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Juan de Anza Elementary School



Wednesday Envelope

Sept. 21, 2011



DISTRICT CALENDARS

Tedde - 2nd Calendar 2011-12

3rd - 5th Calendar 2011-12



September

21 - PTA Fundraiser Begins

October

5 - Picture Day

→ [From the Principal...](#)

Dear Anza Families: Thank you for helping to make a very smooth opening of the school year. Now that we are on our regular schedule, please take extra care for safety at drop-off and pick-up times. Please use the yellow crosswalk for safe crossing of the parking lot (the blue crosswalk is for handicapped parking only). Park only in legal, defined parking spaces. In the valet lines, please pull up as far as possible so that we can load multiple cars at the same time. Never leave your car unattended in the valet line. By working together, using common courtesy, and keeping safety as our top priority, we can all enjoy a safe and pleasant drop-off and pick-up. Thank you for doing your part!

Also, please be sure to read the Anza Handbook 2011-2012 online: [click here](#).

Chris Jones, Ed. D.
Principal

→ [PTA Corner](#)

We were so glad to see so many of you at the PTA meeting at Back to School night last week. Thank you for passing the budget so we can get to work! Membership in the PTA is important for everyone. We look forward to receiving your envelopes back soon. Also, please consider volunteering to help out in any of the many events we have planned for the year. There is a form in the flyer section below and there is a link at anzaeagles.org under the PTA tab (select Volunteers) or [\[click here\]](#)



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And while you are on the website, if you weren't able to stock up on Anza Wear [\[click here\]](#), you can find an easy order form there along with instructions for submitting payment. Thank you for your enthusiasm!



[Growing Great Garden Tedde - 2nd Grade News](#)

Welcome to another year of gardening fun! We are just about to start the Growing Great Garden lesson. It begins with volunteer training on **Tuesday, September 27, 2011 at 10:00 at Grandview Elementary Performing Arts Center, 2617 Bell Ave., Manhattan Beach, CA.** We will schedule our classroom lessons and planting during the first two weeks of October. The kids will learn about what parts of the plant we eat or about plant varieties, then grow their own edible plants, like broccoli, sweet peas, radishes, lettuce, and carrots. All volunteers are welcome, not just parents of Tedde, 1st or 2nd Graders, and the training is not a volunteer requirement, but it will give you great insights about teaching the classes and planting the gardens. We hope to see you on September 27! For more information about our school's Growing Great programs, see the link to the flyer below. Any questions? Contact Carolyn Sieve at cesieve@yahoo.com or call the PTA number and leave a message (310) 725-2150.



[School Site Council](#)

Anza School participates in a School Improvement Program. This program allows us to receive additional funding that we use to purchase supplementary materials, support our instructional aides, and to provide needed staff development.

An integral part of this state program is the School Site Council, an advisory group that assists in the planning, implementing, and evaluating of our school plan. Our Anza School Site Council meets on the third Tuesday of each month from 3:15 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the school.

If you would be interested in serving on this advisory committee, please [\[click here\]](#) and print out the form and send it in to your child's teacher. Or you may pick up a form in the school office. Your name will then be placed on the ballot for being a Parent Member of the Anza School Site Council. For this coming year, there are 3 two year positions and 2 one year positions open.

Thank you for considering serving on this important committee.

→ [Informational Flyers: Click this link for the whole list and old flyers.](#)

1. [School Site Council Interest Flyer](#)
2. [PTA Volunteer Sign-ups Flyer](#)
3. [My Escuelita: After School Spanish Immersion Class at Cabrillo](#)
4. [After School Tennis Lessons](#)
5. [PTA Proposed Budget for 2011-2012 school year](#)
6. [After School Chess Club](#)
7. [Growing Great Garden](#) (Tedde - Grade 2) and Nutrition (Grade 3 - Grade 5) Programs
8. [September School Lunch Calendar Tedde/Kinder](#)
9. [September School Lunch Calendar 1st -5th](#)
10. [September PTA Calendar](#)
11. [Anza School Handbook 2011-2012](#) (hard copies available in office)
12. [Annual Notification to Parents 2011-2012](#) (Spanish available in office)

→ [Anza Book Fair in person and **ONLINE!**](#)

The Anza Book Fair has closed shop in the Anza Library. The **Online Anza Book Fair is still Open until September 25th**. Books purchased online will ship to Anza School and be distributed to the Anza students as soon as they arrive in a few weeks. Thank you to our families for your wonderful support of the Book Fair.

You can access the **Book Fair ONLINE** [\[click here\]](#)

→ [Did You Know?](#)

Founded in 1896, the Wiseburn School District is the second oldest school district in the South Bay (only Redondo Beach is older). We are proud to have been serving our students for over a century!

→ [Ralphs Fundraiser - ACTION REQUIRED!!!](#)



Even if your Ralphs card was previously set up to credit Anza **you need to do it again**. Please log into your account, select Community Rewards, and type in Juan de Anza. We use this fundraiser to pay for our PE Instructional Aide position in grades 1-

3. You can directly support this program by signing up and encouraging friends and family to sign up by forwarding this email - it really makes a difference!

To enroll/reelect Anza as a beneficiary in the **Ralph's Fundraising program** please [click here](#).

You will need to sign in or create a new account and provide your Ralph's Reward number. Please be sure to select [Juan de Anza](#) as your school to contribute to.

We thank you!!!

→ [Box Tops for Education](#)



Please continue to save your Box Tops and have your student turn them in to their classroom teacher. This year's goal is \$2,000.00. In addition, you can shop online with over 140 retail merchants at the Box Tops Marketplace, and eBox tops will be donated to Anza with every qualifying purchase. Please [click here](#) to enroll!!!

→ [Do You Have A Target REDcard???](#)



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Register your card TODAY

Register your Target REDcard today and 1% of all eligible Target and Target.com purchases will go back to our school!!! Sign up today!! [\[click here to enroll\]](#)

→ [Report An Absence](#)

Regular school attendance is vital to student success. To report

your child's absence, please [email](#) the Attendance Clerk by 9:00 a.m. the following information: **student's full name, teacher's name, date of absence, reason for absence, caller's name and relationship to the student, a contact phone number.** If you have any questions or comments, please call Ivett at **(310) 725-2136.**

[Posting for the Anza Newsletter](#)

If you have a submission for the Anza Newsletter the deadline is the preceding Monday before 9 a.m. Please click [here](#) for posting requirements.

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