

# LPS Newsletter

January 1<sup>st</sup> 2010

## Live Like a Champion

By Larry Vilaubi

Welcome back! I hope that you and your family had a very restful and enjoyable winter break. At LPS – San Jose, we are very excited to kick off the new year!

Our Martial Arts program, lead by Mr. Greg Garcia, is officially part of the Live Like A Champion program. This is a worldwide initiative to get martial arts students engaged in their school and community as a whole. Participants commit to improving their physical fitness, academic performance and neighborhood during an intensive 52-week program. With 45 members, the LPS – San Jose chapter of Live Like a Champion is the **largest in the world**. Congratulations to all our martial arts students on a great start to 2010.

Academically, LPS – San Jose is making great strides forward. In December, we became an official member of CSF, the California Scholarship Federation! After a comprehensive application process, CSF granted LPS – San Jose membership. This will give all LPS students the opportunity to earn academic distinctions at graduation. Our CSF designation will also allow our students to complete for scholarship opportunities in their senior year.

## Finals Week

By Dylan Smith

From January 19<sup>th</sup> to January 22<sup>nd</sup> student will take college style finals in all their classes. All classes will be consolidated into two-hour blocks in the morning and Advisory class in the afternoon. During finals week, school will get out at 2:35 everyday. Please contact Ms. Mendoza at (408) 937-2700 for more information.

## End of the Semester

By Daniel Poo

The first semester of the 2009 – 2010 school year will end on January 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please check with your student to make sure they complete any missing assignments ASAP.

## Info Session: 01/14/10

By Jessica Miranda

LPS – San Jose will have an information session for parents that would like to enroll their students in 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade for the 2010 – 2011 school year. The info session will be from 6:00PM to 7:00PM in LPS-4.

Please tell your friends, colleagues and neighbors about the January 14<sup>th</sup> Info Session and direct any questions to Jessica Miranda at (408) 937-2731.

## Site Council Meeting

Wednesday, Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> 2010 ~ 6:00PM ~ LPS - 18

## Parent/Guardian Association Meeting

Wednesday, Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> 2010 ~ 7:00PM ~ LPS - 4

## No School Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>

Martin Luther King Day

## LPS Live Like a Champion Website:

<http://epiclifetraining.ning.com/>

## Mark Your Calendar!

### January 2010

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13 Site Council 6:00- 7:00  PGA Meeting 7:00 – 8:00	14 Info Session 6:00- 7:00	15
18 No School MLK Jr. Day	19 Finals Week School is out at 2:35PM	20 Finals Week School is out at 2:35PM	21 Finals Week School is out at 2:35PM	22 Finals Week School is out at 2:35PM
25	26	27	28	29