

# Pleasant Grove Elementary Gazette



Principal's Message

April 2025

Welcome to April!

There is much to look forward to in our last two months of school! Please make sure to mark your calendars for the many items you will find in this Gazette, our social media, emails/newsletters from teachers, and also the May Gazette to come!

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We are rapidly approaching our PTA annual Gala Dinner and Auction on May 3rd. I hope to see all of you there! This is our PTA's only fundraiser. (Some schools do lots of fundraisers throughout the year.) Money raised from this event pays for items such as: assemblies, transportation for all field trips, and classroom supplies. Every year I am in awe of the amazing families that we have here at Pleasant Grove Elementary School. Your partnership with us in an ongoing commitment to excellence is honorable and we sincerely cannot do what we do without your support. We have a very special recipe for success at our school and you are an important ingredient. We cannot express enough the gratitude we have for your involvement and support.

Our 3rd-6th graders will take the CAASPP exam again later this month. April 28<sup>th</sup> – May 9<sup>th</sup>. This is their opportunity to show what they know! Students will be taking computer-based assessments. It is critical that you ensure your child is at school every day, all day, and on time. If students arrive once testing has started, we will care for them in the office or another classroom until the testing block is concluded. They will need to make up the missed test on another day. Please refrain from scheduling appointments for your children during their testing blocks. In addition, please ensure your children are well rested and that they have a healthy breakfast that includes protein. This helps learning and testing!

For additional information on the upcoming SBAC/CAASPP test, I encourage you to access this valuable resource: <http://www.smarterbalanced.org/parents/> Parents of children of all ages will enjoy the information!

Thank you for your partnership!

Deidra Wood

Our Newsletter is published each month and will contain information to assist in keeping you informed of activities and events in which your student may be involved. We will continue to provide information that you may find useful in providing support to your student on their educational journey. Your insight and input is strongly encouraged.

# Calendar of Events

## April

April 2nd	6th Grade Field Trip UC Davis 8:45—2:00
April 2nd	Family Science Night 5:00—6:30
April 4th	Spirit Day—Twin Day
April 4th	Student of the Month Assembly 1st—6th Grade 2:00
April 7th	Student of the Month Assembly TK & K 11:20
April 11th	4th Grade Field Trip SPLASH 8:45—1:15
April 18th	Multicultural Fair 2:00—2:40
April 24th	3rd Grade Field Trip Sac State Planetarium 9:00—12:00
April 24th	1st Grade Field Trip Sheldon High School 11:40—1:30
April 25th	2nd Grade & Ms. McDowell's class Field Trip Sacramento Zoo 8:45—2:15
April 29th	CAASP Testing Begins Grades 3rd—6th Grade
May 3rd	PTA Auction Gala 5:00—10:00 The Barn
May 28th	6th Grade Promotion 9:00 AM
May 30th	Last Day of School

## Pleasant Grove Elementary Annual Gala Adults Only



**Denim & Diamonds**

**May 3rd**

**5:00—10:00**

**The Barn**

**10826 Walmart Road Wilton**

**STUDENT OF THE MONTH FOR March**  
**Congratulations to these students!!**

ACADEMIC	CHARACTER TRAIT Cooperation	EFFORT
Ashley Bok Franklin Canuela Maci Coleman Christina Dominguez Dez Dutt Madeleine Haydn-Myer Kalee Her Toby Hosmann Aniya Ingraham Paige Moua Isabelle Nguyen Amaya Prasad Elijah Raju Savannah Shen Jasmine Trinh Kaleb Vo Zachary Winkler	Bryce Aston Makai Barfield Nevaeh Bufford Paisley Chavez Victoria Godinez Cardenas Miles Hosmann Claire Jones Isaac Magana Maryam Mikbel Christopher Moore-Smith Aiden Moua Bennett Nanzer Isaac Roblada Jai Shah Mason Shaw Huy-Haiden Tran Linh Tran Annabelle Ure Kent Vang	Chase Ballard Jesus Cervantes Whalen French Julian Hakala Evelyn Hardenburg Amiliano Islas Mia Kumar-Pesci Rajvir Mahi Toby Pratt Caia Raines Kash Ruffell Xander Simunich Colt Thompson Valeria Torres Mark Trukhan Agustin Valencia

# **Accelerated READER**

Congratulations to these students that have earned the following awards.

## **BRONZE**

Dez Dutt  
Juliana Garcia  
Hazel Lam  
Evelyn Lozano  
Sebastian Luong  
Quinn Marengo  
Austin Xiong

## **SILVER**

Bryce Aston  
Jeremiah Banks  
Connor Chuang  
Madison Dobbs  
Yeray Dominguez Zavala  
Colton Enterkin  
Angela Lai  
Evelyn Linley  
Elizabeth McFadden  
William Newman  
Daniel Naveja Ortiz  
Amelia Phelps  
Morgan Phelps  
MaKenzie Poti  
Caia Raines  
Mehar Sidhu  
Emilio Valencia  
Aarav Virk  
Kodi Wallace

## **GOLD**

Kyleigh Aston  
Andrew Borlak  
Eli Borlak  
Jalton Bufford  
Brooklyn Davila  
Cruz Davila  
Syney De Cou  
Tri Do  
Colton Fonda  
Kyson Ingraham  
Christopher Lema  
Olivia Marengo  
Taylor Pratt  
Yliana Rodriguez  
Sargi Sidhu  
Marco Taylor  
Lucas Ursin

## **PLATINUM**

Haniya Usman Ahmad  
Sierra Bufford  
Maci Coleman  
Wyatt Coleman  
Ava Congdon  
Sophie Diaz  
Miles Hosmann  
Eli Linley  
Douglas Macdonald III  
Yanneli Navarro-Rivera  
Dustin Nguyen  
Cruz Perez  
Kira Rhynas  
Jaxon Sategna  
Huy-Haiden Tran  
Aaron Vidal-Anderson

# Perfect Attendance 2/28/25-3/28/25

A few winners from each grade level will be chosen at random to win a prize!

## TK KIDDOS

Amos Calvillo  
Liana Calvillo  
Harrison Canuela  
Amelia Coles  
Josey Congdon  
Claire Jones  
Charles Love  
Isaac Magana  
Taho An Nguyen  
Xander Thames  
Lincoln Wessel

## KINDERGARTEN

Chloe Debolt  
Leilani Beeks  
Seraphina Bufford  
Ridge Congdon  
Toby Hosmann  
Jillian Iway  
Rowan Marengo  
Olivia Parsi  
Madison Phu  
Hudson Phung  
Colt Thompson  
Alessio Valencia  
Athena Xie

## FIRST GRADE

Hope Anderson  
Jeremiah Banks  
Jace Bufford  
Wyatt Coleman  
Abigale Coles  
Dez Dutt  
Angela Edralin  
Julian Hakala  
Haylee Han  
Nash Hand  
Lani Nguyen  
Julius Owens  
Sargi Sidhu

## SECOND GRADE

Kyleigh Aston  
Camden Bok  
Jailyn Bufford  
Franklin Canuela  
Penelope Dominguez  
Kadence Hickling  
Miles Hosmann  
Evelyn Linley  
Evelyn Lozano  
Paige Moua  
Caia Raines  
Shayaan Saeed  
Alexander Tejada Maldonado  
Lucas Ursin  
Mia Wiechert

## THIRD GRADE

Haniya Usman Ahmad  
Emily Borges  
Jalton Bufford  
Hudson Coates  
Elliot Coles  
Gemma Cornell  
Sophia Fernandez  
Colton Fonda  
Jack Jones  
Evie Lawson  
Christopher Lema  
Olivia Marengo  
Aiden Moua  
William Newman  
Yliana Rodriguez  
Mike Sanchez Perez  
Andrea Elaine Soares  
Huy-Haiden Tran  
Jasmine Trinh  
Vera Trukhan  
Gage Williams-Harlen  
Sarah Wu

## FOURTH GRADE

Faith Anacleto  
Haulani Aveau  
Bryce Aston  
Brody Barrozo  
Aiden Bennett  
Owen Bennett  
Max Brechbill  
Sierra Bufford  
Maci Coleman  
Rory French  
Mason Ham  
Evelyn Hardenburg  
Chu Ye Her  
Alden Kitenza  
Angela Lai  
Eli Linley  
Noel Lopez Sancez  
Devin Mendoza  
Emilio Munoz Romero  
Aizelle San  
Jaxon Sategna  
Luke Seavers  
Mason Shaw  
Mehtar Sidhu  
Kanan Sythanyarutt  
Makayla Tarr  
Hannah Tran  
Anya Tymochko  
Agustin Valencia

## FIFTH GRADE

Peyton Bok  
Graham Cornell  
Charlotte Cuong  
Chidimma Enemuoh  
Catalina Fernandez  
Kaverick Fonda  
Nelson Le  
Gustavo Lua  
Zuri Luu  
Eid Othman  
Rajvir Mahi  
Ryan Nguyen  
Kash Ruffell  
Nav Sondh  
Subhan Saeed  
Gabriella Turanski  
Benjamin Ursin  
Kent Vang  
Zachary Winkler  
Jordan Xiong

## SIXTH GRADE

Gavin DeMille  
Christina Dominguez  
Ariel Dominguez Zavala  
Somtochi Enemuoh  
Whalen French  
Kalee Her  
Amaya Kertel  
Dustin Nguyen  
Aevin San  
Jase Thompson  
Joseph Trinh