

# El Granada Elementary School

Cabrillo Unified School District • Carrie Betti, Principal



## ***FEBRUARY 2012***

### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

<b>February</b>	
<b>2</b>	<b>Farnsworth, Kennedy, Stanley, Walsh – Field Trip – Academy of Sciences 8:15-2:00</b>
<b>3, 10, 17</b>	<b>Friday Coffee/Scrip</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>See's Candy Sales End</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>Staff Development – 12:50 Dismissal for all students  PTO Meeting – 7:00 p.m. Library</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>Board Meeting 7:00 p.m. – D.O.</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>DLAC Mtg. 6:00-8:00 p.m. D.O.</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>Valentine's Day</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>Family Math Night 6:00-7:30p.m.</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>Kindergarten Visitation 8:30-9:30 (Parents only please)</b>
<b>20-24</b>	<b>President's Week – No School</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>4th Grades – Monterey Bay Aquarium 8:00-4:00</b>

### **BOOK OF THE MONTH – Honey I Love and Other Poems by Greenfield**

Sixteen poems tell of love and the simple joys of everyday life, seen through the eyes of a child playing with a friend, skipping rope, riding on a train, or keeping mama company. Honey, I Love is a book of poetry that begs to be read aloud.

### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH – 12:50 RELEASE!!**

Parents, please take note. Tuesday, February 7, is a Staff Development day, and students will be released at **12:50**. **Please remember to pick up your children. Busses will pick up at 12:50.**

### **KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION BEGINS EARLY THIS YEAR!**

Schools will begin registering students on Tuesday, January 17, 2012. The documents needed to register a student are: Birth Certificate or Baptismal Record, or Passport, Current Immunization Records, **and** Proof of residency: PG&E bill, Water Bill, etc. Please let your friends and families know that kindergarten registration begins early this year.

### **WHERE ARE MY CLOTHES?**

Please come check in our Lost & Found next time you are on campus. We have many "lost" items, and one of them might be your child's!

### **PHOTOS NEEDED We Want Your Photos! \*\*\***

The yearbook committee needs your photos! Please turn in any pictures you've taken of events that have been happening at school. If you want your pictures returned, please make sure they are labeled with your name, your child's name, grade and teacher. Thank you for contributing to our school yearbook.

### **FAMILY MATH NIGHT- FEBRUARY 15<sup>TH</sup>**

Please join us for an Everyday Math Family Fun Night in the MU from 6:00-7:30. Come learn about math games, new math concepts, and how to support your students at home with math.

### **EVERYDAY MATH RESOURCES ONLINE FOR THE HOME**

Our district math program Everyday Math has resources for families and students on-line. Parents & students can access demonstration videos of math concepts taught in class to reinforce their learning. There are fun interactive math games as well. You can find the Everyday Math link on our school web site or at: [http://em-ccss.everydaymathonline.com/g\\_login.html](http://em-ccss.everydaymathonline.com/g_login.html) Each student in our school has a log in name and pass code that is unique to each child. If you have questions, please contact your teacher.

### **TECHNOLOGY ON CAMPUS**

Have you seen the new SMART Boards in action in our upper grade classrooms yet? If not... stop on by! Teachers and students are enjoying their new resources and actively engaged in great visual and interactive supports for their learning. Our computer lab has been open and is getting regular use by classroom teachers. Please contact your teacher to see if they need volunteers to help support with computers inside their classroom and the computer lab.

### **PARENT APPRECIATIONS**

Thank you to all the volunteers who come on campus to support students. Your time and generous support is appreciated by all!