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Los Alamos School District Receives \$37K Technology Grant

Thanks to the effort of Mrs. Janet Van Dorn, Los Alamos School District is the recipient of a grant to be used for the enhancement of education through technology (EETT). Notification from the California Department of Education was received that Los Alamos School District is one of four school districts in all of Santa Barbara County to win the award.

A total of \$37,800 has been granted to L.A.S.D. to be used for the advancement of technology in the classroom, both by students and teachers. The target class for the two-year grant will be this year's 5th grade class and will focus on curriculum from GenYES, which stands for Generation of Youth and Educators Succeeding. The basis of the GenYES program is that students become trainers of technology. They are then able to "train" teachers on that peice of technology, thereby giving the credence to the phrase, "Youth and Educators Succeeding."

Empowered GenYES students can inspire teachers to use technology and provide help in every classroom.

GenYES students learn technology skills and apply those skills to real life issues — teaching teachers technology, building classroom resources, and doing tech support.

GenYES offers:

- All resources online for ease of use

- New student-powered online help desk for the whole school

- New student project tools and teacher class management tools

- New blog and wiki tools

- Activity guides and 20+ units of curriculum teach technology skills, multimedia, media literacy, audio, video, Web 2.0 tools, level 1 tech support, and more. Advanced units cover student leadership, community service, careers and more advanced tech support.

- GenYES students learn collaboration skills, project planning, teaching, mentoring and troubleshooting skills.

- Comprehensive reports provide data on all participating teachers, students, and projects.

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La Escuela del distrito de Los Alamos recibe subvencion de 37 mil dolares para tecnologia

Gracias al esfuerzo de la Senora Janet Van Dorn, nuestro distrito fue el recipiente de un subvencion para hacer usado en la compra de tecnologia nueva para mejorar la educacion. El departamento de educacion de California nos notifico que somos una de las cuatro escuelas en calificar y ganar el premio.

Un total de 37 mil dolares fue dado a nuestro distrito para avanzar nuestra tecnologia en los salones para los maestros y estudiantes. La clase que recibira la mejor ayuda sera la del quinto grado. La clase del quinto grado recibira un plan de estudios nuevo de GenYES, que es para que los alumnos sean entrenadores en tecnologia. Aprenderan y jugaran a la misma ves.

El nuevo programa de GenYES podra inspirar a los estudiantes a inspirar a los maestros a usar tecnologia y brindar ayuda en los salones. Con las cualidades que los estudiantes aprendan seran muy facil para aplicarlas en la vida real, como adultos.

El programa ofrece:

- *Varios recursos de internet para uso.
- *Asistencia para toda la escuela con proyectos.
- *Herramientas para los maestros en manejar la clase.
- *Y nuevas herramientas wiki
- *Ayuda avanzada para estudiantes con ayuda de la comunidad, carreras, proyectos, y videos y sonido.

Los estudiantes del nuevo programa aprenderan ----- en colaboracion, pianiar, enseñar, mentoriar y de resolver problemas.

Reportes bien definidos daran informacion del avance a los maestros y estudiantes que decidan participar en este proyecto.

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From the Desk of Ron Barba-Interim Superintendent/Principal

Can you believe it, the first quarter ended Friday, October 24? “Conference Week” is just around the corner and is set for November 3-7. In my opinion it is one of the most noteworthy weeks of the school year. This is our time for teachers and parents to communicate on how students are doing and chart goals for the year. A productive parent-teacher conference can make a fantastic impact on a child’s year!

Your child’s teacher most likely will evaluate whatever assessment records we have on your child, provide an update on how your child is doing in class in all respects (academic, behavioral, social, etc.), and engage you in discussion about goals for the year. You will have the opportunity to ask questions, contribute insights of your own, and help craft goals for the year. Dismissal for all students is 11:40 a.m. each day.

Our goal at Olga Reed School is to conference with the parents of all of our students. We know how important they are, and we value them just as much as you do. We want to see you this week!

We had our first assembly on Friday, October 17, recognizing children for student of the month awards. We also honored students who exhibited “Outstanding Character-Responsibility” traits. Our ASB was in charge of the assembly and did a wonderful job of promoting teamwork and BRONCO spirit.

GO BRONCOS!

Bronco Spirit Yearbook

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please contact Yearbook Advisor,

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smorris@losalamosschool.org for details.



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Del escritorio de Ron Barba

Superintendent/Principal provisional

Lo pueden creer, la primera cora del ano termino el viernes, 24 de octubre. Semana mas inportantes de conferencias esta dicho para el 3 al 7 de noviembre. en mi opinion es una de las semanas de todo el ano escolar. Este es nuestro tiempo para que maestros y padres se comuniquen sobre los estudiantes y saber sus metas para el ano. Una conferencia produciva entre maestros y padres puede hacer un impacto fantastico en el ano escolar del alumno.

El maestro de su alumno valuara varios records necesarios que tenemos de su alumno, y los tendra al coriente de como esta progresando su alumno en totas las areas (academico, social, y comportamiento, etc.) y tambien les involucraran en discusion sobre las metas para el resto del ano escolar. Usten tendra la oportunidad de hacer preguntas, contrubuir sus ideas propias y ayudar anotar metas para el ano. Los estudiantes saldran a las 11:40 a.m. cada dia.

Nuestra meta aqui en la escuela Olga Reed es de tener conferencia con los padres de todos los estudiantes. Nosotros sabemos que importantes son, y los valoramos tanto igual que ustedes. Las queremos ver la proxima semana!

Tuvimos nuestra primera asamblea el viernes, 17 de octubre, y reconocimos a estudiantes por ser alumnos del mes. Tambien reconocimos a los estudiantes que tenian el character excepcional del mes, que era responsabilidad. Nuestro ASB se encargo de la asamblea y hizo un buen trabajo de demostrar trabajar juntos y espiritu Bronco.

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Congratulations!

Student
of the Month

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Characteristics

Room 18	Lindsay Abraham	Asusena Rodriguez
Room 17	Erik Guerrero	Shaira Tapia
Room 4	Alyssa McCoy	Serena Aguilera
Room 7	Alejandra Garcia	Georgia Almazan
Room 6	Kathleen Merrill	Joon Chang
	Jaqueline Diaz	
Room 14	Carly Todd	Bryauna Pina
Room 11	Felicitas Ruiz	Cameron Cripe
Room 9	Raul Guerrero	Jennifer Cedillo
Room 19	Alex Mendoza	Lane Luis
Room 12	Forest Starr	Edith Botello
Room 16	Madison Mullen	Tammy Zepeda
ASP	Gabriel Jimenez	Valerie Lorenzo

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Upcoming Events..November-December

October 31
November 2

Family Fun Night 4-7 p.m. Back parking lot
Daylight saving time ends. Set your clocks
back one hour!

November 3-7
November 11

Parent Conferences 11:40 dismissal

November 13

Veteran's Day-No School

November 21

Board of Trustees Meeting 5:30 p.m.

November 26-28

Awards Assembly 8:30 a.m.

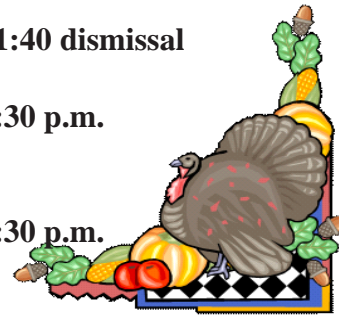
December 11

Thanksgiving Recess

December 22-January 9

Board of Trustees Meeting 5:30 p.m.

Winter Break



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