



VHS WEEKLY UPDATE

Ventura High School - 5/6/2022



RECLASSIFICATION CEREMONY @ VHS!



52 STUDENTS RECLASSIFIED THIS SCHOOL YEAR!



CONGRATS TO OUR SCIENCE WINNERS ON THE DISTRICT COMPETITION WITH MERITO!

1st Place: Alex Saenz and Frankie Parker
 2nd Place: Izzi Gragg, Bailey Steen and Anna Sgro
 Honorable Mention: Kalea, Brinn, Claudia and Kalina



Ventura High School 2022
Chalk Festival
 May 11-12th
 8:00-2:30

FOOD DELIVERIES

VHS has seen an increase in students leaving class early before the bell rings to try and meet food delivery services on the perimeter of campus.



Admin would like to reiterate that food deliveries from outside vendors such as Uber Eats and Door Dash are not allowed. Please pack a lunch for your student or encourage them to eat a free meal at our cafeteria.

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK!

Teachers were treated throughout the week for all their hard work and dedication to our students. We respect them, love them, and are grateful for their mentorship and support to our students.



Photos courtesy VHS PTSA

LIBRARY CLOSED FOR AP EXAMS

ONLY AP STUDENTS AND PROCTORS MAY ENTER THE LIBRARY.

AP Exam Time	Morning exams: 7:30 - 11:30 + Closed before school & Nutrition break.	Afternoon exams: 11:30 - 3:30 + Closed at lunch & after school.
Monday, May 2	LIBRARY OPEN 7:30 - 11:30	AP Chemistry Exam
Tuesday, May 3	LIBRARY OPEN 7:30 - 11:30	AP Psychology Exam
Thursday, May 6	LIBRARY OPEN 7:30 - 11:30	AP Statistics Exam
Monday, May 9	CLOSED ALL DAY	AP Computer Science Principles Exam
Wednesday, May 11	CLOSED ALL DAY	AP Biology Exam
Thursday, May 12	LIBRARY OPEN 7:30 - 11:30	AP Physics Exam

During AP exams, May 2 - 18, 2022, the VHS library will be open 7:30 - 3:30 on all other school days. Open times above are subject to change. Sorry for any inconvenience.

VHS PRESENTS
SENIOR AWARDS
 Monday, June 6 @ 6 P.M.
 LOCATION: VHS AUDITORIUM
 SAVE THE DATE!

CALIFORNIA STATE FAIR KUDOS!

Ventura HS had 12 projects in the State Fair and our very own Rebecca Foster received an honorable mention for her project titled, "How Does Your Emotional State Affect Memory?"
 Congrats to Rebecca and all our students who participated. We're proud of you!



FOLLOW PTSA ON SOCIAL MEDIA:

Facebook:
<http://facebook.com/vhsptsa>
 Instagram: @vhsptsa

VHS Cheer TRYOUTS
 BLACK ON BLACK ATTIRE
 MAIN STREET GYM
 MAY 16TH - 18TH
 4-6PM
 INCOMING AND CURRENT CHEERLEADERS WELCOME
 FOR MORE INFO: COACHORBY@YAHOO.COM

College & Career Signing Day
 May 10th @ Tuttle Gym during Per. 5
 Seniors will be taken to the assembly at the start of 5th period.

Graduation Song

We will be selecting a senior song to perform at graduation.
 If you would like to sing or play an instrument (drums/bass/guitar, etc), for this years graduation, there will be a meeting on Tuesday, May 10th at Lunch in Room 312 (music room) Students do NOT need to be currently enrolled in a music class.



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5.2 Monday Regular Bell Schedule AP Testing	Tuesday Regular Bell Schedule AP Testing	Wednesday Late Start Bell Schedule AP Testing	Thursday Regular Bell Schedule AP Testing	Friday Regular Bell Schedule AP Testing
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5.16 Mon: ELA CAT Period 1 Period 3 Period 5 Period 7	Tues: ELA CAT Period 2 Period 4 Period 6 Period 7	Wed: No Testing Late Start Bell Schedule AP Testing	Thurs: ELA PT Period 1 Period 3 Period 5 Period 7	Fri: ELA PT Period 2 Period 4 Period 6 Period 7
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5.23 Mon: Math CAT Period 1 Period 3 Period 5 Period 7	Tues: Math CAT Period 2 Period 4 Period 6 Period 7	Wed: No Testing Late Start Bell Schedule	Thurs: Math PT Period 1 Period 3 Period 5 Period 7	Fri: Math PT Period 2 Period 4 Period 6 Period 7
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5.30 Monday HOLIDAY Non-School Day	Tues: CAST Period 1 Period 3 Period 5 Period 7	6.1 Wed: No Testing Late Start Bell Schedule	Thurs: CAST Period 2 Period 4 Period 6 Period 7	Fri: No Testing Regular Bell Schedule Make-up CAASPP Testing
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Ventura High School May 2022: Month at a Glance

May Calendar June Calendar Holiday AP Testing



CAASPP and CAST for 11th grade given in all US History and APUSH classes. CAST for 12th grade - 159 Seniors on list - will pull out for testing.

Monday/Tuesday/Thursday/Friday Bell Schedule Period 1 or 2: 8:30 A.M. - 10:10 A.M. Break: 10:10 - 10:25 A.M. Period 3 or 4: 10:30 A.M. - 12:10 P.M. Lunch: 12:10 P.M. - 12:40 P.M. Period 5 or 6: 12:45 P.M. - 2:25 P.M. Period 7: 2:30 P.M. - 3:30 P.M.	Wednesday Bell Schedule Period 1: 8:36 A.M. - 9:20 A.M. Period 2: 9:26 A.M. - 10:15 A.M. Period 3: 10:21 A.M. - 11:05 A.M. Break: 11:05 A.M. - 11:20 A.M. Period 4: 11:26 A.M. - 12:10 P.M. Period 5: 12:16 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. Lunch: 1:00 P.M. - 1:35 P.M. Period 6: 1:41 P.M. - 2:25 P.M. Period 7: 2:31 P.M. - 3:15 P.M.
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Spring concerts
May 12th & 26th
2022
7 pm
Free admission
Featuring senior soloist & symphonic orchestra

VHS CAMPUS-WIDE EVENTS COURTESY OF ASB MAY '22

MON-FRI 2-6	TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK
SAT 7	PROM @ VENTURA BEACH MARRIOTT
MON-FRI 9-13	SENIOR SPIRIT WEEK & ACTIVITIES HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL
TUES 10	COLLEGE & CAREER SIGNING DAY @ TUTTLE GYM DURING PERIOD 5
WED-THURS 11-12	CHALK ART FESTIVAL
WED 11	STUDENT FORUM
THURS 12	SPRING CONCERT
FRI-SAT 13-14	SPRING THEATER SHOWCASE
WED 18	SENIOR ASSEMBLY #2 DURING PER. 3
THUR 26	SPRING CONCERT
FRI 27	POWDER PUFF GAME @ BHS
MON 30	MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL
ALL MONTH	CLUB MEETINGS FOR:

- DRAMA CLUB
- FILM CLUB
- MODEL UNITED
- STUDENT RUNNERS
- PHILOSPHY CLUB
- CHESS CLUB
- GSA
- HEALTH THE BEACH
- KEY CLUB
- TRI-ACTIVISM CLUB
- NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY
- NHS
- CSF
- FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES
- BIKING CLUB
- INTERACT CLUB
- LATINX RIGHTS CLUB
- ASIAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER CULTURAL APPRECIATION CLUB
- GWAT

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH: MAY 11 @ LUNCH IN THE SENIOR LAWN



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(STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM)

GROUP SCHEDULE:

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Alateen:

Meet in SAP room

May 3-Period 3

May 10-Period 4 (last meeting for the school year)

LGBTQ:

May 5th-Period 6

May 12th-Period 5 (last meeting for the school year)

SATURDAY SCHOOL DATES: MAY 21

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH
WEDNESDAY, MAY 11TH @ LUNCH
ON THE SENIOR LAWN
SEVERAL LOCAL NONPROFITS WILL BE PROVIDING AWARENESS & SUPPORT RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS.

On Wednesday, 5/11/22, during lunch there will be organizations set up on the senior lawn with resources and snacks available to students and staff

NEED CHROMEBOOK HELP WHEN THE LIBRARY IS CLOSED?



**Distant Learning,
Hybrid & Tech
Call Center**

Call 805-641-5000 ext. 1381

or send an email to Ms. Frazee
Kimberly.Frazee@venturausd.org

VHS RESTROOMS:

The Boys 50's restrooms will be closed starting Monday-April 18th due to safety maintenance repairs. We currently do not have an expected date they will be re-opened due to materials and equipment required to rebuild the stalls. The district maintenance team is working hard and diligently on the project. Available restrooms will be ASB boys restroom, gym boys restroom, portables and other office areas as appropriate.



STUDENTS WILL ONLY BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE CAMPUS DURING LUNCH IF THEY HAVE THEIR PHYSICAL ID CARD WITH THEM. THEY CAN ALSO SHOW THEIR SCHEDULE BY ACTIVELY GOING ON THE STUDENT VUE APP.



TUTORING IS AVAILABLE

The schedule is:

Knowles: Every Mon.-Fri.(Lunch): Core content for Special Ed Prgrms.

Cougard: Every Thursday, Period 1 for French

Maxwell: Every Tues./Thurs. (Lunch) & Wed. (6 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.) for Science

Rivera: Every Mon. - Fri. (Lunch) for Math

Jones: Every Mon-Fri Lunch and Period 6: English (rm 209)

Reynosa: Before school, every lunch, and after Period 6 (room 64)

VUSD COVID NEWS:



Ventura Unified School District continues to follow Ventura County Public Health's mask updates and the California Department of Public Health school guidance.

Such guidelines include: mask mandate goes from required to strongly recommended, temperature threshold of 100.4, and testing for indoor sports is no longer required, however, weekly testing for indoor sports/band continues to be strongly recommended.

If a student or staff member feels sick, we ask that they please stay home. For more COVID guidance information, please go to the [COVID Resources Webpage](#).

Dolores Huerta Unity Mural Fundraiser

Please give out a helping hand as we go full steam into creating a beautiful mural of celebrated labor rights activist, Dolores Huerta. Planned to be a massive painting right on our local Ventura High School campus, this mural will be dedicated toward the celebration of influential latino leaders and culture, giving strong representation to our 60% Latino student body and uniting our high school community.



Dolores Huerta: Si Se Puede

It's time to act fast. The deadline to raise our funds is in two and a half weeks (May 10) if we want have this mural up before graduation. All steps are in place, and now we want to reach out to you, the Ventura community, to be an integral part of getting this mural in place. If you can, please donate.

Our muralist, Mauricio Ramirez, is a visual artist based in Chicago who specializes in contemporary murals, and works in local communities to capture the cultural scene and grab engagement with members of the community.



Donating:

Contact Mateo Navarro at (805) 844-5332 or at mateomnavarro@gmail.com if you are interested in donating.

HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL
VHS SENIOR WEEK!
 5/9- 5/13
 Check out the next slide for more information!

VENTURA HIGH SCHOOL
 Cap and Gown Order Deadline is April 1st
 Order Online at Jostens.com or 1-800-567-8367
All late orders placed after April 1st, 2022 are subject to a \$20 late charge.

GRAD PACKAGE
OR IF YOU WANT TO MAKE IT EASY
 Celebrate graduation with a package that has everything you need for senior year in one easy bundle.

THERE'S STILL TIME TO PURCHASE A CAP & GOWN FOR VHS GRADUATION!

Social Media Outlets:

Instagram: @venturahscougars

Twitter: @VHSVenturaHigh