

## COUGAR COUNTRY

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# Bulletin for December 18, 2015

### **STUDENTS**

**SPIRIT DAYS:** This Thursday and Friday are spirit days! Thursday is tacky Holiday Sweater Day and Friday is Star Wars Day! **HAZAN** 

**ALL STUDENTS!** You are invited to complete a survey on Cougar Press online regarding a child's rights to privacy. Should parents be allowed to add spyware to your phone?" To log on go to: <a href="http://www.cugr.org/live/">http://www.cugr.org/live/</a> **FOX** 

**VCCF 2016 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** is now open. This foundation has awarded more than \$10.7 million in scholarships to deserving Ventura County students and is the local leader in granting financial aid to promising scholars, 3.0 GPA minimum. You can apply for up to 5 scholarships- <a href="www.vccf.org/schorship/index.shtml">www.vccf.org/schorship/index.shtml</a> **DILLEY** 

**INTERMEDIATE SIGN LANGUAGE** will be offered at VHS second semester. This class will meet on Wednesday afternoons from 3:30 p.m. to 6:40 p.m. See your counselor for registration information. **ROBERTS** 

**LADIES** Are you interested in the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering or Math (STEM)? Come learn from graduate and undergraduate women students about what STEM is and how to prepare yourself for the possibility of a career in STEM, Thursday, January 21, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. in the Career Center. Sign-up in the Career Center to attend. **DE LA CRUZ** 

**SOPHOMORES:** Sign up NOW to take the PSAT 10 test coming up in February. Fee is \$18. Sign-up in the Student Store with Mrs. Ceja. Need-based scholarships available. **DE LA CRUZ** 

**INTRODUCTION TO ENGINEERING:** Will be offered at VHS second trimester. This 8 week college class will meet on Wednesday's 3:30 pm beginning January 27<sup>th</sup>. Students will earn college and high school credits. Limited space available. See your counselor for registration information. **ROBERTS** 

**GE REAGAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM:** If you feel you are an outstanding high school student, then you are invited to apply for the 2016 GE- Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program, which is now open for applications. Seniors who exhibit strong leadership, integrity, citizenship and drive will be selected to receive \$10,000 college scholarships renewable for four years. To apply, go to <a href="https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/ge-reagan/">www.scholarshipamerica.org/ge-reagan/</a> **DE LA CRUZ** 

**THE VENTURA COUNTY CHAPTER OF PHI DELTA KAPPA** will award two \$500 scholarships to local high school seniors who plan to pursue careers in education. Deadline for receipt of applications: March 1, 2016. See Mrs. Dilley or Mrs. De La Cruz FOR AN APPLICATION. **DE LA CRUZ** 

**CHEERS FOR KIDS:** Bring a can of food to the library for the Cheers for Children Canned Food drive and receive **10¢** of overdue fines cleared for each can. (This applies to library overdue fines from VHS only; it does not apply to obligations for lost/damaged books.) **ADAMICH** 

## **CAREER CENTER HAPPENINGS**

**ASVAB:** If you took the ASVAB back in November and haven't picked up your results, please do so before Winter Break during Nutrition and Lunch in the Career Center. **DE LA CRUZ** 

#### **STAFF AND STUDENT**

**CALIFORNIA DREAM ACT**: Eligible AB 540 students and their parents/guardians or anyone who'd like to learn more about The California Dream Act are welcome to join us on Wednesday, January 27<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-7:30pm in our Student Cafeteria (CSU). The California Dream Act allows undocumented and nonresident documented students who meet certain provisions to apply for and receive private scholarships funded

through public universities, state-administered financial aid, university grants, community college fee waivers, and Cal Grants.

SPANISH: Estudiantes elegibles AB 540 y sus padres/guardianes o los quien quieren saber más sobre la solicitud Dream Act de California son invitados acompañarnos el miércoles, 27 de enero, 6:30-7:30pm en la cafetería (CSU). La solicitud Dream Act de California permite a los estudiantes indocumentados y no residentes documentados quienes reúnen ciertos requisitos a solicitar y recibir becas financiadas por universidades públicas, ayuda financiara estatal, becas para la Universidad, exención de cuotas de los colegios comunitarios, y Cal Grants-subvenciones financieras.

**BANNERBOLD:** There's nothing better to do over break than submit your art, nonfiction, fiction, photography and poetry to <a href="https://www.bannerbold.com">www.bannerbold.com</a> by February 26th and follow us on twitter @VHS\_bannerbold for updates! **RANEY** 

**COATS FOR KIDS:** The COATS FOR KIDS drive has begun. Please bring your new/used coats and jackets to Room 90 anytime between now and December 18<sup>th</sup>. **WEBER** 

CLUBS				
Nothing to report.				
SPORTS				
<b>SOFTBALL</b> tryouts will be January 6, 7 and 8 at the softball field from 3:30 until 5:00 p.m. Bring equipment and be ready to play. <b>DIXON</b>				
STAFF				
Nothing to report.				

FIELD TRIP/EXCURSION INFORMATION									
	TEACHER/COORD	PROGRAM	DESTINATION	# OF STI					

DATE	TIME	TEACHER/COORD.	PROGRAM	DESTINATION	# OF STU
1/7	8:30am – 3:00	LocherP	English	Getty Museum (Getty Center), LA	110
1/22	3:45pm – 7:00pm	Richards	FNL	VHS Career Center	5
2/11 thru 2/14	7:00am – 6:00pm	Hunt	Music	Fairmont Hotel, San Jose	8

<sup>\*</sup>Events and time subject to change without notice.