

Guajome Learning Centers

VOLUME 1, ISSUE 1

OCTOBER 19, 2011

Superintendent Report

Welcome to Guajome Learning Centers (GLC). You are a part of a brand new program which will continue to provide new and unique learning opportunities for your student! We hope that you take full advantage of all that GLC offers.

What makes GLC different from many of the other Independent Studies programs? First, our blended approach of classroom courses and academic support are available Monday - Friday. Additionally, computer lab access is also available Monday - Friday. Finally, our after school enrichment programs offer a variety of rich and practical learning experiences for many of our students.

The following enrichment courses are offered on our GPA campus:

- Choir and Orchestra
- Drumline
- Drama
- Science Fair
- Performance Ensemble/Jazz

For times, locations and schedules, please visit our Guajome Park Academy web site. Schedules are posted throughout. They can also be easily found under the Student header link on the top of the page.

Additionally, we have established a partnership with the Antique Gas and Steam Engine Museum which offers a course catalog for a variety of experience ranging from, but not limited to: wood-working, copper sheet folding, furniture restoration, weaving, gardening, crafts, and sewing. We strongly encourage you and your student to take advantage of these classes. For our younger students, parents can join in these activities with them. What a great opportunity to establish some special bonding time with your student. For our high school students, high school elective credits can be earned upon your supervising teacher's approval. See them for more information. Also, high school students are eligible to participate in CIF athletics. Students can compete with the GPA sports teams in baseball, volleyball, soccer, track and field, basketball, golf and other sanctioned sports programs. Please see Chris Findell, the GPA Athletic Director, for more information. Mr. Findell can be reached at (760) 631-8500.

Just a reminder that there is a variety of information located on our GPA web site (www.guajome.net) ranging from our student handbook to course catalogs as well as a variety of schedules which support your students enrichment and academic experiences. Additionally, students will be bringing forth during our November Board meeting proposals for school colors and mascots. Finally, please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions. Wishing you an exciting school year!!

Bob Hampton
Superintendent

Important Dates

NO SCHOOL 10/21

CAHSEE PREP 10/28

REACH HIGHER Youth Empowerment Program (YEP)

REACH Higher YEP is an after-school program aiming to improve the quality of life of youth and their families through education, health, cultural identity, and civic engagement. REACH Higher YEP is located at Vista High School in room S1.

Open Monday - Friday from 2 - 6 p.m.

- ◆ Supported by California State University, San Marcos
 - ◆ Free of charge
- ◆ Offered to all high school students residing in Vista, CA.

Family Nights

Third Friday of the month

October 21, 2011

6 - 8:30 p.m.

AGSEM's Pepsi Refresh Grant Application



Each month The PEPSI-COLA Company makes over **1 MILLION DOLLARS** available to projects which will improve communities through an **ONLINE**, democratic **VOTING** process.

START VOTING NOV. 1ST.

Pepsi has selected AGSEM's Project titled: **"Bring Enrichment & Lost Arts Classes to Military Families & K-12 Students"** to compete in their **\$50,000 & Education Grant** categories during **November**.

Only the **Projects** with the **Top Ten Highest Votes** get Funded.

Please Help Us Win Pepsi's Funding!

Vote at www.refresheverything.com

Texting & Mobile Apps.
Information will be available at www.agsem.com
or
Follow Us on

This grant will enable AGSEM to offer these classes **FREE of CHARGE** to Military Families and K-12 Students.

JUST

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY!!! CLICK! YOU'LL HELP MILITARY & K-12!

Please post this reminder where you'll see it often! Thank you for helping.

You may cast up to FIVE (5) Votes per day.

Vote for After-School & Weekend Classes of AGSEM.

Help Raise Money for GLC!

TAKE CHARGE OF EDUCATION*

Go to www.target.com/tcoe

Reward your school.*

Click on "Enroll in Take Charge of Education"

Enter Target School ID: 152414



The REDcard™

When you use your REDcard, Target will donate up to 1% of your purchases to our school.

Counseling Department News

JUST A REMINDER THAT THE SCHEDULE CHANGE WINDOW HAS CLOSED FOR THIS SEMESTER.

CST INCENTIVE (GRADE BUMP)

Attention all students, if you attended Guajome Park Academy last year (Main Campus, ELC, or IS), you may be eligible for a CST Grade Bump if you scored Proficient, Advanced, or improved a level on your CSTs. Please be sure to submit your CST Incentive Forms to Ms. Maiden, Registrar (in the Counseling Department), by October 31st. Please see any GLC teacher for the CST Incentive Forms.

COUNSELING APPOINTMENTS

Attention GLC students and parents, if you would like to meet with your School Counselor, please call Ms. Kay at 760-631-8500 x1210 or visit the Counseling Department to schedule an appointment. Students: if there is an urgent matter that you would like to discuss, please stop by the Counseling Department, and a Counselor will meet with you as soon as possible.

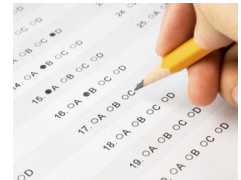
Community Service



Attention Students: A reminder that all GLC students are required to complete a minimum of 30 hours of Community Service per school year. For more information, please see the GLC Course Catalog. For community service opportunities, please check page four of this Hot Sheet.

GLC CAHSEE

The Counseling Department will be offering a mini-prep workshop for GLC Juniors and Seniors who still need to pass the CAHSEE. The workshop will be held in the GLC classroom on Friday, October 28th from 11 a.m. -12p.m. Invitations and reminder passes will be sent out to students.



Apply for a Free Computer

The San Diego Public Library has partnered with [Computers 2 SD Kids](#) to provide computers to kids and families in need.

Step 1: Sign-up for an Introductory Computer Class at the Library

Computers 2 SD Kids' skilled volunteers will guide you through computer basics including caring for your computer, security, Internet access, e-mail procedures, Microsoft Office, and access to library resources.

Note: Attendance at this class is required before you receive a computer.

Step 2: Receive Your Computer and Take it Home

After you take the Introductory Computer Class and are determined to qualify for the Technology Assistance Program, arrangements will be made for you to pick up your computer from the Computers 2 SD Kids site and take it home. Each computer is loaded with Microsoft Windows and Office Suite software. Computers 2 SD Kids provides free computer and software support.

Sign-up For Introductory Computer Classes at Either of These Participating Libraries

(Classes held 4th Saturday of each month unless otherwise noted)

Malcom X Branch Library

5148 Market St, San Diego, CA 92114 - (619) 527-3405

Serra Mesa/Kearny Mesa Branch Library

9005 Aero Dr, San Diego, CA 92123 - (858) 573-1396

Student Expectations

Students, please remember that on-site access to all seminars, labs and support classes, and programs are a privilege and not a right. Attendance, behavior, and academic compliance must be maintained at all times to maintain these privileges. Also, please refer to the Student Handbook for more information on our Student Intervention Policy. Students who do not maintain a minimum of a 2.0 grade point average may not be eligible to participate in school-sponsored extracurricular activities.

SENIORS!

ALL SENIOR PHOTOS MUST BE CHOSEN* ONLINE BY OCT. 30TH

MAKE AN APPOINTMENT ASAP BY CALLING

(760) 434 – 5252

SENIOR QUOTES

MUST BE EMAILED TO: GUAJOMEPARKACADEMYYEARBOOK @GMAIL.COM

BY OCT. 30TH

IF PHOTOS ARE FOR YEARBOOK PURPOSES *ONLY*, THEY ARE FREE.

Community Service Opportunities

Oceanside SUN 2011

Saturday, October 22, 2011

Pre-registration deadline is October 12, 2011

Volunteers participating in this neighborhood enhancement project will help make improvements to properties in the Eastside neighborhood bordering Marquette Street, Dubuque Street, San Diego Street and Santa Barbara Street.

Scholarships!

10/25/2011 Better Business Bureau Essay

Grade 12 Amount: \$500 - \$1,500

<http://sandiego.bbb.org/bbb-torch-awards-for-marketplace-ethics/>

(For more scholarships go to: www.guajome.net; Counseling tab; scholarships)

Main Campus Clubs

If you would like to join or participate in any of the clubs offered on main campus, please make sure to sign in and out at the front desk.

	Activity	Time	Location	Teacher
Monday	MS ASB <i>Officer's Meeting</i>	11:05 - 11:35 a.m.	Room 4127	Jones
	MS Builders Club	11:05 - 11:35 a.m.	Room 3202	Petersen
	HS ASB <i>(All ASB)</i>	12:15 - 12:45 p.m.	Room 3221	Hamamoto

	Activity	Time	Location	Teacher
Tuesday	MS ASB <i>(All ASB)</i>	11:05 - 11:35 a.m.	Room 4127	Jones
	HS Key Club	12:15 - 12:45 p.m.	Room 3109	Hamamoto
	Yearbook Club	3:05 - 4:30 p.m.	Room 1106	Sherman

	Activity	Time	Location	Teacher
Wednesday	Christian Club	12:15 - 12:45 p.m.	Room 2238	Findell
	Newspaper Club	12:15 - 12:45 p.m.	Room 3221	Harper

	Activity	Time	Location	Teacher
Thursday	Winter Formal / Prom Committee	12:15 - 12:45 p.m.	Room 1103	Hamamoto
	Discussion Club	12:15 - 12:45 p.m.	Room 3127	Anderson, B.
	MS Volleyball 10/20, 10/27, 11/10, 11/17	3:30 - 5:30 p.m.	Gym	Ruiz

	Activity	Time	Location	Teacher
Friday	HS ASB <i>(All ASB)</i>	12:15 - 12:45 p.m.	Room 3221	Hamamoto
	International Thespian Society	12:15 - 12:45 p.m.	Stage	Canaletti
	MS Volleyball 11/4, 12/2, 12/9, 12/16	3:30 - 5:30 p.m.	Gym	Ruiz