



CLAIRE LILIENTHAL

Weekly Bulletin



April 11, 2018

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Week of April 9th

Sat., 4/14 – Scott Garden Work Day, 9 – 1:30 →

Week of April 16th

April 16 – 24: CLLA Application Window →

Mon., 4/16 - Bike & Roll to School Day →

Thurs., 4/19 – K-8 Science Night, Scott Site →

Week of April 23rd

Tues., 4/24 – SBAC TESTING

Sat., 4/28 – Ocean Beach Cleanup →

Middle School Track and Field Schedule:

Track Meets:

Thurs., 4/12 - @ SOTA

Thurs., 4/19 - @ Washington HS

Long & High Jump Meets:

Tues., 4/17 – CL vs. Presidio @ Presidio

Dear Lilienthal Community,

SBAC testing starts in just a few weeks! The testing will start on Tuesday, April 23rd and runs through Friday, May 18th. This spring our 3rd through 8th-grade students will be taking the Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium (SBAC) test. This assessment is a way for us to better understand where your student is excelling and where we can better support them. The SBAC test also helps us identify school-wide trends for instructional improvement. Although the SBAC is an important assessment that covers all grade level standards and plays a role in our school's SQII (School Quality Improvement Index) score, it is only one of many assessments that we use to identify student progress.

Testing Schedule:

- 3rd-5th Graders will take the English Language Arts test on the week of April 23rd and the Math test on the week of April 30th.
- Middle School students will be testing the week of May 7th and May 14th.

Teachers have worked diligently to prepare our students for this test by delivering targeted lessons and reviewing content before the start of testing next week. Most of our testing happens during the mornings. With that said it's important that our students come on time and prepared for testing.

Here's how you can help!:

- Get a great night sleep on the days your student is testing.
- Eat a healthy, nourishing breakfast the morning of the test.
- Come to school on time. We start at 7:45 sharp!
- Keep things encouraging. Kids have a funny way of feeling the stress of the adults around them, so make sure you're projecting a positive, optimistic tone about the test.

Thank you for partnering with us to make our testing window a productive one for our wonderful kids. Your support in preparing them will help greatly! If your family decides to opt out of the SBAC test, please email me directly and we can discuss the next steps.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out to our testing team of Arlene Hernandez and myself.

In partnership,
Tyler Graff



Science Night K-8 at Scott Site

Don't miss out on Science Night K-8 on Thursday, April 19, 5:30pm - 7:00pm at Scott Campus. Join us for an evening of science made fun! Volunteers are needed to demonstrate some of the science projects to the children. [Please sign up here!](#)

Questions? Please contact Valerie Flaherman at vflaherman@hotmail.com or Selene Hong at selenehong@yahoo.com.

The CLLA (Claire Lilienthal Learning Academy) Scott site after school program

application window for the 2018-2019 school year will be from April 16th- April 24th from 2-5:30 (school days only) on the backstage auditorium CLLA office at the Scott Campus. All applications must be done on site. All students must re-apply every year. This is not a first come first serve process. Please contact CLLA Director Ramiro Lule at ccla@ymcasf.net with any questions or concerns.

Thank you!

Ramiro Lule

Site Coordinator

CLLA ExCel After School Program

Claire Lilienthal School is Recognized!!

Common Sense, the national nonprofit organization dedicated to helping kids and families thrive in a world of digital media and technology, has recognized Claire Lilienthal Alternative School **as a Common Sense School.**

Claire Lilienthal Alternative School has demonstrated its commitment to taking a whole-community approach to preparing its students to use the immense power of digital media to explore, create, connect, and learn, while limiting the perils that exist in the online realm, such as plagiarism, loss of privacy, and cyberbullying. The recognition acknowledges our schools commitment creating a culture of digital learning and citizenship.

"We applaud the faculty and staff of Claire Lilienthal Alternative School for embracing digital citizenship as an important part of their students' education," said Liz Kline, VP, Education Programs, Common Sense Education. "Claire Lilienthal Alternative School deserves high praise for giving its students the foundational skills they need to compete and succeed in the 21st-century workplace and participate ethically in society at large."

To learn more about the criteria Claire Lilienthal Alternative School met to become recognized as a Common Sense School, visit <https://www.common sense.org/education/recognition-schools>.

Bike and Roll to School Day is Monday, April 16th at Scott and Madison! Everyone is invited to bike, bus, scooter, or walk to school. Rain or shine, there will be plenty of prizes for anyone who participates in sustainably getting to school.



Mayfair

Saturday, May 12th from 11a-3p @ Scott Campus

We need volunteers! Run a game booth, Bake a cake for the cake walk, Help set-up. Bring the family and volunteer together!

Check out the website & sign-up -

<http://www.clairelilienthal.org/mayfair-2018/>

Garden Work Day

Please **SAVE THE DATES** to join us in our beautiful school gardens for the upcoming Community Garden Work Days:

- Scott Campus on Saturday, April 14th 9am - 1:30pm

We will have all sorts of activities, including composting, mulching, planting, painting, organizing and building. All skill levels are welcome and kids are encouraged to help in their school gardens! Coffee and bagels will be provided. Please also bring a potluck item to share for lunch.

Howlin' Moon 2018 Art Contest!

The 9th Annual Howlin' Moon 5k/1k Fun Run is Sunday, October 21, 2018, at Little Marina Green (Save the date!).

As in past years, we're asking the talented and creative CL students to submit artwork for our Howlin' Moon Art Contest. The winner's art will be used on the T-shirts, banners, and posters for next year's event. There are no rules for the artwork – just be creative!

[Click here to see the winning entry from 2017 >](#)

<http://www.clairelilienthal.org/howlin-moon-run>

Please submit your artwork on 8 1/2" x 11" paper to the Madison or Scott campus offices by **Monday, May 7**. The winner will be announced at Mayfair. Questions? Please email Mike Zwibelman at mzwibelman@gmail.com.

Community Service Opportunity

- **Ocean Beach Cleanup!** April 28th @ 10am

We have teamed up with Golden Gate National Parks Volunteer Program for a fun and rejuvenating morning at our famous Ocean Beach. This community service will help make it possible to protect sensitive natural habitat, sustain and improve our trail systems, and preserve important cultural resources.

Group Size: up to 50 participants

Date & Time: 4/28/2018, 10:00 am-Noon

Meeting Location: Ocean Beach - Stairwell 17

RSVP: Katie Aaronson (katieaaronson@gmail.com)

CLASP APRIL NEWS

Happy Spring CLASP Families!

- Notes of Interest from CLASP
- April 17th the ZooMobile returns for the 1st and 2nd Grade
- April 18th 1st and 2nd Grade will be visited by the "Whale Bus Experience" On Otters...
- April 25th Everyone is invited to "Perry The Magician" from 4:00 to 5:00 pm

CLASP would also like to welcome back our afternoon Staff Jake Miden.

Madison Scholastic Book Fair - Volunteers Needed

The last book fair for the year will be in May and who DOESN'T need some new books to prevent summer brain drain? However, this can't be possible without the help of some dedicated parent volunteers. The Scholastic Book Fair will be held May 14 - 18th. Please sign up if you have a few hours to spare. This is a great fundraising opportunity to stock classroom libraries and provide materials for our teachers, too.

The sign-up can be found here:

<http://www.school-pages.com/cl/wiki.cgi/2018SpringScholasticBookFair>

Please contact Kimi at kimiueda@yahoo.com if you have any questions. Thank you!

