Sunset News

Calendar:

Monday September 6- No School Labor Day Holiday Tuesday Sept. 14⁻ Picture day at school- virtual orders Tuesday Sept. 14- Virtual Back to School Night 6:00 pm- 7:00 pm Thursday Sept. 16- No school Board Holiday Friday Sept. 17th- Sunset Shirt orders due



Back to School Night- Going Virtual

We wish we could have our whole community together on campus, but at this time for the safety of our students and community, Back to School Night will be virtual. We hope to have our large community in-person events soon! The Sunset K-8 staff is working hard to present a great back to School Night this year. Every teacher is making a video that you can watch any time, and then on Tuesday Sept.14th at 6:00 pm, all of our staff will hold zoom calls to welcome you to our school and discuss the year ahead. A flyer will be coming home soon with all of the details.



Join our PTA!

Sunset School PTA

We will be sending home membership envelopes soon! Joining our PTA means that you support all of the programs that PTA puts on; Accelerated Reader, fieldtrips, assemblies, student events and much more! Joining PTA does not require any commitment, you are just supporting our school. If you would like to be a part of the PTA board and volunteer to support all of the amazing things that are happening at Sunset, please call our office and a PTA board member will contact you!

Welcome to Sunset!



<u>Ms. Mendoza 1st grade</u>: I am so excited to be joining the Sunset Bobcats in First Grade this year! I have 8 years of classroom teaching experience, and this is my 4th year working in Ventura Unified. My favorite part about Sunset is seeing kids of all ages being kind and helping one another. When I am not teaching, I love to work in my garden or cheer on the US Women's Soccer Team!



<u>Ms. Eckerson 3rd Grade:</u> I received my Multiple Subject Credential at CSU Channel Islands and then began teaching in 4th grade. Now I am teaching 3rd grade at Sunset and I could not be happier to be a bobcat! I have an adorable dog named Bonnie, my favorite food is pasta and my favorite thing about Sunset is that it is one big family!



<u>Mrs. Marshall 6th Grade</u>: I am so excited to be returning to Sunset this year! I had the long-term position in 6th grade last year, and have taught Kindergarten and preschool before coming to Sunset. My favorite sport is Volleyball. In my free time, I enjoy mountain biking and hiking.

Interested in School Site Council?!

We are looking for three parents who are interested in sitting on our School Site Council this year. All of our meetings will be held over zoom. The council is responsible for advising our staff and giving input on our school's academic programs and progress, as well as assisting in developing our Single Plan for Student Achievement. The council is comprised of an equal number of school employees and school community members. The School Site Council parent/ community representatives are voted onto the council by their peers. Our team will meet four times a year and members serve a two-year term. If you are interested, please contact Ms. Sims or call our office!

Student Council

Sunset Middle School students (grades 6th– 8th) are invited to join our amazing student council team! Our middle school student leaders have already put on a school wide playground assembly that was a huge hit. This Friday they will be facilitating a leadership fair for our elementary students at lunch. Throughout the year, Sunset Student Council will learn valuable leadership skills, organize and put on meaningful events for the student body, participate in community service and give back to our community. Our student leaders will be more important than ever this year to help us keep our Bobcats connected, create fun ways to support our community and lead with positivity! 6th– 8th grade students should Contact Mrs. Guzik for more information!