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Happy Friday Mustang Families,

One year ago today, our lives completely changed. To say we had no idea what was to come would be an understatement. But here we are. We have stretched and learned in so many ways as teachers, staff, parents, and most importantly our students learned to navigate school in a time of COVID. We can see the light at the end of the tunnel but, as we speak, we still have families and children contracting COVID and suffering the effects. We will continue stay vigilant and keep the safety of our children a priority. We will keep you informed every step of this journey.

**Come learn more about Richland’s Rebuild!**

**Richland Families:** Come join our Virtual Parent Coffee Chat to meet our Rebuild Team and hear our fantastic timeline and news. Meeting will be held via Zoom on Friday, April 9th 9:00-10:00 a.m. You will be able to submit questions via the chat feature. <https://smusd-org.zoom.us/j/88034896938>

**Richland Community:** We will be extending our invitation to hear about our rebuild to neighbors and community members on Wednesday, April 21st from 5:00 -6:00 p.m. Questions can be asked via the chat feature. <https://smusd-org.zoom.us/j/88468209562>

In the meantime, here is the video of our rebuild plans to share! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oQKG1dypIuw&t=17s>

**Face Covering Policies Reminder from San Marcos Unified School District**

**IMPLEMENTATION**

In accordance with the California Department of Public Health's guidance for face coverings, students, staff and visitors must wear face coverings when on San Marcos Unified School District (SMUSD) campuses, unless they are exempt per state guidelines.  This includes while in the classroom, waiting to enter campus, on school grounds, when leaving school and, for students that receive District provided transportation, riding in a bus or van.

**SPEAK UP Survey!**

We need your voice in surveying the technology needs in our district. Please consider completing the following survey; survey closes April 1st:

The Speak Up survey link for SMUSD is: [https://Speakup.Tomorrow.org/D/JPJS](https://speakup.tomorrow.org/D/JPJS)

**From SMUSD Counseling Staff:**

Please enjoy our 9th video in the “Parenting in a Pandemic” series entitled *Fighting Stress with Creativity*, brought to you by SMUSD school social workers. Supplemental resources are also included and all information is provided in both English and Spanish. This short episode is less than 4 minutes and provides ideas to reduce stress through creativity The video includes tips and ideas from a staff and parent and the YouSchool.

[Fight Stress with Creativity](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1YO_5Rg6WjaGMLKRLtDcBbC-fgKU00fur/view?usp=sharing) - video in English (on our SMUSD parent engagement YouTube Channel)

[Reflection Activity](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1k4zuMyop0cpDBb4ag39Td11is9e1dJQw/view?usp=sharing) - English

[Tip Sheet](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1WARR5rPty65pUDDUcpvSqaEblX9shYk1/view?usp=sharing) - English

**FOR Club**

\* **KONA ICE DAY:** Place your pre-order now for Saturday, March 20th from 12-6pm and have a delicious frozen treat delivered to your home. They will have 2 trucks out making deliveries as well as serving all walkups, 15% of all sales go to the Richland FOR Club! $10 Minimum Order.  [https://kurbsidekona.com?id=2088](https://kurbsidekona.com/?id=2088&fbclid=IwAR0SjowAI8hSvqUF9Ykaqq26mux2LmDcL1O8q6D3CgcMnW3IpDA74fneXzQ)

**\* GET INVOLVED**: We are planning for the 2021-22 school year and there are positions open on the executive board, and chair/committee positions with the FOR Club. Get more information and submit your interest here: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdemIO1kmx2pDRkJsWPCMOjJYLD9CAc9vAYGfiluPyKo9Ws3g/viewform?usp=sf\_link](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/_Ru9JKwg4Q78S-prtWrajw~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRiEXbxP0RvaHR0cHM6Ly9kb2NzLmdvb2dsZS5jb20vZm9ybXMvZC9lLzFGQUlwUUxTZGVtSU8xa214MnBEUmtKc1dQQ01PakpZTEQ5Q0FjOXZBWUdmaWx1UHlLbzlXczNnL3ZpZXdmb3JtP3VzcD1zZl9saW5rVwdzY2hvb2xtQgpgLXFDMGBI8_-1UhVsZW5hbGF1ZXJAaG90bWFpbC5jb21YBAAAAAE~)

\* **FLEET SCIENCE CLASS**: Sign up now for our next Student Enrichment class from Fleet Science Center: Binary Basics. This class will be held via zoom on Monday, March 29th from 1:00-2:00. It is sponsored by the FOR Club so free to students, but registration is required. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0d49a4a928a1f94-fleet2>

**\* MUSTANG SPIRIT WEAR IS ON SALE NOW!!!** Purchase your Richland T-shirts and **other spirit wear online at:** [**https://richlandmustangs.itemorder.com/sale**](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/CAIAJLs6S-eQQm3DAMGrSg~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRiEXbxP4T7AWh0dHBzOi8vbC5mYWNlYm9vay5jb20vbC5waHA__tVIVbGVuYWxhdWVyQGhvdG1haWwuY29tWAQAAAAB)

**\* HIBERNATE BED SHEETS FUNDRAISER:** You can still get your Hibernate bed sheets! Go to [HibernateFund.com](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/J0qo2RVwYx5Cmq_KYVXYRA~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRiEXbxP0ReaHR0cDovL2hpYmVybmF0ZWZ1bmQuY29tLz9mYmNsaWQ9SXdBUjJLV3lpLWhvWEJWTzBrZHQ2YnNXbWFoalJnTEprZ1lXNWswVmw5VGxESzlDTzFjQmo5MG5DUE5oSVcHc2Nob29sbUIKYC1xQzBgSPP_tVIVbGVuYWxhdWVyQGhvdG1haWwuY29tWAQAAAAB) and click Login-Register as New Participant. Remember to enter Group ID 12594. Sheets are $49.95 for all sizes.

**\* FARM FRESH TO YOU:** Save $15 with the quarterly wellness perk using code "romanesco21" when you order. Remember when you sign up to receive fresh fruits and veggies from Farm Fresh To You with promo code "mustangs" they will also donate back to Richland: [https://www.farmfreshtoyou.com/compare/?promo=mustangs&fbclid=IwAR3Jk70gLXjV7X3o8DRtitH9ixDbrRj-4tXAp\_up4oRt0ja9GyAzooUGwH0](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/_XQvg-d9QfnN38qQVbt6TQ~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRiEXbxP0R7aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuZmFybWZyZXNodG95b3UuY29tL2NvbXBhcmUvP3Byb21vPW11c3RhbmdzJmZiY2xpZD1Jd0FSM0prNzBnTFhqVjdYM284RFJ0aXRIOWl4RGJyUmotNHRYQXBfdXA0b1J0MGphOUd5QXpvb1VHd0gwVwdzY2hvb2xtQgpgLXFDMGBI8_-1UhVsZW5hbGF1ZXJAaG90bWFpbC5jb21YBAAAAAE~)

**\* AMAZON SMILE:** Help support Richland with your Amazon purchases by going to [https://smile.amazon.com](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/H0dbxcSV2qMBQbDdvqedmw~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRiEXbxP0QZaHR0cHM6Ly9zbWlsZS5hbWF6b24uY29tL1cHc2Nob29sbUIKYC1xQzBgSPP_tVIVbGVuYWxhdWVyQGhvdG1haWwuY29tWAQAAAAB) and selecting Friends of Richland.

**\* SILVER GRAPHICS:**  Create keepsakes with your student's artwork or order Richland Strong face masks. We'll be releasing a new art tutorial next month that our Mustangs can follow along with. Find art tutorials and guidelines on our website: [https://www.richlandforclub.com/silver-graphics](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/uNafFvtZyZLhinoBp3QHnQ~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRiEXbxP0QvaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucmljaGxhbmRmb3JjbHViLmNvbS9zaWx2ZXItZ3JhcGhpY3NXB3NjaG9vbG1CCmAtcUMwYEjz_7VSFWxlbmFsYXVlckBob3RtYWlsLmNvbVgEAAAAAQ~~)

Have a great weekend, Mustangs!

Virtual hugs,

Julie Barbara

Principal

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

(Please cut off and hang on your fridge!) :)

* **Saturday, March 20th** Richland Dine Out - Kona Ice. Order in advance they will drive through your neighborhood! [https://kurbsidekona.com?id=2088](https://kurbsidekona.com/?id=2088&fbclid=IwAR0SjowAI8hSvqUF9Ykaqq26mux2LmDcL1O8q6D3CgcMnW3IpDA74fneXzQ)
* **Monday, March 29th - Friday, April 2nd** Happy Spring Break!
* **Thursday, April 1st:** Speak Up Survey Due. [https://Speakup.Tomorrow.org/D/JPJS](https://speakup.tomorrow.org/D/JPJS)
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* **Thursday, April 29th** My Yard Live Dine Out
* **Tuesday, May 4th, 6:30 p.m**. Bingo de Mayo and Cocina Del Charro Dine Out