

April 2025

# ALDER GROVE

## NEWSLETTER

SAVE THE DATE

*Starry Night Prom*

SATURDAY, MAY 17TH, AT THE  
WHARFINGER, 1 MARINA WAY  
EUREKA CA, 95501

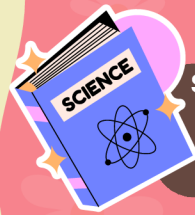
7:00 P.M.-9:30 P.M.

PLEASE PURCHASE TICKETS BY MAY 9TH AT  
THE FRONT DESK



Monday, March 21st - April 4th CAASPP Testing Week #2  
No on-campus classes, CT meetings, or labs.  
Check with teacher or tutor for all other meetings.

No breakfast and lunch testing week. Snacks will be  
available for students testing. The wellness center will  
be open their usual hours.



Science Fair experiments can be completed for  
one year before the fair! Please contact Kathy  
Yeager if you want support with science  
experiments you may be interested in!"

### Upcoming Field Trips



APR  
24

#### SCHOOLS TO SYMPHONY

FREE! GRADES TK-6  
SIGN UPS WILL BE SENT OUT ON 4/1 AT 10AM  
11am, Arkley Center, 412 G St, Eureka

APR  
30

#### SUE-MEG STATE PARK

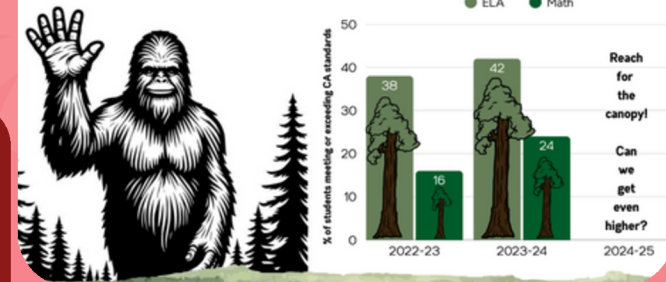
FREE! GRADES TK-8  
SIGN UPS WILL BE SENT OUT ON 4/15 AT 10AM  
10am, 4150 Patricks Point Dr, Trinidad

Questions:



[tanya.tur@aldergrovecharter.org](mailto:tanya.tur@aldergrovecharter.org)

Alder Grove's CAASPP growth is almost  
as big as Sasquatch!



**MONTHLY  
CALENDAR**



If you see this hand that means the  
flyer is a LINK to more information!

**FOLLOW US ON  
SOCIAL MEDIA!**





# APRIL



Alder Grove's Second Annual

Prizes! Games! Snacks! Races!

## LET THE GAMES FIELD DAY BEGIN!

Thursday, April 24  
3:30-5:30pm  
**LIFEHOUSE HUMBOLDT**  
2734 Hubbard Lane,  
Eureka

All AGCS students are encouraged to attend!  
Students in TK-3 should be accompanied by an adult.  
Please wear comfortable clothes and shoes.

**GRADES 5, 7, & 9 CAN COMPLETE THEIR PFT HERE!**

ALDER GROVE CHARTER SCHOOL

## CLASS OF 2025 GRADUATION MAY 29TH

EUREKA THEATER  
612 F St. Eureka

MIDDLE SCHOOL CEREMONIES START AT 3:30 PM  
HIGH SCHOOL CEREMONIES START AT 5:30 PM

### ★ SPRING CAASPP TESTING IS UNDERWAY! ★

HELLO STUDENTS AND FAMILIES,

STATE TESTING SEASON IS IN FULL SWING FOR OUR 3RD-8TH, 11TH, AND SOME 12TH GRADE STUDENTS! CAASPP PARTICIPATION IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN EVER. NEW LAWS IMPACTING CHARTER RENEWAL HAVE MADE IT CRITICAL FOR ALL ELIGIBLE STUDENTS TO COMPLETE THEIR TESTS. SIMPLY PUT—OUR SCHOOL'S FUTURE DEPENDS ON STUDENT PARTICIPATION!

WEEK TWO OF CAASPP TESTING MARCH 31 - APRIL 4  
NO ON-CAMPUS CLASSES DURING THIS WEEK

PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT!  
A LINK TO THE CAASPP PRACTICE TESTS IS AVAILABLE ON THE ALDER GROVE WEBSITE UNDER QUICK LINKS. WE ENCOURAGE FAMILIES TO SIT DOWN WITH THEIR STUDENTS AND GO THROUGH THE PRACTICE TESTS TOGETHER. THIS WILL HELP STUDENTS FEEL MORE COMFORTABLE WITH THE TESTING FORMAT AND QUESTION TYPES. YOU CAN ALSO FIND AN ANSWER GUIDE HERE: [CAASPP PRACTICE GUIDE](#).

YOUR SUPPORT IS ESSENTIAL IN HELPING US REACH 100% PARTICIPATION IN STATE TESTING. WE APPRECIATE EVERYTHING YOU DO TO ENCOURAGE YOUR STUDENTS AND HELP OUR SCHOOL SUCCEED!  
IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE REACH OUT. LET'S DO THIS TOGETHER! 🌟



**DEADLINE  
EXTENDED TO  
MAY 1ST**

### Writing Contest

Rules

- School appropriate
- Max two pages
- submit between March 14th through 21st
- Must be typed

Theme  
The genre of your choice

Submit your piece to Katie at  
katie.pagel-  
mullan@aldergrovecharter.org

### Spring Music Performance

Friday May 23, 2025  
10am-12 pm

Intermediate and Advanced Rock Band

- Dance
- Piano
- Choir
- Vocal
- Beginning Ukulele
- Musical Theater Performance
- Song Circle Jam
- Beginning Guitar
- Beginning Guitar/Ukulele

YOU ARE INVITED

## END OF THE YEAR PARTY!

MAY 9 | FRIDAY | 5-7 PM  
AGCS PARKING LOT

JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF FUN AS WE CELEBRATE THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR!

ENJOY:

- ♦ HOT DOGS
- ♦ NATURE JOE
- ♦ PHOTO BOOTH
- ♦ FACE PAINTING
- ♦ SHAVED ICE
- ♦ POPCORN
- ♦ GAMES & MORE!

BRING YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS—WE CAN'T WAIT TO CELEBRATE WITH YOU!

Two upcoming events in April | Sponsored by the student council!

4/18 "Hang Out" crafts, games, snacks!  
4/25 Board Game Night!  
~Stay tuned for details~







**JOIN US TO CELEBRATE OUR K-8TH**  
**RECESS CLUB**

**WEEKLY ON TUESDAYS FROM  
1:30-3:00 AT THE JEFFERSON  
COMMUNITY CENTER  
1000 B. ST, EUREKA**  
**\*GUARDIANS ARE REQUIRED TO STAY  
ON SITE\***

**DETAILS AND  
REGISTRATION:**



### Get Involved: High School Voter Education Weeks (April 14–25, 2025)

We're excited to take part in High School Voter Education Weeks this April.

From April 14 to 25, students will have the chance to learn more about civic engagement, the voting process, and how to make their voices heard.

Students aged 16 or 17 can even preregister to vote now so they're automatically signed up when they turn 18!

Check out these resources:

- Learn more about the program: [High School & Youth Initiatives](#)
- Want to be a student poll worker? Info here: [Poll Worker Program](#)
- Ready to preregister or register to vote? Do it here:  
[RegisterToVote.ca.gov](https://RegisterToVote.ca.gov)

Let's help our students get civically engaged and ready to vote!



Alder Grove Charter School

# CTE SHOWCASE

## 2024-25

Featuring guest speakers, hands-on workshops, activities, a raffle, and last but not least FOOD!

FRIDAY, MAY 16TH

Location:

4:00 - 7:00 PM

Jefferson Community Center  
1000 B St, Eureka, CA 95501

**STUDENTS! CLICK HERE TO RSVP FOR THE SHOWCASE  
AND EARN AN EXTRA RAFFLE TICKET AT THE DOOR!**

The CTE (Career and Technical Education) Showcase is an end-of-the-year event where students get to show off the awesome things they've been learning and creating in their CTE classes. It's a fun, hands-on experience with workshops, guest speakers, student projects, interactive displays, and even a raffle with prizes!

Whether you're into media arts, culinary, construction, health, or tech, there's something for everyone — plus food, games, and a chance to connect with the school community. Come celebrate all the creativity and career-building skills our students have been working on this year!



Legacy Art Project | Artists are: Bella Beard, 8th; Briana Gerber, 12th; Joy Turner, 12th; Melissa Ramos Martinez, 7th; Micah Mrotzek, 8th; Morgan Chittendon, 12th; Morgan Niedhold-Pratt, 10th.





SAVE THE DATE!

2025 Program Date: June 16-27th

TASI is a free two-week summer education program that allows local high school students\* to explore careers in product manufacturing and acquire skills in welding or construction technologies. The program includes visits with local industry partners, and participants have the opportunity to earn OSHA 10 certification. **No shop experience is required!**  
\*space is limited and priority may be given to early applicants or graduating seniors.

Covered topics include:

- Fabrication
- Welding
- Construction
- Workplace Safety



SCAN TO BE  
ADDED TO OUR  
MAILING LIST  
BIT.LY/TASI2025

**Program Information**  
Ann Marie Rocha, Program & Event Coordinator  
arocha@hcoe.org | 707-441-3954 | HCOE.ORG/TASI



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SAVE THE DATE!

TESI is a free four- to six-week summer education program that allows local high school students the opportunity to explore career fields in Information and Communication Technology (ICT). This year the program has expanded into two offerings. **No programming experience is required!**

\*Space is limited! Priority may be given to early applicants.

**TESI Fundamentals: June 16th - July 11th**

- Explore the six main domains of ICT.
- Visit local worksites that showcase the wide variety of the use of technology in the industry.

**TESI AI: July 14th - 25th**

- Priority is given to students who have completed TESI Fundamentals or have the equivalent knowledge base.
- Dive into Artificial Intelligence (AI) and many other domains.
- Explore careers through a six-hour, work-based learning experience with one of our industry partners.

**Program Information**  
Ann Marie Rocha, Program & Event Coordinator  
arocha@hcoe.org | 707-441-3954 | HCOE.ORG/TESI

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WANT SOME CLOTHES?

COME AND CHECK OUT  
ALDER GROVE'S STUDENT

**CLOTHING  
CLOSET**

Shoes, Tops, Hoodies,  
Sweaters, Leggings,  
Sweatpants and More

Ask a staff member to  
assist you in accessing it

ALDER GROVE CHARTER  
SCHOOL

*TK & K Get Together*

**DISCOVERY MUSEUM**

612 G St STE 102, Eureka, CA 95501

4/17 and 5/15

1-2 pm

Join us for a TK & K Get Together at  
the Discovery Museum for a FREE  
playgroup.

Contact Aly & Randi to attend.  
aly.lescht@aldergrovecharter.org  
and  
randi.mead@aldergrovecharter.org

**Field Trip: Wellness Walks**

**Who: Grades 3rd-5th**

**When: April 17<sup>th</sup>, 10:00-11:30am**

**Where: The Arcata Marsh. 569 S  
G St. Arcata, CA.**

**What: We will go for a walk as a  
group, do mindfulness activities,  
talk about how nature effects our  
wellness, and have fun!**

**Questions? Email Mary Fisher at  
mary.fisher@aldergrovecharter.org  
or call/text (707) 572-7898**

ALDER GROVE CHARTER  
Presents

**Conscious  
PARENTING**  
with Diana Nunes Mize

Our Fall class series was such a huge  
success we are excited to announce another...

More joy, less stress!!

Come together and  
connect with other parents

Reduce conflict and  
power struggles.

Make life easier and  
more fun!!

REGISTER HERE

or click here

**6 WEEK SERIES  
TUESDAYS  
5:30 - 7:30**

**FEBRUARY 25TH  
THROUGH APRIL 1**  
at Alder Grove Charter School

For more information contact  
Shana @ 707-268-0854 ext. 333

STARTS FEBRUARY 24, 2025

**FREE  
FOR CAREGIVERS  
OF CHILDREN  
UP TO  
AGE 8**

**No Drama  
Discipline  
PARENTING SERIES**

Spend Time with Other Parents and Learn  
Strategies To More Effectively Communicate  
and Connect with Your Child

REGISTER HERE

A six-week parenting group based on the bestselling book  
**No-Drama Discipline** by Daniel J. Siegel and Tina P. Bryson

**DATES:**  
Monday, February 24  
Monday, March 3  
Monday, March 10  
Tuesday, March 18  
Monday, March 24  
Monday, March 31  
**TIME: 5:30-7:30pm**

**LOCATION:**  
Humboldt County Office of Education, 901 Myrtle Avenue, Eureka

A light dinner is provided. Childcare is available for children  
ages 1-8 years. Babies younger than 12 months old  
are welcome in arms. Registration is required.

Each family will receive a copy of the book *No-Drama Discipline: The Whole-  
Brain Way to Calm the Chaos and Nurture Your Child's Developing Mind*

Humboldt County Office of Education  
**Early Education  
Department**

For information or to register call:  
Hailey at 707.613.3183 or  
Ev at 707.633.3065




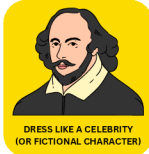






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## 2025



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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 <b>SPRIT Week</b>	15  DRESS LIKE A CELEBRITY (OR FICTIONAL CHARACTER)	16  TWIN DAY	17  DRESS LIKE A LIBRARIAN	18  CRAZY HAIR DAY	19  PAJAMA DAY
20	21	22	23	24 FIELD DAY 3:30-5:30 FIELD TRIP - SCHOOL TO SYMPHONY	25	26
27	28	29	30 FIELD TRIP - SUE-MEG STATE PARK			

### IMPORTANT DATES

- MARCH 21ST - APRIL 4TH: CAASPP TESTING WEEK - NO ON CAMPUS CLASS, CT MEETINGS OR LABS, CHECK WITH RESOURCE TEACHER OR TUTOR FOR ALL OTHER MEETINGS.
- APRIL 4TH - LAST DAY TO TURN IN YOUR GRAD CAP AND GOWN FORM
- **APRIL 7TH - 11TH - SPRING BREAK, NO SCHOOL**
- APRIL 17TH - WELLNESS WALK 10:00-11:30
- APRIL 24TH - FIELD DAY 3:30-5:30
- APRIL 24TH - FIELD TRIP - SCHOOL TO SYMPHONY
- APRIL 30TH - FIELD TRIP - SUE-MEG STATE PARK

### SCHOOL HOLIDAYS (NO SCHOOL)

ALDER GROVE EVENTS

AG FIELD TRIP

COLLEGE & CAREER OPPORTUNITIES