

**April 2023**

# **THE FLYER**

**MONTHLY EDITION**



**Easter  
Break is  
the 7-10**

BIG THANKS to William  
Muller who created  
and installed the  
school sign on Orange  
Grove and Camino de  
la Tierra!

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# SCIENCE Olympiad

**Congratulations to the Griffins who participated to the Science Olympiad and to their mentor, Marcus.**

- **Gold Medals!**

Diego & Hank for Storm the Castle  
Alexa & Karem for Bridge

- **Silver Medals!**

Koa & Ramon for Rocks & Minerals  
Catherine & Dominique for Forestry  
Alexa, Catherine, & Karem for Codebusters

- **Bronze Medals!**

Michelle & Reyly for Forestry  
Catherine & Dominique for Dynamic Planet

- **4th Place**

Michaela & Ramon for Trajectory

- **5th Places**

Catherine & Victoria for Rocks and Minerals

- **6th Places**

Ahmed & Ramon for Flight  
Alexa, Karem, and Victoria for Experimental Design  
Diego & Hank for Crave the Wave

- **10th Place**

Joaquin & Neve for Scrambler







# NHD

NHD  
NATIONAL  
HISTORY DAY

Never too late to congratulate our students who participated to **National History Day**. They won many prizes as well. Thanks to their mentor MacKenzie.

**Next possible big date: Saturday, April 15th, NHD State level**



# Go Griffins!



# SCHOOL NEWS



## April Fundraiser

The Student Council will sell \$20 coupon books to use in various places in town. The money will be used to finance the Council projects to make life on campus an even better experience.

## Sneezing Season

We have a big need of tissues and sanitizing wipes.

If parents could spare a box, it would be greatly appreciated. Thanks.



## Student Council Changes

The Student Council welcomes:

**Jake Wences** as 10th grade rep and

**Cecily Stiening** as 8th grade rep.

This is the way.



## GREEN FIELDS CHESS TOURNAMENT

Round Robin Rapid Elimination style chess

April 11th  
4:00-6:00

Green Fields  
Library

\$5 Entry  
\$30 Prize



No age restriction

## Street Work on Orange Grove

Beginning in spring 2023, the Sunset Road traffic interchange will be closed for the duration of the project and the Orange Grove traffic interchange will be restricted, allowing westbound exits only.

Source: AZDOT

## Testing MAPS K-I2

Students will do the MAPS testing during the week of the April 24th. Please be sure they have plenty of rest and on time to school. Thanks.







# GAME NIGHT



**\$5 4:30PM-9PM**

## OUTDOOR



- Spoon Race
- Egg Toss
- Potato Sack Race
- Water Balloon Fight

## COMPETITIONS

- Pie Eating Competition
- Tug Of War



## GAME SHOWS



- Trivia
- Family Feud
- Jeopardy!

## TOURNAMENTS



- Basketball
- Volleyball
- Dodgeball

## GLOW-IN-THE-DARK



- Hide-n-Seek
- Infection

**THURSDAY  
APRIL 6  
2023**

Bake Sale and pizza available



SATURDAY | APRIL 22, 2023

# SPRING DANCE

GREEN FIELDS GYM | 6 PM - 10 PM

Tickets: \$20

Tickets sold at the Bakesale Apr 10 - Apr 21, 2023

Secondary Only!

Formal Attire Required

Slice of Pizza, bag of chips, and a  
drink included with ticket.

Tickets bought at the door will cost \$25. Sales end at 7:00.

Please talk to the office to bring students from other schools.

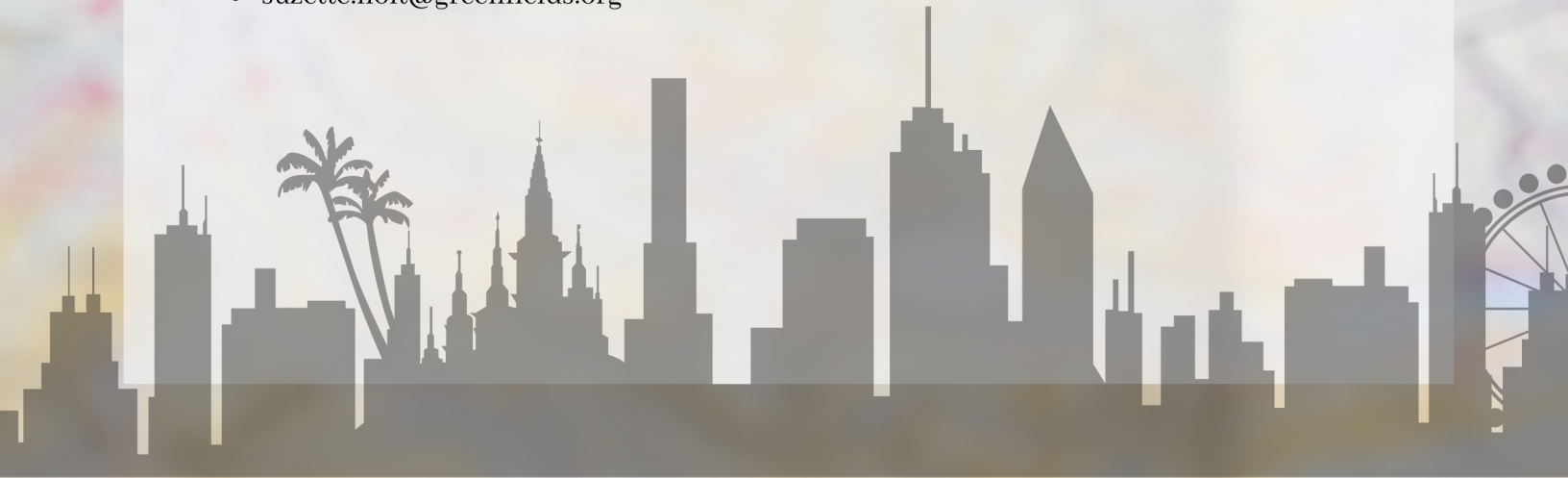




# 2023 Fieldwork Trip

*Here are some basic information about the end of the year trip. Thanks Marcus for gathering them.*

- We will leave on Monday, May 15, 2023 and return Sunday, May 21, 2023. A few people suggested a shorter trip, but most wanted to see as much as possible while in the great city of San Diego.
- The cost of the trip will be at most \$550 per person. Unfortunately, the prices of all the venues have increased, and they pass those expenses on to us.
- We say at most \$550 because we are still fighting for every penny. We have been writing emails and waiting on hold to get the best possible prices. So far, we have gone twelve rounds with the San Diego Zoo, the floating lab, and various hotels in the area. We will continue to do so until we are satisfied that we are not leaving any money on the table.
- The price includes all venues, lodgings, and most meals.
- At some venues (such as the zoo), students must procure their own lunches.
- The final itinerary will include meal plans.
- In order to pay for the venues, we have to set up a payment schedule.
  - Thursday, Apr 6, 2023: \$100
  - Thursday, Apr 20, 2023: \$200
  - Thursday, May 4, 2023: at most \$250
  - We will let you know in advance what the final payment is.
- As always, we would love to have chaperones join us.
- Logistically, we also need drivers to help get us there.
- This is shaping up to be a great trip, and we hope to have as many students attend as possible.
- Please contact Marcus or Suzette with any questions or concerns.
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  - [suzette.holt@greenfields.org](mailto:suzette.holt@greenfields.org)





# Foreign Students?

Green Fields and ALL always had a tradition of welcoming foreign students. From China, France, Japan, Thailand, or Norway they graduated, studied for a year or more or simply attended classes to learn our ways of learning. The Covid years stopped abruptly all possibilities to have foreign students, but the exchanges are back on the table and we want to be part of it!

This upcoming school year, we are hoping to have a foreign exchange system. It is for grades 9-12. We want this to help foreign students so they can go to American universities. If students decide to do the exchange they will be here the whole year (or more).

Students from here will also have the chance to go if they choose to. The families who will have the exchange students will get a token stipend. The families will have to provide an individual bedroom and can host more than one student. We are in the process of getting I-20 forms for the students, so they can get their Visas.

We have an alumni of ALL who has contacts out of the country and is helping. We are expecting 3-10 students to join us next year. Again, this is not a set arrangement, it is just a project that is most likely probable.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Suzette at the office.





# Elementary





# Dance



To access more photos, please contact the office.