



# Matthew Turner Newsnote





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### April dates:

- 4/3 BMS Open House 6-8 PM  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade parents invited
- 4/8 GATE Advisory 7 PM @ DO
- 4/9 Site Council Meeting 5:30-7 PM
- 4/13 BEF Run for Fun 9-10:30 AM 
- 4/14 SCRA Writing Awards 6 PM  
Vacaville Performing Arts Theater
- 4/16 PTA Board Meeting 7 PM
- 4/17 BUSD Board Meeting 7 PM
- 4/21-5/2 STAR Assessments Gr. 2-5
- 4/23 DELAC Meeting 3:30 @ DO
- 4/25 WACKY Hair Day   
**PM K attends in AM** – K Planning Day  
Track Meet Gr. 3-5 @ BHS

### “Caught You Being Good” Awards

Winners for the week of: 

#### March 31<sup>st</sup>

- Peyton Pederson, Gr. 1
- Emily Rahill, Gr. 1
- Sarah Craft, Gr. 2
- Austin Royce, Gr. 4

### From The Office of the Superintendent

It is the policy of Benicia Unified School District to allow parents the option of having their child attend a school other than their school of residence when space is available. The time period for applying for Open Enrollment for the 2008-09 school year is April 1<sup>st</sup>-April 30<sup>th</sup>. The request for open enrollment needs to be completed each year. You will be notified of the approval or denial of your request by July 1. You may obtain an application at the district office or at each elementary site. If an Open Enrollment request is granted it is the responsibility of the parents or guardians to provide transportation.

### Principal's Awards

Our outstanding students who recently received Principal's Awards for the month of February were: Jahan Wright, Natalie Lorz, Reid Burford, Brooke Smith, Emma

Krever Carpiso, Albert Netro, Iziah Byrd, Meghan Flores, Alexia Cooper, Justin Adams, Jacob Sackett, Analicia Faubert, Kelsey Jacobson, Kelly Morgan, Emma Vanderwerf, Bryden Marshall, Kobe Tooch, Ashley Knutter, Bianca DelaTorre, Sabrina Duvall, Madeline Keith, Cienna Martin, Cory Barton, Lauren Matthews, Kirsten Klatt, Gabriel Crisostomo, Gabriella Quietvis, Joe Clarke, Emily McDavitt, Journey Eske, Brandon Sturges, Austin Hugo, Nico Ryujin, Kelsi Norman, Bella Carr, Spencer Cromer, Abby Silva, Haley Wright, Matt Sunga, Angelique Harris, Marissa Sierras, Nick Obrero, Thomas Belisle, Ashley Rennels, Enrique Ordaz, RJ Johnson, Melanie Wright, Kayla Bleamel, Allison Yip, Spencer Vercelli, Nicole Ramirez, Sofi West, Samantha Ross, Alec Levin Cassidy Tomsic, Jack Bowles and Jason Yoo.

### 2008 BENICIA ELEMENTARY TRACK CHAMPIONSHIP

Attention All 3rd, 4th & 5th Graders!! Mark your Calendars for Friday, April 25th at 1:30 p.m. The starter's gun will go off for the 7th Annual Benicia Elementary Track Championship at Benicia High School's Stadium. All 3rd, 4th and 5th Graders in Benicia are invited to compete in the 60 yd dash, 200 meter dash, 4x100 Relay, Mile Run, Long Jump, Shot Put, and Jr. Javelin. Athletes should wear shorts, t-shirts & comfortable low-cut running shoes and bring a water bottle. Flyers were sent home with students on Monday after the assembly. Please check with your child or visit [www.beniciayouth.org](http://www.beniciayouth.org) for more details.

### BHS Run for a Cure

The Leadership Class at BHS is sponsoring Run for a Cure this Friday, April 4<sup>th</sup> at 2PM at Community Park. Pledge forms are available in the office.

### Stepping Stones

BUSD Adult Education offers parent education classes/interactive preschool for parents and children ages birth to five

years. To register please contact BUSD Adult Ed at 747-8300 ext. 8808.



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### Auction Decorations

If you have some fiesta decorations that you think would add to the Auction Decor, please call June at 748-1677 or Grace at 746-6558.

### POPSICLE STAND

Now that spring is almost here we will be resuming Popsicle sales after school on Thursdays. We will need 2 people each week to volunteer for approximately 45 minutes each Thursday. All proceeds from the Popsicle sales will be used to support the Matthew Turner garden.

If you can help please contact Robin Allen @747-5719.

### Student's Corner

#### Choir

*Wednesdays* 3:05-4:05 – 4/9, 16, 23, 30

#### Conflict Manager Meeting

4/4 12:45-1:15 in Rm. 20

#### Scrabble Club

Tuesdays 3:05-4:05 in Rm. 19  
4/8, 4/22

#### Student Council Meeting

4/9 8:00 AM in Rm. 25

#### Reading Intervention

8:05-8:35 M/W/F in Rm. 10  
4/4, 7, 9, 11, 14, 16, 18

#### 4/5<sup>th</sup> Math Intervention

3:05 – 4:05 M/T in Computer Lab  
4/7, 8, 14, 15



Upcoming Field Trips

4/8-10 Seymour to Borges Ranch  
4/10 1<sup>st</sup> Gr. To Solano College  
9:15-1:30  
4/10 Crawford to WWTP 12:15-3 PM  
4/17 Pebler to WWTP 12:15-3 PM

**NOMINATION FORM**

If you know of someone who you think would be an asset to our School Site Council please fill out the tear-off below and return it to the office.

**SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL**

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Name of nominator:

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

