



The Lancer Letter



Principal's Message

Dear Lancer Family,

Welcome to the cozy winter months of second quarter. The fall sports were competitive, and we have CIF contenders with Cross Country, Girls'

Tennis, Girls' Volleyball, and Boys' Water Polo. Good luck to the teams and the individuals in the first rounds.

The Lancer Regiment has had great showings at their marching band competitions. The band, color guard, and percussion have all placed with their fall show. They performed their shows at football games, and we wish them well as they continue their competitive season.

EPIC, the Sunny Hills Engineering program, continues to evolve. California State University, Fullerton has just approved our Engineering 100 course for juniors and seniors who have completed summer engineering and other science based courses. Engineering 100 will earn both

high school and college credit. Please visit the EPIC link at Sunnyhills.net for more information.

As the first quarter draws to a close it is a good time to reflect on the first weeks of school and re-establish goals for the year. The holidays are fast approaching, and soon it will be time for the semester grades. The quarter grades are a mid-point to check progress in courses. Parents and students, please be sure to take the time at least once a week to check grades and attendance on ABI.

Electronic Tardy Sweeps (ETS) are here and notices will be going home for students to serve Saturday School if they have excessive tardies. It is important that students arrive to class on time in the morning and are on time to class every period throughout the day. Dean of Students, Mrs. Corbin, will be monitoring students' tardies, and if you want to check on the status of your student's attendance, just click on the attendance tab in ABI.

Good luck to all the winter sports teams and the many COFA groups who are gearing up for performances. The breadth of talent that shines at Sunny Hills is a gift that all of us may enjoy by attending games and concerts throughout the year.

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Thank for you for being such a wonderful school community, and the school staff wishes all a restful Thanksgiving vacation.

Go Lancers!

*Judy Fancher
Principal*

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PTSA President's Message

Dear SHHS Families,
This is the time of year that speeds past, with one holiday following another, festivities, vacations and time, hopefully, to reflect. While there is always

plenty to complain about – the economy, state budget, limited resources for public schools, etc. – we have so much at SHHS for which to be grateful. Here's my list of PTSA highlights so far:

Compelling Education Seminar for parents and students: ShiHwa Yuan, with the help of Dr. Fancher, engaged Paul Kanarek the co-founder of Princeton Review to speak to our SHHS families. He gave an inside view of what it takes to get into college and, more importantly, how to choose a college where your student will thrive. I have been to many presentations over the past ten years and none were as informative or entertaining. Thank you ShiHwa and Dr. Fancher

Parent Handbook: No other PTSA in this district puts together such a fabulous book with everything you would need to know about school resources, calendar, and contacts. Thanks go to Clementina Eley for again updating and publishing the handbook, which is funded through your generous

donations from "Money for Sunny" and our membership dues. If you didn't receive one or need an extra, we have a few left in the office. Check out schedules for extracurricular activities, sports teams, performances and other student activities. You will be surprised at how much is going on!

"Money for Sunny": In August, PTSA introduced a Direct Appeal Campaign called "Money for Sunny" asking every family to contribute \$20 for vital programs and supplies to ensure our children's education and future. I am proud to report that our SHHS families donated over \$8,000 to this campaign. PTSA's goal for our first year of this campaign is \$10,000. Please if you have not contributed and would like to do so, fill out the flyer in the back of this newsletter. Thank you again SHHS families for making your child's school a priority. In addition to the Parent handbook, our donations go towards scholarships, Grad Nite, maintaining and replacing lockers and much more.....

Volunteers: I can't give enough thanks to all the wonderful people who donate their time and resources to so many areas of need at SHHS. Our parents can be seen helping at registration, lending a hand at the library, manning snack shacks at football games, chaperoning dances, publishing, collating and mailing the newsletter,

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Sunny Hills PTSA Programs at a glance

International Food Fair	Hospitality Staff Luncheons	Parent/Student Seminars
Lockers	Dances (Stag)	Korean Parent Outreach
Lancer Letter	Baccalaureate	Parent Handbook
Spirit Crew	Reception	Volunteers
FIES Food & Toy Drive	Grad Night	Health and Safety
Reflections Art Showcase	Membership	
	SAT prep testing	
	Scholarships	

NEXT PTSA MEETING

January 4, 2012

9 a.m.

Sunny Hills High School

PTSA meetings take place on the 1st Wednesday of every month, except December.
Everyone is welcome.

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and working toward the success of all the activities that go on each and everyday at SHHS. By volunteering, you not only show your student how important their education is to you, but you'll meet a lot of incredible people in the process. If you haven't already done so, please fill out the volunteer form in this newsletter. It is never too late to get involved. Your child will be off to college in the blink of an eye.

Holiday Toy and Food Drive: Suzie Alwash is coordinating with ASB to hold our annual toy and food drive for Fullerton Interfaith Emergency Services Holiday Community Program. More than eight hundred families designated as needy by the school district receive toys and food to brighten

their holidays. So when you're out shopping, pick up an extra toy or two, and non-perishable food items to send to school with your student. Let's show our Lancer spirit and fill those collection boxes to the top!

We will not be having a PTSA meeting or writing a newsletter in December. Our next meeting will be Wednesday January 4, 2012. Please have a wonderful holiday season and a safe New Year. See you all in 2012.

Go Lancers!

Tricia Lively

PTSA President 2011-2012

SUNNY MONEY

As we all feel the effects of the economic crunch, a team approach is what's needed to continue the quality and enrichment of our children's schools. With district and state budget cuts in education, we as parents need to work together to ensure our children's education and future.

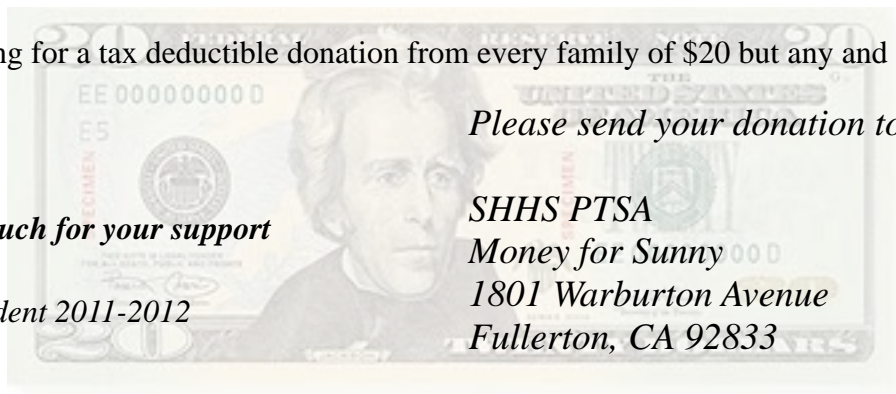
Sunny Hills High School PTSA seeks your support to help provide our students and teachers with the means to achieve a quality education. Please join the PTSA and participate in our Direct Appeal Campaign called "Money for Sunny" which funds our programs and activities. Whatever donation we receive will be applied 100% to the needs of our school and students. Below is an attachment with more information on what PTSA funds.

We are asking for a tax deductible donation from every family of \$20 but any and all donations are encouraged.

Thank you very much for your support
Tricia Lively
SHHS PTSA President 2011-2012

Please send your donation to:

SHHS PTSA
Money for Sunny
1801 Warburton Avenue
Fullerton, CA 92833





“Fill a Bag for F.I.E.S.”

Nov 15 to Dec 7

Help us show that our school “can” make a difference in the lives of Fullerton families. It is time for our PTA’s annual community service project with Fullerton Interfaith Emergency Service (F.I.E.S.).

Please take the time to “Fill a bag for F.I.E.S.” for donating new unwrapped toys/gifts and/or canned and non-perishable food items and for our collection. New or gently used books and stuffed animals are also appreciated.

There is a great need for toys and gift items for teenagers this year, such as sporting goods, cologne, makeup, lotions/body washes, costume jewelry, hair accessories, watches, wallets, CD players, radios, manicure kits, curling/flat irons, purses, clock radios, etc... each item about a \$10 value.

F.I.E.S. collection boxes will be located in each classroom.

The F.I.E.S. collection takes place from November 16 through December 10th.

Items collected will be delivered to F.I.E.S. and F.I.E.S. will then distribute food and holiday gifts to Fullerton families, with children just like ours, who are in need during the holiday season.

Please contact Suzie Alwash at 714 449 9714 or suzie@alwash.net with any questions.

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STUDENT!!!

PTSA***Hey Lancers!***

I hope you guys have been enjoying your school year so far because looks like we're on full speed now. This past month of October flew by, and before I knew it, it was already Homecoming night! Well I'm sure you've all been extremely busy with all the school work being given out but I hope you guys had some time to take a breather and enjoy everything that went on this month!

Of course our highlight of the month was definitely HOMECOMING! What an exciting time in the school year, don't you guys think? For all you seniors I hope you enjoyed this last HC, and for me I knew it started to sink in when the court interviews began. I want to recognize all you lovely ladies who tried out for interviews, I'm sure you were all amazing. I'm sure everyone was anxious to find out who our court would be, and it was great seeing everyone coming out to the HC pep rally to find out! After some great games coordinated by our pep commissioners Aveena Patel and Daniel Chung we were finally able to find out who the lucky five would be. Congratulations to Tatiana Tuccio, Alexis Benoit, Christine Hasrouni, Marlena Eley, and Li Walls for making court.

As the time flew by we soon came to HC week. Of course we had to have lunch activities to celebrate this great event! Thank you to everyone who dressed up for all of our spirit days! It was great seeing you guys in y'all in western gear and seeing all those super heroes and then showing off that black and yellow! Let's go Lancers! I also want to say thanks to those of you who came out to the quad games, and for those of you who still don't come out, you should! There are tons of great silly games we play, and it's always great to go out and support your friends. Remember if you ever

A report from our Student Body representative about student life at

Sunny Hills

have any questions about the games or activities going on at school you can always approach an ASB member and ask. Of course at the end of the week we had one of the most important games, our HC football game!

WOW! I was so extremely happy to see all the lancers that came out on Friday to our football game. There was a great crowd and I encourage everyone to come out every time! As our Lancers battled it out with the Sonora Raiders, we also were preparing to find out who our Homecoming Queen would be during half time. I hope everyone enjoyed our half time show; we put in a lot of effort into revealing our Queen. As the suspense grew we all soon found out that our Homecoming Queen was...TATIANA TUCCIO! Congratulations to this very special lady, and to all of our court for making it that far, they all looked beautiful that night. With our theme released, our Queen announced, and the gym being decorated, it looked like we were ready for our Homecoming! I hope everyone had a blast and enjoyed it!

To end our month we had our last spirit day of the month, our Halloween dress up day. It was great fun seeing all you lancers dress up and some of you matching with your friends it was very cute. Well lancers we have a great month to look forward to in November, we have events such as F.I.E.S, which you will all hear more about soon and of course we have Thanksgiving break to look forward to! Have a great month lancers!

With love,

Your PTSA Rep. Mariana Salas

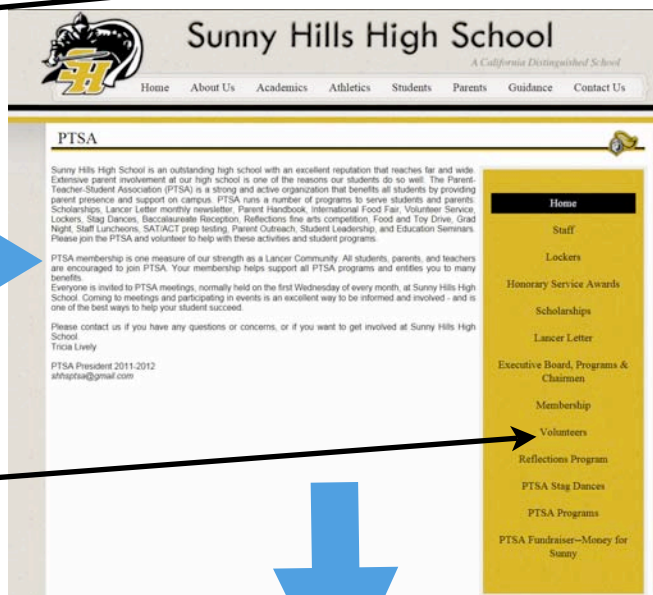
*Sincerely,
Your ASB representative
Mariana Salas*



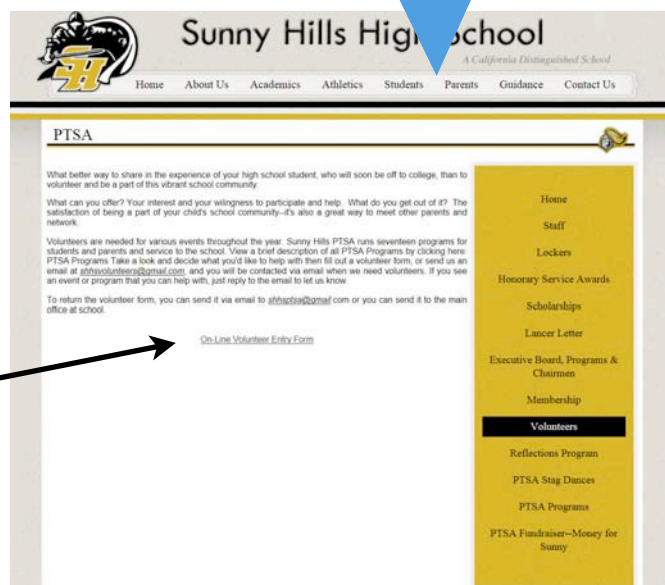
Volunteers Sign Up



1) To volunteer go to the web site SunnyHills.net and click on Parents and then PTSA



2) In the next window select volunteers



3) To view the volunteer form click here

For On-line Form and submission click [here](#)

CALENDAR

November

- 9 Late Start 1st Period begins 9:42 a.m.
- 11 Friday - No School Veteran's Day
- 15-Dec7 FIES Toy Drive begins
- 21-25 Thanksgiving Break No School

December

- 13 FJUHSD Board Meeting 7:30am
- 16 ASB Spirit Week & Early release
- 19-39 Winter Recess

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Upcoming Events

Sunday, October 9

- 9:00am Fullerton Chinese
- 3:00pm Fall Play Rehearsal

Monday, October 10

- Girls FIS Volleyball @ LH
- Girls JV Volleyball @ LH
- Girls V Volleyball @ LH
- 9:30am SH Aquatics Pract
- 1:30pm
- 1:30pm
- 2:00pm
- 3:00pm
- 3:00pm
- 4:30pm
- 7:00pm

Tuesday, October 11

- Boys FIS W Polo SO @ SH
- Boys JV W Polo SO @ SH
- Boys V W Polo SO @ SH
- Girls JV Tennis @ LH
- Girls V Tennis @ LH
- 9:30am SH Aquatics Pract
- 6:00am Basketball Practic
- 8:00am Administrative Te

News and Announcements

Marching Band Pancake Breakfast
Saturday, October 8, 2011 - 9 AM to 12 PM - Cafeteria

California HS Exit Exam
Juniors & Seniors only
Tues. November 1, 2011 and Wed. November 2, 2011

8th Grade Parents - Register Here for the January 2012 Honors Entrance Exam
Honors Entrance Exam will be given on January 7 & January 21, 2012 to students who will be entering the 9th grade in 2012-2013.

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