



Quail Run Explorer Treks

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This Week at Quail Run			
Day - Week "A"	Event	Time	Location
Mon./Feb. 23			
Tues./Feb. 24	Helping Hands	8:00 - 11:30 am	Teacher Workroom
Wed./Feb. 25	Black History Month Assembly Site Council Meeting 1,2,3 Magic Book Club Parent Series - IEP Process	9:00 am Grades 3,4,5 10:00 am Grades K,1,2 3:00 pm 5:00 - 6:00 pm 7:00 - 9:00 pm	MPR MPR QR Library DV High School
Thurs./Feb. 26	Super Franks Fun Family Night	5:00 - 8:00 pm	Pleasanton
Fri./Feb. 27	Crazy Hair or Hat Day Soul Shoppe Assembly End of Second Trimester	8:00 - 2:30 pm 8:00 - 2:30 pm	All Students/Staff Library

Upcoming Events

- Mar. 2 Dr. Seuss's Birthday/
Read Across America
- Mar. 2 - 27 3rd Grade Benchmark Write
- Mar. 3 Spring Fling Mtg
- Mar. 3 & 4 4th Grade STAR Write
- Mar. 4 Breakfast Book Club
- Mar. 6 QR Learning Fund
- Mar. 9 District Write
Grades K - 2, & 5
- Mar. 12 Vocal Music Concert -
5th Grade



Mar. 16 - 20	Conferences & Book Fair
Mar. 18th	Science Fair
Mar. 19th	PTA Mtg - Steve Enoch

Parent Reminders

Don't forget this fun event- Thursday, February 26th - Super Franks Fun Adventure - 5:00 - 8:00 pm
Our Quail Run Learning Fund and our PTA are joining together for a fundraiser at Super Franks. A fun night for all is planned. Participating students will receive a "no homework" pass for the evening!

[Click Here](#)

Conference Week - March 16 - 20

Kindergarten remains on the regular schedule.
Grades 1 - 5 are on minimum schedule. 8:00 - 11:40 everyday.

Reminder - Students and siblings should not be left on the playground unattended. There are no staff members on duty after 11:55 am. Please make arrangements for your children if they are not having a conference. Thank you.

Science Fair - March 18th 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

3rd, 4th & 5th grade students will have their projects displayed in the MPR. Come see the amazing work of our students.

PTA Association/General Meeting -

March 19th - 6:30 pm

Superintendent Steve Enoch will be the special guest at our PTA Meeting. This meeting will take place during conference week and will be held in our Multi Purpose Room.

Book Fair is Coming - March 16 - 20

Your help in the library is greatly needed for our school to have a successful book fair. Please contact Mrs. Shaw at mshaw@srvusd.net if you would like to volunteer in the library. Thank you! [Click Here](#)

4th & 5th Grade Girls - Mother/Daughter Book Club -

Sign up now - don't miss out - space is limited.

Book Club will meet Thursday, March 26th and May 7th

7:00 - 8:30 pm in the QR Library. [Click Here](#) for more information.

Black History Month - "Read-In"

Two assemblies are scheduled for February 25th. A video clip of Betty Suskind, who at 87 is one of our oldest forest rangers and a poem by Maya Angelou will be shown.

[Click Here](#) for more information.

All Students and Staff -

**Student Council is having -
"Crazy Hair or Hat Day - Friday, February 27th" -
All students at Quail Run are requested to participate.**

A Parent Workshop Series on Special Education -

The third workshop on The IEP Process will be on February 25th will be on Achieving Success. This workshop will be from 7:00 - 9:00 pm and will take place at Dougherty Valley High School, Room 1219. [Click Here](#)

Spring Fling Meeting - March 3rd at 9:30 am

Don't miss out on volunteering for this great event. Please come to this meeting to meet and talk about what volunteer positions are available. Many parents are needed for this fun event. The Spring Fling is May 8th here at Quail Run.

Reminder - Label your children's coats, jackets, and sweaters. Items are donated that are not claimed. With labels, the items could be returned.

Food Drive continues -

Quail Run food drive will continue throughout the school year. The barrel is in the office and your donations may be dropped off before, during, or after school. Donations may include canned goods, macaroni, peanut butter and many other items. The Food Bank of Contra Costa appreciates your generosity.

Flyers to take a look at:

Super Franks Fun Adventure - [Click Here](#)

February Menu - [Click here](#)

Parent Workshop Series on Special Education - [Click Here](#)

Diablo Scorpio Lacross - [Click here](#)

District 2009/2010 Calendar - [Click Here](#)

1, 2, 3 Magic - Parent Class - [Click Here](#)

Tri Valley Soccer Club - [Click Here](#)

San Ramon Little League - [Click Here](#)

English for Beginners - Adult Class - [Click Here](#)

Personal Automobile Use Permission Form - [Click Here](#)

Black History Month - Read In - [Click Here](#)

BandWorks School of Rock Summer Camp - [Click Here](#)

Youth Flag Football Leagut - [Click Here](#)

Youth Cheerleading - [Click Here](#)

Spring Break Basketball Camp - [Click Here](#)

Mother/Daughter Book Club - [Click Here](#)

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Events

Divorce Support Groups for Children -

Children Ages 6 - 8 and 9 - 11 are welcome to join ongoing support groups held at the Discovery Counseling Center, Danville. The groups meet Thursdays at 4:30 - 5:30 pm. The fee for each meeting is \$40.

Quail Run Learning Fund

Are you interested in getting involved in the Quail Run community? If you are interested, please contact Dorothy Reyes at Dorothy@Bentomusic.com

Next Meeting - March 6th at 8:15 a.m.

[Yearbook Volunteers Needed](#) - Are you interested in helping with the yearbook?

If you are willing to help out with this year's yearbook, please contact Amy Hinson at mahinson@sbcglobal.net

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A few dates to remember:

February 26	Super Franks Fun Adventure 5:00 - 8:00 pm
February 27	Crazy Hair or Hat Day
March 3,4	Fourth Grade STAR Write
March 16 - 20	Spring Conferences
March 18	Science Fair
March 19	PTA Meeting - Special Guest Steve Enoch
April 6 - 10	Spring Break
April 15	Volunteer Tea
April 20 - May 15	STAR Testing Grades 2 - 5
May 4 - 8	Teacher Appreciation Week
May 8	Spring Fling
May 28	Open House

Gift Wrap Fundraiser

[Click here](#) to continue supporting the students at Quail Run by selecting items through our fundraiser. Easy to do online. The Holiday Fundraiser is still available throughout the 2008-2009 school year via online to those individuals who would like to continue to support our school. Thanks again for your support!

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Reminders to Parents -

Kindergarten Registration for School Year 2009/2010 -

If your child will be 5 by December 2, 2009, you may pick up your Kindergarten Enrollment packet in the school office. To pick up the packet you must provide required proof-of-residency documentation: Proof of residence must be verified by one item from each category below:

- › Current picture ID of parent/guardian: Driver's license, CA issued ID, passport, military ID, **and**
- › Current mortgage statement, Escrow papers that show close of sale no later than 7 calendar days after the student's first day of school, grant deed, property tax bill, lease/rental agreement including property address, names of occupants, signatures of both parties with 2 months of canceled checks or bank transfer records within the school year **and**
- › Current PG&E or water bill with name and address listed (within 45 days for new home purchases/rentals).

Additional documentation may be required for further verification. Documentation may include but is not limited to:

- › Income tax records reflecting the child's district residency address
- › Court documents including custodial responsibilities
- › Billing statement
- › Vehicle registration
- › Payroll check stub with name and address

Summer School Dates -

Dates to keep in mind -Summer School session dates are - June 19 - July 17.
The time of summer school is 8:15am - 12:05pm. There will be no school on Friday, July 3. Students are allowed to miss only 3 days of Academic Summer

School.

Missing the First Three Days of School 2009-10-

Please plan your summer vacations carefully. Because our district is growing, schools are very full and many continue to have wait lists. The first day of school is Tuesday August 25, 2009.

As in the past, if your child does not attend the first three days of school, your student will be dropped from the school.

In that event, you will need to reenroll your student. A space at your resident school will not be held for your child. If there is not space at your resident school when you return, your child will be placed at the closest school based on space availability.

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