



# Cougar Tales



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## Dates to Remember

### DECEMBER

- 02 End of First Trimester  
Street Sweeping  
JAT Pledge Collections Due
- 07 Fresh & Easy *Shop for Schools* Shopping Night, Bushard/Warner, 4:00-8:00 PM
- 13 Band Concert, MPR, 5:30 PM
- 14 Winter Concert, Masuda M.S., 6:30 PM
- 15 Winter Festival for Students
- 16 Street Sweeping  
Parent Notification of GATE  
Testing by U.S. Mail
- 19-31 Winter Recess

### JANUARY

- 02 Winter Recess
- 03 Return to School
- 05 Art Masters "*Native American*"
- 06 Street Sweeping
- 10 PTA Board Meeting, ESP Room 28  
8:00-10:00 AM
- 12 PTA General Meeting, Stage  
FV Skating Party, 2:00-4:00 PM
- 16 M.L. King Birthday – Holiday
- 19 "CPK" PTA Fundraiser @ Bella Terra.  
11:00 AM-9:00 PM, Flyer Required
- 20 Street Sweeping
- 27 Mid-trimester

### FEBRUARY

- 02 Art Masters "*Joseph Raffael*"  
PTA "McDonald's" Fundraiser  
for Grades K-2, Time TBD
- 03 Street Sweeping
- 13 Lincoln's Birthday - Holiday
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 17 Street Sweeping
- 20 Presidents' Day – Holiday

### MARCH

- 01 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Panorama Photo  
Art Masters "*African American*"
- 02 Street Sweeping
- 08 FV Skating Party, 2:00-4:00 PM  
PTA "McDonald's" Fundraiser  
for Grades 3-5, Time TBD
- 13 PTA Board Meeting, ESP Room 28
- 15 Kindergarten Round-up, 1:30 PM
- 16 Street Sweeping
- 28-30 Modified Days – Parent Conferences

## WINTER CONCERT

Presenting musicians from  
Courreges, Cox, Gisler, Moiola, and  
Oka Schools.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup>

6:30 PM

MASUDA MIDDLE SCHOOL

17415 LOS JARDINES WEST, FV



## Lost & Found

The Lost & Found is overflowing with good-looking jackets, sweaters, and other items. Please have your children check the tables in the bowl for any lost items that he/she may be missing. All items left over during winter break will be donated to a local charity.



## Quick Link

Parents, please visit our school's website for up-to-date school news and events, lunch menus, yearly calendar, etc., and a quick link to the PTA.

<http://rces-fvsc-ca.schoolloop.com/>

*Happy Holidays*

Winter Recess

12/19/11 - 01/02/12

## NOON SOCCER LEAGUE BEGINS!

Students in grades 3-5 have been given the opportunity to compete in our first noon soccer league during lunch. There are one to three teams represented from each classroom and teams compete against other teams from the same grade level. The winning teams from each grade level will enjoy a pizza party prior to winter break.

We see a lot of enthusiasm and spirit from so many students who are participating, both players and sideline cheerleaders. Additionally, this league has contributed to creating a safer and more positive lunch atmosphere; as students are generally more engaged and tend to have more positive interactions when organized games are being played. *Go Cougars!*

Many thanks to Jim Frederisy, Nicola Weiss, and all the other parent volunteers who have been helping to set-up and ref the soccer games each day. Great job!

## SCRIP

Don't miss an easy opportunity to make money for our school and help *you* with your shopping needs, especially during this busy holiday season! For your convenience, Scrip can be purchased at the Scrip table on the primary playground from 1:30-2:15 pm or at the entrance to the upper playground from 2:15-2:45 pm every Monday. If you have any questions, please contact CC Nelson @

714.791.0753 or  
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