

## Week Twenty-Five

March 2-6, 2020

### VOTE on TUESDAY!

Talk to your children about the privilege and responsibility of voting, how you decide who you will vote for, and what measures you support. For instance, a measure is on the ballot which could help our school receive funding for much needed facility upgrades. Make your voice count by voting on Tuesday.



It's  
**READ ACROSS AMERICA**  
week and Dr. Seuss' birthday. Join us in celebrating by reading with your child(ren) every night this week. We will have guest readers in classrooms each day!

### Trimester Three

In the remaining twelve weeks of the 2019/20 school year we have several wonderful events which have become honored traditions of Alta Vista, and some significant things to accomplish. Be sure to take a peek at our events on the back page of this newsletter.

One of the main ways that we document the opinions of our students and their families is through surveys. This year, Fifth Grade students will participate in the annual California Healthy Kids Survey. Third, Fourth and Fifth Grader students, will join parents and staff in completing a school survey which will contribute to our Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP), School Accountability Report Card (SARC), and our Charter Renewal Petition.

Just as voting gives citizens the opportunity to have a voice in local, state and federal governance, these surveys give you a voice in your school. The more we have responding to these surveys, the more compelling their outcomes are. Alta Vista has a history of high survey response rates, which I hope will continue in the coming months.

Breathe ~ Smile



Camille Taylor, Ed.D., Principal

### Spirit Week Themes

Mon - Cat in the Hat (wear a hat)  
Tues - Green Eggs and Ham (wear green)  
Wed - Wacky Wednesday (mis-matched clothes)  
Thurs - Fox in Socks (wear crazy socks)  
Fri - Cindy-Lou Who (Who-ville hair)

### ROBERT WORKMAN RETIRING

AFTER NEARLY THREE DECADES WORKING AT VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE AUBURN UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT, THE LAST SEVEN OF WHICH HAVE BEEN ON THE ALTA VISTA CAMPUS, ROBERT WORKMAN IS RETIRING. WE THANK HIM FOR HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO OUR SCHOOL AND OUR DISTRICT. PLEASE JOIN US IN WISHING ROBERT A VERY JOYFUL RETIREMENT!



# EVERY MINUTE COUNTS - February

## ATTENDANCE CHALLENGE

**Congratulations First Grade! You had the highest attendance for FEBRUARY and will be enjoying a Pizza Party this Friday!**

Grade	Absences	Class Attendance
TK	14	93.52%
K	30	91.67%
1st	18	95.38%
2nd	19	94.49%
3rd	21	94.4%
4th	51	87.65%
5th	25	91.67%

The class with the best attendance for the month of March will have **\$50** added to their classroom budget and will enjoy **Pizza with the Principal** on Friday, March 6!!

A percentage of revenue earned for school-wide attendance above 97.5% will be allocated toward new playground play structures!

**PUT  
THIS  
on  
YOUR  
CALENDAR**

- Mar 5 - Sami Circuit Assembly
- Mar 5 - The Bucks Booster Club Meeting at 3 pm
- Mar 6 - Tibetan Monks Assembly
- Mar 16 - March Governance Council Meeting at 3:30-5:00
- Mar 11-13 - Parent-Teacher Conferences & Minimum Days
- Mar 20 - Trimester 2 Honors Assembly
- Mar 25 - MOD Pizza Fundraiser
- Apr 6-10 - SPRING BREAK - NO SCHOOL
- Apr 24 - Talent Show / Chili Cook-Off (Auditions soon!!)

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**BRING ALUMINUM CANS AND PLASTIC BOTTLES TO SCHOOL TO HELP FIFTH GRADERS RAISE FUNDS FOR THEIR AGE OF SAIL FIELD TRIP**

celebrating  
**SUPER BUCKS**  
Safety + Respect + Responsibility  
**SUPER HEROES**

Staff and students give SuperBucks when we catch someone making great choices. We draw 2 tickets from each classroom and celebrate the winning Super Heroes at our Friday assembly. We're proud to celebrate the following Super Heroes from Week 25:

Jaxon Parker & James Brichler  
Gunner Wilson & Gracie Silva  
Mark Zatkulak & Payton Mowrey  
Layla Nederhoed & Roxie Bones  
Jasmine Williams & Blake Alexander  
Mila Carmona & Elijah Ellis  
Brayden Brock & Savanah Johnson  
*Super Heroes pick a book from the Super Basket !!*