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**THE ANALY HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER
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PRINCIPALLY SPEAKING ~ ~

April begins with STAR testing which will be held April 7th and 8th and April 21st and 22nd for all 9th, 10th, and 11th graders. In addition, the National PE testing for all 9th graders will be held during this time period. The schedules will be posted for these dates on our website by Friday, April 3rd. Please make a point of printing out these schedules and familiarizing yourselves with them. Spring Break is April 13-17; therefore, STAR testing is held before and after Spring Break. These are very important tests for your student and Analy High School. Please make every effort to assure that your student arrives on time and ready to take these tests on the scheduled dates.

Under the direction of Starr Hergenrather, our Theater Arts program will be presenting "Beauty and the Beast". The show opens on Thursday, April 23rd. We hope that you will come and enjoy this wonderful musical performed by our talented students and you never know.....you might be surprised by additional cast members! Don't miss these performances, they are sure to be entertaining! For more information regarding show times and ticket information, please check our website.

Don't miss the Booster's Annual Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, April 25th in the Cafeteria. This is a wonderful event that is enjoyed by all and is a great way to kick off the Apple Blossom Festival while supporting the AHS Booster Club! Our own NCS and SCL Champion Varsity Boys Basketball team will be there to meet some of their fans and let them know how much they appreciated their support during the season.

Open House will be held Thursday, April 30th. Teachers and students work hard to make this a worthwhile event for parents and we hope we hope you will attend . Families who are interested in Analy High School are also encouraged to attend.

Go Tigers!

Chris Heller
Principal

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION NEWS

SPRING HAS SPRUNG! And the **Analy High School Education Foundation** has just the cure for your spring fever! Join us Saturday, May 2, at 2pm for the second annual Appetite for Education fundraiser at the **French Garden Restaurant**.

Come taste the delectable nibbles of the French Garden and sip the nectar of fine local wines while bidding on over 200 items in the silent auction. Create rivalry among your friends or create friendships from the rivalry that will occur while bidding on live auction items, such as the fine packages described below:

Honey Don't

A fun package to "tease" the man in the house....includes a \$500 gift certificate to Sebastopol Hardware coupled with a talented, tall, dark and handsome contractor who will work for up to three days to get those home and garden projects done!

Heaven on Earth

A package for romance, relaxation, and revival....includes a gift certificate to Osmosis Spa, dinner at Bistro des Copains, and one-night stay at the Inn at Occidental...right in our backyard, but feels like hundreds of miles away (without the commute!).

Tickets are \$50 per person and can be obtained by sending a check to AHSEF c/o AHS, 6950 Analy Ave., Sebastopol, CA 95472. Or for more information and to purchase tickets on-line, please visit our website at <http://www.appetiteforeducation.org>.

Be sure to check out our business donors and buy local! Special thanks to our sponsors of Appetite for Education: Dan Smith and Joan Marler of the French Garden Restaurant; Spaulding, McCullough and Tansil, LLP; Winzler and Kelly; Wells Fargo Bank; Sonoma Bank; Sebastopol Kiwanis Club; Rocky Camp and Kim Caruso; Kevin Kearney.

Appetite for Education will contribute essential financial support to Analy High School. Funding for our schools means funding the future of our children and the future of our community.

Analy High School

Tutoring Center

Monday - Thursday, 9:00 – 4:00

Analy's Tutorial Center is located in the Library. The Center offers free tutoring for all academic subjects to Analy students during free periods and after school.

The tutors are all volunteers and include students, parents, and adults from the community. Tutoring sessions are conducted one-on-one and in small groups. If your student asks for help, s/he will be matched with a tutor and then will meet for an hour or so per week in the library

The Center also maintains lists of paid tutors for students who cannot meet with a tutor during Tutoring Center hours.

The Center also provides help with Study Skills, Test Taking Tips, Exam Prep, Note Taking, and Learning Styles. Come by and check it out!

For more information, contact Ms. Mangan at 824-2194 or Lmangan@analy.org

Or visit the Center's web page

[Analy Homepage > Library > Tutoring Center](#)

"All things are difficult before they are easy." Thomas Fuller

Analy Band & Orchestra News

Upcoming Dates

April 1-5	Disneyland Trip
April 25	Apple Blossom Parade and CMEA Orchestra Festival
May 8	Interact Benefit – Jazz Band
May 9	ABW's Moonlight Serenade – Jazz Band
May 20	Spring Concert
May 30	Guys Can Cook Too – Rotary Fundraiser – Jazz Band

Disneyland Trip

Tentative Schedule for students attending the trip April 1-5:

Wed., April 1 Leave after school via chartered buses. Arrive at Anaheim Fairfield Inn by Marriott at approx. midnight.

Thurs., April 2 Combined bands march in the Disneyland parade. Time TBD.

Fri., April 3 Jazz band performs at Disneyland's Carnation Plaza Gardens Stage. Time TBD. AND

Honor band and String Orchestra perform in the Music in the Parks Festival competition. Yorba Linda Forum Theater, approximately 5 - 7 PM.

Sat., April 4 Music in the Parks Festival awards ceremony at Disneyland at 5 PM. Location at the Festival Arena.

Sun., April 5 Return to Analy approximately 6 PM.

Apple Blossom Parade & CMEA Orchestra Festival

The combined bands march in the Apple Blossom Parade on Sat., April 25th. Tentative time for practice plus marching in the parade is 7:30-10:45 AM. Times are subject to change.

The full Symphonic Orchestra then leaves by bus at 11:30 AM for the CMEA Orchestra Festival at Deer Valley High School in Antioch. Open to the public. Performance and critique at 2 PM. Return to Analy by 5:30 PM in time for the evening performance of the musical.

Band and Orchestra News (cont.)

Interact Benefit

The Jazz band will be playing on Friday, May 8th in the evening. Time/Location TBD.

Awards

To be eligible for the end-of-year awards, students must have a grade of B or higher each semester and have all of their class costs paid in full. We request that class costs be paid by May 10th.

Spring Concert

Be sure to mark your calendar, you do not want to miss this wonderful night. Remember the **performance starts at 6:30 PM sharp!!!** Tickets: \$5.00 adults, \$4.00 boosters & senior citizens, \$3.00 students, children 5 years and under are free. Families with last names N – Z are asked to donate 2 dozen goodies for the snack table. CD's may be ordered at the concert for \$12.

Guys Can Cook, Too

The Jazz Band will be performing at the 11th Annual "Guys Can Cook, Too!" food & wine event benefiting the local and international projects of the Rotary Club of Sebastopol Sunrise. Please visit: www.guyscancook.co for more information on this fun event.

Thank you

We have been busy with the Middle School Tour, Swing Dance and Mini-Festival already behind us. None of these events would have been successful without our parent volunteers. A special thank you to Jim Humphreys and John Sawyer, our judges for the Mini Festival. Also, Penny Sides, Suzanne and Gerry Blue who provided direct training and support for our new Program Coordinator, Marilee Groth.

Contact Information

Families, please send your e-mail address to mgroth@analy.org for up-to-date information about the Band and Orchestra program. Parents may also call Marilee at 824-2337 to con-

PROJECT GRADUATION

It's April and Graduation is just around the corner! The Project Graduation Committee is finalizing all the arrangements for the big gala on June 11th! We are still in need of volunteers to help supervise the evening of the big event. You can help with the set-up or the clean up on the 12th, or work a four-hour shift the evening of the event. Spots are still open and all parents of Freshmen, Sophomore's and Juniors are invited and highly encouraged to attend. Please call Becky Raymond at 823-8001 to sign up.

We are coming down the home stretch in planning the best graduation party ever! Get ready to have some fun and congratulations to the graduating class of 2009!

Remember.....PROJECT GRADIATION starts now!!

NEWS FROM THE THEATRE DEPARTMENT

Analy Arts Theatre Department has been busy since the beginning of the semester. We took *The Crucible* to the Lenaea Festival, a Thespian Festival for high school student from around the state, in Sacramento at the SC campus. We also presented monologues and duos. Although we brought home no awards we felt successful in our presentations, gleaning more tools of the trade, and had fun.

Analy Arts Theatre Dept. is hosting a fundraiser at Mary's Pizza on Apr. 6th to raise \$ for our Oregon Shakespeare Festival, Ashland Trip at the end of the school year and the department. Just get yourself one of our flyers from a Theatre Arts student and come on down to Mary's Pizza on **Apr. 6th** and have a meal – we get 20% of the till.

As we move into the spring we are gearing up for our musical production: **A Tale as Old as Time, *Beauty and the Beast***. The Disney musical adaptation of the French fairy tale, "La Belle et la Bete" is being produced by Analy Arts 2009 theatrical crew led by director, Starr Hergenrather, with Musical Direction by Eddie Guthman, from Waldorf Summerfield School, Choreography by Virginia Matthews, and Costumer Design by Tomi Smith. We have an amazing crew of parents that are heading up the design and construction of our set of whom we are forever grateful.

The story is the tale of an arrogant Prince who refused to help an old woman take shelter in his castle from the cold. She offered him a rose in return for help but he again refused her, repulsed by her haggard face. Little did he know she was a powerful enchantress so upon his second refusal she turned him into a beast and all the inhabitants of his castle fell under her spell as well. The Beast's only release was for him to learn to find love in his heart and before the last petal of the rose fell. Meanwhile, at a near by village there lived a beautiful, but lonely, young woman named Belle....

This play has delighted young and old. It is **the** classic love story. We are having such a fun time with this show and working hard – this is a big show that we hope you will not miss.

Beauty and the Beast runs for 8 shows – Apr. 24, 25, 30, May 1 & 2 at 7:30 pm and two matinees Apr. 26th (a Benefit performance for Architects Without Borders (www.awb.iohome.net)) and May 2nd at 2:00 pm. Tea with Belle and Mrs. Potts will be served in the library after the matinees for children 10 and under. Tickets \$10 available at Copperfield's Book Store, Sebastopol's People's Music after April 1st and at the door. Please call the Box Office for more information: 707 824-2360

BOOSTER NEWS

Special Invitation to All Analy Parents

Come and enjoy refreshments and meet the Analy Booster Board Members. We will be serving refreshments during our monthly meeting in the Analy library on Monday, April 6 at 6:00. We would welcome all who could attend this informational meeting to experience the workings of your Analy Booster Club.

Maybe you would like to participate in the upcoming Pancake Breakfast event prior to the Apple Blossom Fair on April 25. What better way to kick off our local town flavor! Volunteering and/or participating in the Analy Pancake Breakfast and the Annual Analy Golf Tournament. Please come and share with us your valuable input and get motivated to become a board member yourself. We want to introduce to you the benefits of being a board member and also meet other interested Analy student parents. This group is the equivalent to the PTA at the elementary school participation.

9th Annual Analy Tigers Golf Classic

Want to help the Analy Boosters raise some money and have a great time doing it? Join the planning committee to help organize this year's 9th annual event, which is scheduled for May 8, 2009 at Windsor Golf Club. Last year's event raised \$ 15,000 for Analy Athletics and the Booster Allocation Fund. This brings the eight year total to over \$ 136,000 from this event alone! This fun day includes golf, dinner, raffles, a live auction and much more.

Bring your talents and love of the game to help with the planning and organizing of this fun event. The planning committee meets once per month. Being on the golf planning committee takes many people to put it all together, do not feel it is a one person job since there are many facets to it. Volunteer your skills and have fun doing it! For more information on how to get involved, contact Paul Olson (823-5430)

CALLING VOLUNTEERS

Now that the school year is half done, many events will be coming up that we will be periodically asking for volunteer help. Without you parent volunteers, events would not either happen or run as smoothly. Many thanks in advance for helping! Upcoming events are so far, Annual Pancake Breakfast, the morning of the Apple Blossom Fair, 9th Annual Golf Classic, and Project Graduation Night. Why not come to our next meeting, March 2 in the library, at 6:00 p.m. and refreshments will be served!!

GO TIGERS !!!!!

College & Career Center Chatter

Scholarship Information:

Scholarship information continues to be available for graduating seniors. Although fewer new opportunities are arriving, these scholarships have deadlines extending through April, into May. Students are encouraged to continue checking the scholarship binder in the Career Center on a regular basis. In addition, local organizations have begun reviewing student's Local Scholarship Applications. The recipients of these scholarships will be announced on Senior Awards Night which will be held Wednesday, May 27th.

Sophomores:

Several sophomore classes have completed their Career Unit. Students completed a personality inventory, as well as a skills assessment. After analyzing the results of each, they then researched several careers that were compatible with their skills and interests. The students have also created resumes which will remain on file in their Career Planning Folders for the duration of their time here at Analy.

Student Employment:

Summer is rapidly approaching and students have begun looking for part-time work. Unfortunately, our normally full job board has very few opportunities at this time. Students are encouraged to visit the Career Center to either create or update their resumes before 'hitting the pavement' in search of summer employment.

Our student body is a fantastic resource for the community! They possess an extremely diverse set of skills and qualifications. If you or someone you know has an employment opening for a young person between the ages of 14 – 18, the Career Center would appreciate the opportunity to assist you or your business in finding a qualified candidate for the position.

As always, you are welcome to come by and explore the College & Career Center, or call 824-2339 to speak with me.

Angela Carr
College & Career Center Coordinator

ANALY BAND WAGON NEWS

The Analy Band Wagon announces a Spring Gala!

Moonlight Serenade

A Fundraiser for the Analy Instrumental Music Program

Saturday, May 9th 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Imagine a warm spring evening under a full moon on the grounds of an enchanting Tuscan Villa listening to live jazz, sipping fine California wine- this event promises to be a truly magical evening!

Enjoy appetizers, fine wines and desserts
Entertainment will be provided by the talented

Analy Jazz Band

Tickets are \$50 and can be purchased online at:

www.analyhighschool.org/analybandwagon/

All proceeds go to support
Analy's award-winning Instrumental Music program.

This event is generously underwritten by
SPAULDING MCCULLOUGH & TANSIL LLP

Program Coordinator: A big "Welcome" goes out to our new Band & Orchestra Program Coordinator, Marilee Groth! Marilee comes to us with a background in both business and music. After coordinating the recent Mini-Festival at Analy, Marilee is now planning the Disneyland trip, Apple Blossom Parade and CMEA Orchestra festival. Marilee can be reached in the Band office at 824-2337 or at mgroth@analy.org.

eScrip: Here's a **FREE** way to support our Band and Orchestra program! Sign up today at www.eScrip.com. Select "Welcome" then "Sign Up." Enter the Analy Band Wagon Group ID **139618580**. Register your grocery club card, credit cards and debit cards. Band & Orchestra students can earn up to \$60 credit per year from eScrip. The Band & Orchestra program also benefits directly from eScrip. For information, go to www.analyhighschool.org/analybandwagon/escrip.shtml.

Next ABW meeting: Wednesday, April 8th at 6:30 pm at the Community Center's Youth Annex on Morris Street. All are welcome to attend.

ANALY HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR
April 2009

April 1	Educational Foundation meeting - Library	6:30-8:30 pm
April 4	E-Waste Fundraiser - Back parking lot	9:00 am-3:00 pm
April 6	Booster Club meeting - Library	6:00-8:00 pm
April 7-8	STAR Testing	
April 8	Special Board meeting (Goal Setting) - Analy Library	5:00 pm
April 13-17	Spring Break	
April 20	School resumes	
April 21-22	STAR Testing	
April 22	School Board meeting - Analy Library	6:00 p.m.
April 23	WASC 3 year follow up visit to Analy	
April 24	Tiger Pause - Mr. Heller's office	7:30-8:30 am
April 25	Pancake Breakfast and Apple Blossom Festival	7:00 am
April 23-26	Spring Musical "Beauty and the Beast"	Check website
April 29	Junior class to SSU College Fair	9:00-11:30 am
April 30	Open House	6:30-8:00 pm
April 30-May 3	Spring Musical "Beauty and the Beast"	Check website

ANALY HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS CALENDAR
April 2009

April 1	Track @ HM vs. Healdsburg	4:00
April 2	Bys V Golf @ HM vs. Casa	3:30
	Swimming @ HM vs. Windsor	3:30
	Bys V Tennis @ Petaluma	4:00
April 3	Bys V Baseball @ Casa	4:00
	Bys F/JV Baseball @ HM vs Casa	4:00
April 4	Bys JV Baseball @ Maria Carillo	10:00 am
	Bys V Baseball @ Maria Carillo	1:00
April 6	Bys JV/V Baseball @ Elsie Allen	4:00
April 7	Bys V Golf @ Petaluma	3:30
	Bys V Tennis @ HM vs Healdsburg	4:00
	Bys V Baseball @ Windsor	4:00
	Bys F/JV Baseball @ HM vs Windsor	4:00
	Grls JV/V SB @ HM vs El Mo	4:00
April 8	Track @ HM vs Sonoma	4:00
	Bys Frosh Baseball @ Rancho	4:00

ANALY SPORTS CALENDAR (cont.)
April 2009

April 9	Bys V Golf @ Sonoma	3:30
	Swimming @ HM vs St. Vincent	3:30
	Grls JV/V SB @ Windsor	4:00
April 13-15	Bys V Baseball @ Rabinowitz Tourn.	TBA
April 15-17	Frosh Baseball Tourn @ HM	TBA
April 16-18	Grls V SB Tournament @ Livermore	TBA
April 21	Bys V Golf @ HM vs. El Mo	4:00
	Bys V Tennis @ Sonoma	4:00
	Bys V Baseball @ Petaluma	4:00
	Bys F/JV Baseball @ HM vs Petaluma	4:00
	Grls JV/V SB @ HM vs Casa	4:00
April 22	Track @ HM vs Windsor	4:00
	Bys Frosh Baseball @ HM vs Ukiah	4:00
April 23	Swimming @ Healdsburg	3:30
	Grls JV/V SB @ Petaluma	4:00
	Bys V Tennis @ Windsor	4:00
April 24	Bys F/JV Baseball @ HM vs Sonoma	4:00
	Bys V Baseball @ Sonoma	7:00 pm
April 27	Bys V Golf @ SCL Match	Noon
April 28	Bys F/JV Baseball @ HM vs Healdsburg	4:00
	Grls JV/V SB @ HM vs Sonoma	4:00
	Bys V Baseball @ Healdsburg	7:00 p.m.
April 29	Track @ Petaluma	4:00
April 30	Swimming @ HM vs El Mo	3:30
	Grls JV/V SB @ Healdsburg	4:00

GO TIGERS!!

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