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Program in America and California Explorations

Monday Memo

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Week of Feb. 13

Feb. 15, San Francisco State & Walt Disney Museum Field Trip

Feb. 28, Late Registration Deadline for 3/11 SAT Test

Feb. 28, UC Santa Cruz & Whale watching excursion Field Trip

March 3, Registration Deadline for the 4/8 ACT Test

March 17, Late Registration Deadline for the 4/8 ACT Test

April 7, Registration Deadline for the 5/6 SAT & SAT Subjects Test

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Community Service



JFK Speech and Debate – The JFK Speech and Debate Team is hosting a tournament February 24-25 in the cafeteria. They need volunteers to work the snack bar, set up, and clean up. Earn 4-6 hours of community service. If you are interested send an email with your name and grade to jfkspeechanddebate@gmail.com. Or sign up and attend a brief meeting on Thursday, February 16 at lunch in room T12.

Opportunities



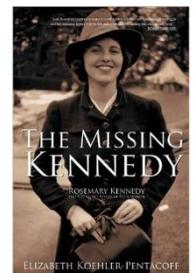
Summer Academies – Sacramento State has their Summer Academies for high school students with various courses. Scholarships are available. Deadline to apply is February 15. Registration opens March 1. Check the website to apply – <http://www.cce.csus.edu/acads>.



Northeast College Tour – This is an eight day/seven night excursion that will take you to several college and universities where you will have the chance to experience first-hand what college life is all about and have an exciting and educational time with peers and new friends. 25 colleges and universities will be visited including Harvard, MIT, Columbia, NYU, and Pace University. The cost is \$2,185 and includes ground transportation, lodging, meals, campus tours, and materials. See Mr. Whalen for details.



Author presentation – Author Elizabeth Koehler-Pentakoff presents “The Missing Kennedy: Rosemary Kennedy and the Secret Bonds of Four Women.” Saturday, February 25, 1pm at the Greenhaven Library. The



event is free. Rosemary Kennedy was the least-known child of Rose and Joseph Kennedy. Author Elizabeth Koehler-Pentakoff tells the story of Rosemary from a personal perspective and recalls the many memorable times spent with the missing Kennedy. It is an insightful, poignant memoir and shares a history of both tragedy and inspiration. Books will be available for sale and author signing at the program.



Practice with a Purpose – Kaplan has just launched an exciting program called Practice with a Purpose. By visiting Kaplan’s free online practice resource hub, students can take free pop quiz, 20-minute workout, and a full proctored practice test to help prepare for upcoming SAT or ACT exams. Students can sign up and take all three if they’d like, and for each test or quiz a student signs up for, Kaplan is donating a Kaplan Test Prep scholarship to a student in need. Kaplan has partnered with the Boys & Girls Clubs of America, and they are aiming for a goal of 100 scholarships donated. Check out the landing page at <http://ktp.events/sacreno>.

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Duke Summer College is offering a host of captivating courses that study society's most pressing issues. Get ahead this summer and earn college credit with academically-motivated students from around the world in **Duke University's Summer College for High School Students**. If you are a current 10th or 11th grade student, you are eligible to apply as early as December 1, 2016. This 4-week credit-bearing program offered by Duke University attracts students who represent the next generation of leaders from around the world. Immerse yourself in an international college experience by enrolling in this elite program designed to provide high school students with an academic and residential environment that is conducive to collegiate success. Visit <http://summersession.duke.edu/high-school-students/summer-college-for-high-school-students> for more information.

Senior Trip to Grad Nite @ Disneyland



Mark your calendars, we have scheduled Disneyland Grad Nite 2017. Permission slips are available for the annual PACE Grad Nite trip to Disneyland. The trip is scheduled for May 31 – June 1. The cost is \$220 without a PACE Patron Card, \$200 with a card. Slips are available in room C301.



The deadline to sign up is February 17th! We need more students to sign up otherwise the trip will have to be cancelled. We started this tradition in 2006 and have sent a least one bus to grad nite every year since. We would hate to have to cancel this trip for the very first time, but more students are needed to sign up. We can't wait any longer.

Featured Cultural Event Day of Remembrance

The Day of Remembrance is held every year on February 19th to commemorate Japanese American Internment during WW II. The signing of Executive Order 9066 sentenced some 120,000 Americans of Japanese ancestry to internment camps. In remembrance of the 75th anniversary of Executive Order 9066, ACC Senior Services will host a free Day of Remembrance event and show a film. After the film, panelists will discuss their experiences and their families' experiences of incarceration. Following will be a Q & A session.
When: February 16
Time: 3-4:30pm
Where: ACC Senior Services, 7334 Park City Drive



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