addressed through: prompts, phone cubbies, paper lunch storage bags, calls home, etc.
  - Campus Monitor Level – If a student does not comply with the device policy a campus monitor or administrator will pick up just the device and the device will be returned to the student according to the following progression:
    - 1st offense: After class
    - 2nd offense: After school
    - 3rd and beyond: Must be picked up by the parent or guardian.
  - Administration Level – If the student does not want to turn the device over and return to class then the student will come to the office and the device will be checked in. Parents/Guardians will be contacted to pick it up. Students will then be returned to class.

### **Reporting Absences**

Parents/Guardians must clear absences within two weeks of the absence. Any uncleared absences will become truancies. To report an absence, please visit the [attendance page](#) on the Rosemont website.

### **Elevator Keys**

It is the responsibility of each student to personally return elevator keys daily. Elevator keys are not to be taken home under any circumstances. Only a student with an injury is allowed on the elevator, not friends. The only person that should enter the office to check out a key is the injured student. Please do not bring friends with you. Thank you.

### **Early Dismissals**

Early dismissals will end 30 minutes prior to the end of the school day. If you need to pick up a student for an early dismissal please plan to pick them up prior to 3:00 pm on M, T, W, and F and prior to 2:00 pm on Th.

### **First Period Tardies**

PLEASE drop off students in time for them to arrive on time to 1st period. We are already seeing a number of students dropped off very close to the bell (at 8:23) or after the bell has rung. Those students are missing valuable instruction and creating a disruption for 1st period classes. If we can help in any way with this process, let us know!

### **Tardies Throughout the Day**

In order for teachers to maximize instruction, **students must arrive to every class on time**. They have seven minutes for passing, which includes time for them to use the restroom and get to their next class. This week, we’ll start **random tardy sweeps** throughout the day. Students who are not in their classroom when the bell rings will be assigned after-school detention. Failure to serve detention will result in further disciplinary action.

### **Elevator Keys**

We have a very limited number of elevator keys available for students. If you need an elevator key, please provide a medical note to our office manager. Keys are checked out each morning and returned by the end of each school day.

### **DoorDash and Other Food Delivery Services**



Just a reminder that we do not allow DoorDash or other food deliveries for students. If students receive food deliveries, the food will be held until the end of the school day.

Family members can drop off food at the front office. However, unless there is a medical reason on file, students will not be pulled out of class to pick up food.

### **Updated Yearbook Information!**

You can begin pre-ordering your Rosemont 20th Anniversary Yearbook [here](#) starting at \$85. Senior recognition pages for the yearbook can be ordered [here](#).

### **Wolverine Webstore**

Please visit the [Wolverine Webstore](#) to purchase Rosemont Spirit Wear!

### **Online Credit Recovery at Rosemont**

Credit recovery classes have begun. If you would like to enroll your student in credit recovery, please contact his/her counselor.

### **Expanded Learning Opportunities for Students**

SCUSD and Rosemont High School offer a multitude of extra-curricular activities, clubs, and supports for students. [Here](#) is information about the ASSETS programs, including an online application.

### **College and Career Readiness**

Check out the October edition of our monthly [College and Career Newsletter](#).

### **Come out to Support Your Wolverine Athletes!**

Thanks so much to all of the families and staff who have come out to games! We appreciate you! Please see the entire sports schedule, which includes some last-minute location changes, [here](#).