

January 15, 2021

## LETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Families,

As we enter our 3rd week in January and celebrate Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday, let us remember his peaceful approach to recognizing equality and civil rights. Even 50 years later, his thoughts and ideas are very relevant. I hope for a peaceful transfer of power on Wednesday.

Enjoy the long weekend.

Warm regards,

Patrick Eagle

## FRIDAY'S ASSEMBLY VIDEO

<https://www.wevideo.com/view/2006591816>

## MONDAY HOLIDAYS/WEDNESDAY INSTRUCTION

Over the next two months we will have 3 Monday holidays (1/18, 2/8, 2/15). During these short weeks, we will **not** have Warne Wednesday. Teachers will have at least one zoom meeting that day and will provide assignments for students to complete. Thanks for your help!

## PTO MEETING

Join us for the PTO meeting Wednesday 1/20 at 5:30 pm via Zoom. Here is the link to join:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82557567189?pwd=eTIQbUFzb3p6R1NTUi9INGErTXI6UT09>

## KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION NIGHT

On Thursday, 1/21, at 6:00 pm, we are holding a virtual Kindergarten information night. Please pass this information along to anyone you know who might be signing up their child for next year's Kindergarten. See [MWUSD.org](http://MWUSD.org) for more information.

## ENROLLMENT FOR 2021-2022:

Our District has started accepting online applications for all grades next school year, which will begin next August. You are now able to visit the district website to start the process. Click on this link to begin.

<https://markwestusd.asp.aeries.net/air/>

## ART FOR MR. COSTA

As some of you may already know, Wendy Costa's (lunch lady and office assistant extraordinaire) husband, Mr. Costa (the friendly man with the white Mickey Mouse hands who directed traffic in the morning) has been ill. He loves art, and is an artist himself. He would be thrilled to receive any drawing, coloring, or painting that your child might want to create. They can send in their artwork with their completed schoolwork and we'll be sure he gets it.



## A NOTE FROM COACH BRE

Hope everyone is healthy and well! Here is this week's PE Video & Worksheet for the week. This will be the last week of the Chinese jump rope unit.

[PE with Coach Bre Week #16.pdf](#)  
<https://youtu.be/ceDGuCxYz8w>

Winners of last week's Challenge and gift card to Pages on the Green Bookstore. (I'll have their prize in the office by 1pm on Wednesday)

Jade Peterson- Mr. Menth 6th grade- San Miguel  
Jaxon Hughson

Thank You to Joe Sobolewski of Edward Jones for sponsoring the Challenge!

Please continue to encourage your students to move each day! Exercise, of course, has many physical rewards but perhaps the mental/emotional benefits of exercise might be what your students are needing during challenging times.

Thank You,  
Breanne Bush  
'Coach Bre'

## NORTH BAY SCIENCE DISCOVERY DAY

The North Bay Discovery Center is hosting a virtual science event on Saturday March 13th. Click [here](#) for the flyer.

## A NOTE FROM THE MUSIC TEACHER

Want to support music and arts education in the Mark West Union School District? Consider joining the Mark West Education Foundation! We are currently seeking volunteers for the positions of **secretary** and **treasurer**. Please contact Shannon Duffy at [mwef@mwusd.org](mailto:mwef@mwusd.org) if you are interested or have any questions.

## UPCOMING DATES

**1/18/21 - Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday, school holiday**

1/20/21 - Student materials pick up day

1/20/21 - Lunch Distribution

1/20/21 - PTO meeting via Zoom, 5:30 pm

1/21/21 - Kindergarten Zoom Info night 6:00 pm

**2/8/21 - Lincoln's Birthday**

**2/15/21 - Presidents' Day**

**2/26/21 - Non Instruction day (unused emergency day)**