

Beechwood Weekly



Friday, September 17th, 2021

Upcoming Events, Deadlines & Notices

Noon Dismissal / Free Dress Day

Wednesday, September 22nd

*Reminder <u>ONLY</u> Minimum Days are Free Dress Days!!

Map Testing Has Been Postponed

Due to unforeseen circumstances, we are postponing MAP testing for 1-2 weeks. Once new dates have been identified, we will notify $3^{rd} - 8^{th}$ students and families.

Picture Day Is Coming!

Thursday, September 30th More info to come.



Attention 8th Grade Parents Schedule your High School Prep Conference

Please contact Mrs. Connolly to schedule a meeting for a High School Prep Conference. This will be held on campus before or after school. 8th grade students should also attend this meeting. Parents will earn a Parent Education Point for participating.

You can contact Mrs. Connolly at kconnolly@beechwoodschool.org
or at (650)387-7402

Covid-19 Vaccine Clinic

Sunday, September 19th, 9am-1pm, EPA See flyer attached for more information

Travel Reminder

We want to remind you that we need advance notification on extended absences. It is very difficult for teachers to generate material for students without advanced notification. If traveling outside of a 250-mile radius, we request that a negative COVID test be provided prior to returning to our school community. More detailed information to be posted/provided next week.

Gradelink

Gradelink Registration

Please watch for Gradelink sign-ups for all families. This is a required registration that will give families access

to attendance, social/emotional updates, academic record, parent point submission portal, grade reports for children and tuition balances.

- *6th-8th grade families were invited Wednesday night.
- *3rd-5th grade families will be invited today.
- *KP-2nd families will be invited on Monday.

Hispanic Heritage Month September 15-October 15





We have a diverse and vibrant community at Beechwood School. Hispanic Heritage Month is an important opportunity to explore, learn and share about Latino culture. In addition to resources shared via the newsletter, we expect to celebrate both in and outside of classrooms.

- Each year, Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 to October 15, by celebrating the histories, cultures and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America.
- The day of September 15th is significant because it is the anniversary of independence for Latin American countries Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua. In addition, Mexico and Chile celebrate their independence days on September 16th and September 18th, respectively. Also, Columbus Day or Día de la Raza, which is October 12, falls within this 30 day period.
 - Source: https://www.hispanicheritagemonth.gov/about/