

Friday – September 20th, 2019

CAMPUS INFORMATION

<u>Student Attendance</u> - If you need to call Attendance to clear an absence or have your student released for an appointment, please call your Attendance person directly using the information below:

| All 12 th Grade Students | Grades 9-11 Last Names A-K | Grades 9-11 Last Names L-Z |
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| Mrs. Gomez | Mrs. Stack | Mrs. Gates |
| 735-3516 | 735-3501 | 735-3517 |

STUDENT NOTES

<u>Today:</u>

- If you have purchased an **ASB Sticker**, they are available for pick up in the Student Services office. You **MUST** bring in your old ID card to swap it out for your new ASB ID card.
- <u>The Fresno State ambassador</u> will be on campus **Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., beginning TODAY.** If you are interested in receiving more information about Fresno State and what they have to offer, please come to Student Services and sign up with Ms. DeRoma.

New Announcements:

- We invite you to attend the <u>El Diamante Freshmen/Sophomore Parent Night</u>! It is at 6:00 pm, on Tuesday, September 24th in the <u>EDHS library</u>. We will discuss how to prepare your students for the rest of high school and college, as well as share some important information on useful resources. We hope to see you there!
- <u>Mock Tr</u>ial is holding an informational meeting during **lunch on Sept. 24th** in <u>room 606</u>. Bring your own lunch and pick up the audition papers. Auditions will be the following **Tuesday**, **Wednesday.**, and

Thursday from 3:30-6:00 or **homeroom** if you are unable to make those times. Any questions, see Ms. Moore in room 606.

 <u>COS Senior Informational Meeting</u> – There will be a COS Informational meeting on Wednesday, September 25th and Thursday, September 26th during homeroom in the <u>EDHS Gym</u>. All seniors will attend one of these meetings to hear about the COS application process, requirements to attend COS and Financial Aide options. Please see your homeroom teacher for more information on when your homeroom class will attend this meeting.

• CASH FOR COLLEGE F.A.F.S.A. NIGHT: SENIORS ONLY – Monday, October 7, 2019 EDHS Library.

Session 1: 5:00– 5:50 pm English language and Spanish Language
Session 2: 6:00– 6:50 pm English language and Spanish Language
Session 3: 7:00– 7:50 pm English language and Spanish Language
You must sign-up in the Student Services Office beginning September 23 to hold your place for a session at this event. Last day to sign up is October 4! Please be sure to have a FAFSA FSA ID before the workshop! You can do it on the student aid website: https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa/filling-out/fsaid. Every senior and their parent must have one in order to submit their FAFSA or Dream Act Application.

Old Announcements:

- EDHS Academic Award Night for the Spring 2019 semester will be held on September 23rd at 6:00
 PM at the <u>U Williams Theater</u>.
- Attention Junior and Seniors you and your parents are invited to attend our <u>Junior/Senior Parent</u> <u>Night</u>. The event will be on Wednesday, September 25 at 6:00 pm in the <u>EDHS Theater</u>. We will be discussing Graduation & A-G requirements, College systems, NCAA, Financial Aid and more. If you have any questions please follow up with Senior LD – Mr. Stahl or Junior LD Mrs. Garcia
- Attention anyone who wants to <u>wrestle</u> for El Diamante this upcoming season, practices will start September 30th at 3:30 pm in <u>the wrestling/dance room</u>. Bring workout attire and your wrestling shoes.
- **CAL GRANT OPT OUT:** With the implementation of Assembly Bill 2160, California public high schools are required to submit a Cal Grant high school Grade Point Average (GPA) for all graduating seniors, unless the student or parent has opted out of the submission process. If you do not want El Diamante High School to report a GPA, please pick up the Opt Out Form in the Student Services Office before **October 1st**.
- <u>Grades 9-11 school picture make-ups</u> will be **Wednesday, October 2** in the Career Center, you must sign up in Student Services for an appointment.
- Sign-ups for the first <u>UC College Application Workshop</u> are now open. Please come by Student Services to sign up. They are being held on October 3rd, 2019 in the <u>library</u>. There are two time slots, one at 9:00 AM and one at 11:00 AM.
- <u>Congressman Nunes' Annual Academy Night</u> is at 6:30 PM on Thursday, October 3, 2019 at <u>the</u> <u>Clovis Unified School District Professional Development Building in Clovis</u>. This evening is for students of all grade levels, along with their parents, to meet representatives from the academies, gather

information and learn about academy life and the congressional nomination process. Please see attached flyer for more information.

- We are inviting 5th to 10th grade students and parents/guardians to <u>Ignite Your Curiosity</u> about the endless career options! Join professionals for conversations about their careers, training needed, and education requirements. Each industry panel will consist of 3-4 professionals. You and your child will choose 3 different panels to visit during the evening. It is going to be held on October 14th, 2019 at 6:00 PM at <u>El Diamante High School.</u> Hope to see you there!
- <u>The Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)</u> is a multiple choice test used to determine qualification for enlistment in the United States Armed Forces and is given once a year on the El Diamante High School campus. To take the exam, students must be in 10th, 11th, or 12th grade. The ASVAB will be administered on Wednesday, October 23rd, 2019 in the Library from 8:30 AM 12:30 PM. If interested, please click here to sign up. Stop by Student Services if you have any questions.
- Applications are being accepted for students seeking a <u>Congressional Nomination</u> to attend a United States Service Academy. For graduating seniors, the Academy Nomination Application must be mailed or hand delivered to Congressman Nunes' Visalia Office by Friday, November 15th 2019. Please see the attached flyer for more information.
- If you are interested in the <u>Girls Soccer Team</u>, we are holding skills and conditioning practices
 Tuesdays & Thursdays @ 3:30 on <u>the north fields</u>. This is a great way to begin getting ready for the upcoming season! Any questions you may contact Coach Heiden in the Girls PE office.
- Attention students! If you use the **skateboard lockers** that are located next to the band room, please remember to take your lock off when you take your skateboard home for the day. You cannot keep your lock on to "reserve" a spot.
- **PSAT** is available to purchase for \$17 at the <u>finance window</u> or on the <u>El Diamante Webstore</u>.
- <u>The XL Program</u> is up and running! This year's program offerings include, AM & PM Tutoring, Jiu Jitsu, Drama Production, Africana Studies, Computer Programming, and much, much more. As always, snack is free and available to all El Diamante students. Stop by Computer Lab 62 for more information.

UPCOMING EVENTS

| Friday, September 20, 2019 | End of Grading Period 1 | |
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| Friday, September 20, 2019 | , September 20, 2019 Josten's Class Ring Presentation to JR Homerooms in the gym | |
| Friday, September 20, 2019 | Friday, September 20, 2019 JV and Varsity Football versus Kingsburg- Away | |
| Friday, September 20, 2019 VUSD All High Schools Improve @ Rotary Theatre 7pm | | |
| Monday, September 23, 2019 Academic Awards Night 6:30pm @LJ Williams (Spring 2019 recipients) | | |
| Tuesday, September 24, 2019 Freshman/Sophomore Parent Night - EDHS Library - 6:00 PM | | |

| Wednesday, September 25, 2019 COS Info Presentation during HR (Group #1) | |
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| Wednesday, September 25, 2019 Junior / Senior Parent Night - EDHS Theatre @ 6 PM | |
| Thursday, September 26, 2019 | COS Info Presentation during HR (Group #2) |
| Friday, September 27, 2019 | Fall Sports Rally |

UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS

| CLUB | FUNDRAISER | START DATE | END DATE | ADVISOR | |
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| Miner Diamond Players | T-shirts | T-shirts 9/4/2019 | | <u>Toon</u> | |
| FFA | FFA Apparel | 9/23/2019 | 19 <u>Veldhuizen</u> | | |
| Softball | Chipotle | 9/24/2019 | 9/24/2019 | Emerson | |
| Orchestra | Cookie Dough | 9/16/2019 | 9/30/2019 | <u>Fritz</u> | |
| Cheer | Mini Cheer Camp | 9/26/2019 | 10/4/2019 | <u>Skadan</u> | |
| Cheer | Parking Spots | Parking Spots 9/14/2019 1 | | <u>Skadan</u> | |
| Choir | Taco Dinner Sales | 10/7/2019 | 10/21/2019 | <u>Witt</u> | |
| Miner Diamond Players | MDP Swag Store | 10/14/2019 | 10/25/2019 | <u>Toon</u> | |
| Strong | Popcorn Sales | 11/4/2019 | 11/15/2019 | Mirwald | |
| Musical | Shirt Fundraiser | 11/25/2019 | 12/16/2019 | Toon | |
| Choir | Chili Verde Dinner | 1/14/2020 | 1/31/2020 | <u>Witt</u> | |
| Strong | Buttons for Events | 8/15/2019 | 6/5/2020 | Mirwald | |

SENIOR NOTES

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- Seniors: If you have not taken your <u>senior photo</u> with Essence photography, you must make an appointment as soon as possible by calling 799-1255. If you cannot make it to the studio, Essence will be coming to our campus for ONE DAY ONLY, **Tuesday, October 1.** <u>Sign up in Student Services Office before 9/26</u> to secure a make-up spot with Essence. You DO NOT have to purchase pictures in order for your picture to be in the yearbook. We would love to have ALL seniors in the yearbook!



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| Sport | Level | Day | Date | Opponent/Facility | Dismissal | Depart | Game Time |
| Cross Country | All | Fri | Sept. 20 | Sanger Inv. @ Avocado Lake, Sanger | 12:30 PM | 12:30 PM | 2:00 PM |
| Volleyball | Varsity | Fri | Sept. 20 | Clovis North @ Clovis North HS | TBA | TBA | ТВА |
| Girls Water Polo | Varsity | Fri | Sept. 20 | Arroyo Grande Tour @ Arroyo Grande HS | TBA | TBA | ТВА |
| Boys Water Polo | Varsity | Fri | Sept. 20 | Visalia Tournament @ EDHS/GWHS | TBA | TBA | ТВА |
| Football | JV | Fri | Sept. 20 | Kingsburg @ Kingsburg HS | 2:30 PM | 3:00 PM | 5:00 PM |
| Cheer | All | Fri | Sept. 20 | Kingsburg @ Kingsburg HS | 3:00 PM | 3:30 PM | 7:00 PM |
| Football | Varsity | Fri | Sept. 20 | Kingsburg @ Kingsburg HS | N/A | 4:30 PM | 7:00 PM |
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| Volleyball | Varsity | Sat | Sept. 21 | Clovis North @ Clovis North HS | N/A | TBA | ТВА |
| Girls Water Polo | Varsity | Sat | Sept. 21 | Arroyo Grande Tour @ Arroyo Grande HS | TBA | TBA | ТВА |
| Boys Water Polo | Varsity | Sat | Sept. 21 | Visalia Tournament @ EDHS/GWHS | TBA | TBA | TBA |

PARENT NOTES

- **<u>Attention Parents</u>**: If you are interested in requesting a meeting with the your student's Learning Director, please fill out the appointment request form by following the link below:
 - o <u>https://goo.gl/jxgTxn</u>
- <u>Attention Parents</u>: To purchase **Miner Swag** please visit the **EDHS Fan store** on the EDHS Website. <u>http://vusd.org/ElDiamante</u>

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