

# MARAUDER MASK

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## Principal's Message

Good Afternoon, Marauders.

Congratulations to the boys and girls varisty basketball teams on an amazing season. Both teams went to the CIF semifinals and fought hard to the end. Both teams are League Champions and have much to be proud of! Well done, Marauders!

Congratulations, and best of luck, to our 5 Marauders who are currently in Bakersfield competing at the Wrestling State Championship Tournament! More info on their incredible season on the next page.

Spring Sports are in full swing. Read Across America is next week. The Spring Musical will be here in just a few weeks. Campus is busy day in and day out. Please encourage your student(s) to finish the year strong!

Reminder: Please complete the California Healthy Kids Survey ASAP. Your participation is voluntary. It is also very important. The information you provide will help guide district and school efforts to promote safety, enhance learning supports, and improve student achievement.

Save the date! Taste of Mira Mesa will be on Saturday, April 20th. You don't want to miss this event! Click [HERE](#) to see a video highlight of last year's event

Have a great weekend, Marauders.

Thank you.  
Principal Sabins

[Bell Schedule](#)



The top four in boys, and top three in girls qualify for the CA State Tournament.

**Happy to report we qualified 5 wrestlers to the State tournament!**

We have one alternate (Naija 4th). Jeremy Tajiri placed 6th.

Chloe Sampson 105

Birta McCaskill (4 time state qualifier) 115

Angel Hill 235

Sardor Usmonov 126

Adam Ballesteros 285

**Congrats, Marauders!**



## California School Parent Survey, 2023-2024

Your school needs you to complete this online survey to learn more about your opinions about it. This survey is an opportunity to communicate your perceptions about your child's school. This letter explains the survey and, at the bottom of the page, provides your URL and access instructions. If you have any questions about this survey, contact Jason Fowler at [jfowler1@sandi.net](mailto:jfowler1@sandi.net).

The purpose of this survey is to obtain parent perceptions about the school.

Your participation is voluntary. It is also very important. The information you provide will help guide district and school efforts to promote safety, enhance learning supports, and improve student achievement.

- This is an anonymous survey. It is designed so that no one can be identified from the data. You do not have to respond to any questions that you feel could be used to identify you. Simply skip any such questions.
- All questions apply to this school only.
- The results are for the use of your district. The California Department of Education and WestEd will preserve data confidentiality and refer any data requests to the district.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR ACCESSING THE SURVEY

If you have more than one child at this school, you will only need to complete one survey for this school. Please fill out just one survey about the school using your oldest child as a reference.

After the first page of the survey, you will be able to change the language to one of 18 options.

Access the survey using the following URL:

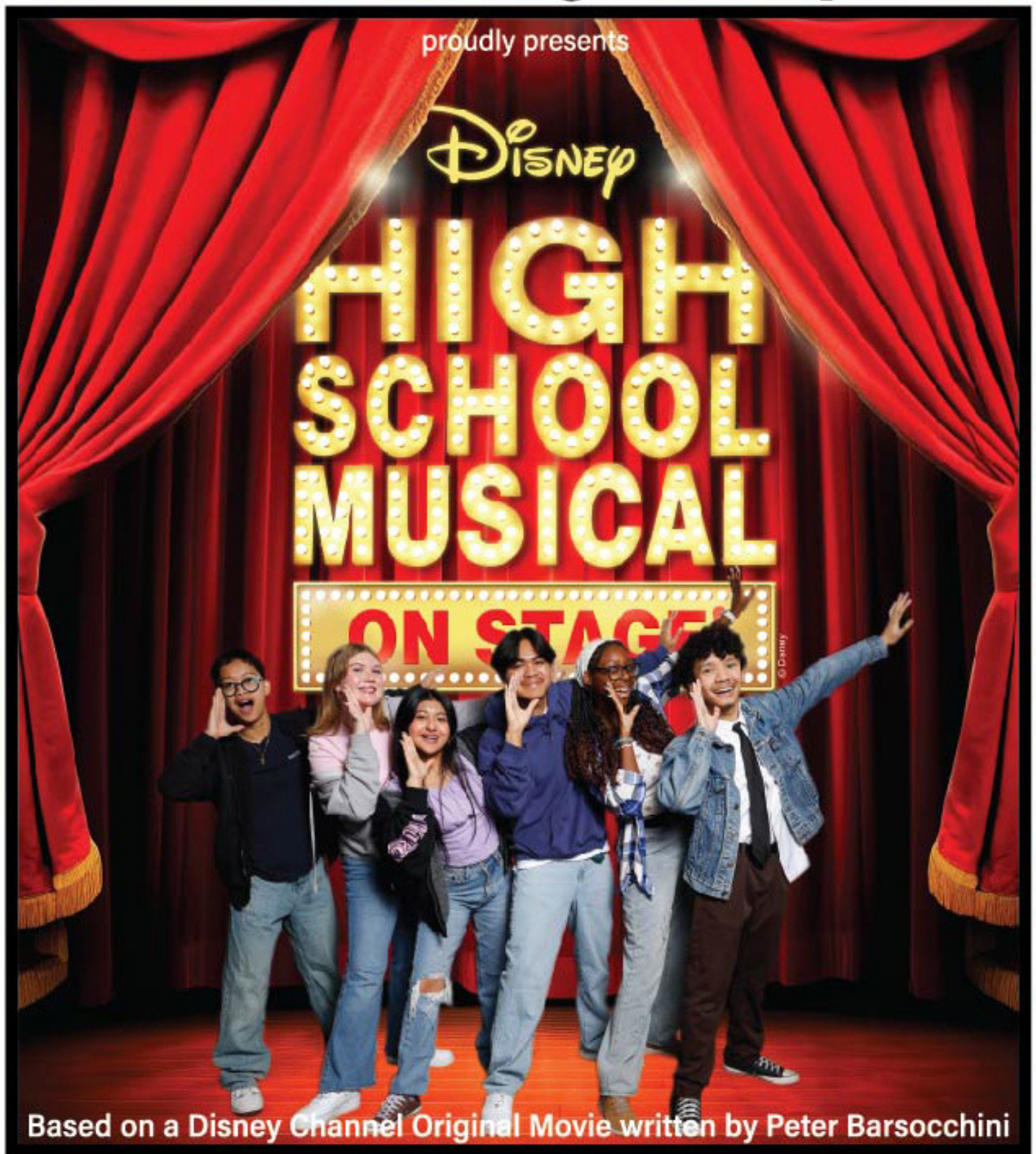
<https://wested.ugam-apps.com/wested/ts/j0hx>

If you are having trouble taking the survey, check the following:

- Make sure you are entering the website address correctly.
- Does the survey welcome page show the correct name of your school?
- Make sure you have entered the URL (in the URL bar, NOT THE SEARCH BAR). •Still having trouble? Contact your survey coordinator.

Thank you for taking this important survey!

# Mira Mesa Performing Arts Department



For tickets or info visit us at: [mmhsperformingarts.ludus.com](http://mmhsperformingarts.ludus.com)

Tickets for this year's musical, DISNEY HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL, are on sale!  
They can be purchased online at [mmhsperformingarts.ludus.com](http://mmhsperformingarts.ludus.com) and  
starting Monday, February 26th they can be purchased at the  
Theatre Ticket Booth at lunch and after school.

**MIRA MESA HIGH SCHOOL FOUNDATION**

**20**  
*Years*

## **THE ANNUAL TASTE OF MIRA MESA**

Join us on

**Saturday, April 20th at Veloce Motors' The Vault**

**9340 Dowdy Drive, Suite 102**

**5pm to 9pm**

**\$40 Pre-sale ends on March 8th**

**\$50 after March 8th**

**\$60 at the door**

Price includes event admission and one drink ticket

Additional drinks will be available for purchase

*(non-alcoholic beverages are complimentary)*

### **Event Includes**

Samplings from various restaurants, Drawdown auction,

Raffles, Online silent auction, and a Wine pull

### **There Will Also Be**

A gift card pull and a special raffle exclusively for those in attendance

### **Admin Food Battle Fundraiser**

Use your coins, dollar bills, and Venmo to vote for

The best tasting dishes served up by our own local administration

**Click here for more info and to  
purchase tickets!**

**Taste of Mira Mesa**

# BRIDGING THE DIGITAL DIVIDE with C2K

Refurbished Computers at Computers2Kids for as low as

## \$100 Drive-Thru Computer Distribution Event at

Palomar College, Escondido Campus, 1951 E Valley Pkwy, Escondido CA 92027

Saturday, March 2nd from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

2-in-1 Lenovo Yoga \$100 Desktop \$100 Laptop



### Tier 1 - \$100

- Intel Core Processor
- 8GB RAM
- 256 GB SSD
- Windows 10 Pro, MS Office 2019

### Tier 1 - \$150

- Intel Core Processor
- 8GB+ RAM
- 256 GB SSD
- Windows 10 Pro, MS Office 2019
- Intel Core Processor

### Tier 3 - \$200

- 8+ GB RAM
- Intel Core Processor
- 500+ GB SSD
- 16GB RAM
- Windows 10 Pro, MS Office 2019
- 256 GB SSD
- Includes monitor, keyboard,
- Windows 11 Pro, MS Office 2019 mouse, Wi-Fi connection adapter & webcam

Our devices include  
Lifetime Technical  
Support

- ☑ Computers are available to low-income families with no other criteria.
- ☑ Pay at the Event. We accept Cash, Debit & Credit cards. \$2.00 card processing fee.
- ☑ Friends & family are welcome to register.
- ☑ Walk-Ups are welcome!

Drive-Thru Event by appointment only.

To register:

- [CLICK HERE](#) to fill out an on-line application,
- Visit [qr.link/QCLNJ6](https://qr.link/QCLNJ6), or
- Scan the QR Code with your cell phone.

Questions? Contact us at (858) 200-9788 or [programs@c2sdk.org](mailto:programs@c2sdk.org)



SCAN ME

Register by  
February 29th

Computers 2 Kids is a National advocate for Digital Equity. Our vision is that everyone has the technological & digital resources needed for full participation in society.

#### WHAT WE DO:

- ☑ **Recycle** electronics
- ☑ **Refurbish** computers
- ☑ **Redistribute** computers to families
- ☑ **Respond** with community partners to pair families with training, connectivity and support.

**Need more devices?** Our Technology Assistance Program is available all year round. Contact us at [programs@c2sdk.org](mailto:programs@c2sdk.org) or call (858) 200-9788.

**Need technical support?** Contact us at [techsupport@c2sdk.org](mailto:techsupport@c2sdk.org) or call (858) 200-9784.

8324 Miramar Mall, San Diego, CA 92121.

Service hours: Mon-Fri 9:30 - 4:00 pm, Sat. 9:30 am - 3:00 pm

CELEBRATING  
YEARS  
2004  
2024





# ASB UPDATE

FEBRUARY 23, 2024

 MMHS.ASB

## MASB PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

HELLO MARAUDERS AND PARENTS,

Thank you to everyone who participated in our VALENTINES DAY spirit week last week! We loved seeing everyone dress up and participate in a few of our lunch time activities.

Although winter sports season has come to an end, a big congratulations to both our Boys and Girls Basketball teams for making it to the CIF playoffs earlier this week!

Our election season for the 2024-25 school year has come to an end and we will be announcing the winners for class councils and for the ASB cabinet on FRIDAY.

We have also recently restocked our student store with NEW snacks and drinks, so make sure to stop by during lunch! We are open all of lunch now! Make sure to stop by when you have the chance since we will be introducing some very new merchandise very soon!

We have a few upcoming events this spring, our THIRD BLOOD DRIVE and our SPRING RALLY to name a few, and a few spring sports to look out for. Make sure you're following our Instagram @MMHS.ASB to receive updates about our upcoming, events, activities, updates, and more information about things happening on campus. That's it for us Marauders, we'll see you next week!

Regards,  
Indra Sai and Koda Keopithoune, your MASB Presidents

## UPCOMING EVENTS NEXT MONTH ON CAMPUS

BLOOD DRIVE #3 SIGN UPS	2/29 - 3/13
BLOOD DRIVE #3	3/19
BOYS TENNIS SENIOR NIGHT	3/28
SPRING SPIRIT WEEK	3/25-3/29
SPRING RALLY	3/29

## DON'T FORGET TO GET YOUR CUSTOM CUP

**Here's to You!**

This season we are excited to offer personalized Mira Mesa spirit drinkware. These stainless steel cups and bottles keep drinks cold for 24 hours, and hot for 8 hours. Each features a unique school design and space for you to add names, nicknames, numbers, monograms, etc. You can also choose your sport or activity. These retail for \$30-40, but you get 15% off with promo code MARAUDERS15. \$10 from each product purchased will support our ASB Programs. The order deadline is March 15th. Thank you, and Go Marauders!!

**Choose your design...**

 ICONS	 VARSITY	 OMBRE	 STAINLESS
 TEZZA	 TIE DYE	 SPIRIT	 STICKERS

**Choose your size... & Personalize!**

			
Small \$25.99	Medium \$34.99	Large \$39.99	Bottle \$49.99

USE PROMO MARAUDERS15 FOR 15% OFF

**Personalize!**

		
1 Liam	2 NCAH	3 JAMES
4 Olivia	5 Emma	6 Elijah
7	8	9 Isabella



# Counseling News

*"Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember, you have within you the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars, to change the world."* Harriet Tubman

## AP EXAM ORDERING

March 1st is the final deadline for students to make any changes to their AP exam order. If they now wish to take an AP exam they have not yet signed up for, they can still pay for it at the Finance Office, but there will be a \$40/exam late fee from College Board as well as the original exam fee of \$98 or \$5 for students who qualify for the fee reduction. Most AP questions can be answered [here](#), or email Mrs. Blanchard at [dblanchard@sandi.net](mailto:dblanchard@sandi.net).

## SUMMER SCHOOL

Summer School is from June 12th-July 12th at Scripps Ranch HS and other SD Unified high schools. Counselors will automatically sign up students for Summer School at SRHS who have D or F semester grades. If SRHS is not convenient for your child, please contact your child's counselor to get signed up at a different high school. Click [here](#) to get current Summer School information as it becomes available.

## MIRAMAR COLLEGE CLASSES

Mrs. Morales and Mrs. Blum met with students this week who have not yet completed the steps for enrollment if they are taking Miramar College classes next school year. Students who do not complete the steps for enrollment by February 29th will not be able to take college classes next year.

## MMHS Counselors



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Virtual  
Counseling Center

# SAN DIEGO MIRAMAR COLLEGE

## ARE YOU A SENIOR PLANNING TO ATTEND MIRAMAR COLLEGE?

Join us for our series of workshops hosted on your campus! Our Miramar team will guide you through the enrollment process to help you transition to our college.

### CHECK OUT THE TOPICS OFFERED

LEARN ABOUT  
WHAT TO EXPECT IN  
COLLEGE & HOW TO  
ATTEND FOR FREE

2/6/2024

12:45pm - 2:15pm

RECEIVE HELP WITH  
COLLEGE APPLICATION &  
PROMISE APPLICATION

2/28/2024

12:45pm - 2:15pm

LEARN ABOUT  
CAMPUS  
RESOURCES  
(ORIENTATION)

3/7/2024

12:45pm - 2:15pm



LOCATION FOR ALL DATES: LIBRARY



SIGN UP HERE! →

QUESTIONS ABOUT  
MIRAMAR?  
CONNECT WITH THE  
OUTREACH TEAM!



Phone  
619-388-7357



Email  
mlraoutreach@sdccd.edu

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# introducing the college and career connections pavilion

March 2, 2024

11:00am – 5:00pm

Snapdragon Stadium

Proudly brought to you by:

**ThermoFisher**  
SCIENTIFIC

The San Diego Festival of Science and Engineering is buzzing with excitement as we introduce our brand-new College and Career Connections Pavilion. We aim to foster awareness and create meaningful connections for local high school and middle school students with our exceptional higher education and industry partners. Visit our new Pavilion from 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM to meet over 20+ education and industry partners who are excited to meet you.

Below are a few of the institutions in attendance.

We can't wait to see you at the Festival!

San Diego State University • Cal State University San Marcos  
Point Loma Nazarene University • National University  
Cuyamaca College • Miramar College • Southwestern College



**Don't miss a special College Student Panel at 2:30 PM! Join the discussion to hear and learn from students about their experiences in college.**



Lovestemsd.org

Presales begin on  
Friday,  
March 1st



# Celebrate your Graduate with a Ribbon Lei!



## A Special Keepsake

Leis are made with 5/8" satin ribbon in school colors and come adorned with "2024" in glittery numbers.



## Made in-house

Leis are handmade by MMHS PBO volunteers, so funds generated will stay right here at the high school.

Look for info regarding how to order your lei in the Marauder Mask, the MMHS Parents Facebook group, and Class of 2024 PBO communication channels starting Friday, March 1st!



JOIN US FOR AN IN-PERSON

Class of 2024

# PBO MEETING

WEDNESDAY 2/21/24 @530PM

40N PHO & GRILLE  
9978 SCRIPPS RANCH BLVD  
SAN DIEGO, CA 92131

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Please donate items for the Class of 2024  
Silent Auction baskets!  
They will be auctioned at  
The Taste of Mira Mesa  
in April 2024  
(drop off to Room 419)

## EARN A GRAD NITE TIX

Anyone interested in selling  
World's Finest Candy Bars to raise funds  
for their own Grad Nite ticket?  
If so, please call me ASAP  
to reserve your candy boxes  
(must sell 12 cases)

mmhs2024pbo@gmail.com  
Call Belinda (619) 940-4785

# PIZZA TIME

WE ARE  
GIVING  
**35%**  
OF SALES



**JOIN US ON:  
TUESDAY  
FEB 27TH**

**TO SUPPORT:  
MMHS PBO  
CLASS OF 2024**

**BEST PIZZA & BREW | 11 AM  
MIRA MESA | THROUGH  
9 PM**

BRING FAMILY, FRIENDS & PIZZA LOVERS! SHOW THIS  
FLYER OR TELL YOUR CASHIER YOU ARE HERE FOR THE  
FUNDRAISER!

FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM  
@BESTPIZZAANDBREW

## Class of 2024 GRAD NITE

Private party  
experience at  
Disneyland California  
Adventure Park

**07** *Friday*  
**June**

- Purchase 2/2 and 3/1  
(in front of office)
- Venmo \$295 to @MMHSFoundation



*Last Day to Register 3/1/24*

SCAN  
TO REGISTER



**Depart MMHS @7am**  
Return Jun 8th @4-5am

**For more information, email:**  
mmhs2024pbo@gmail.com

# Fundraiser Night

Monday, February 26, 2024

4:00pm-8:00pm



Join us for food and fun. Come support your local  
Mira Mesa High School Class of 2026 PBO and 15% of  
tonight's sales will be donated accordingly.



Mira Mesa FSU

10750 Camino Ruiz, San Diego, CA 92126

<https://www.chick-fil-a.com/locations/ca/mira-mesa>

[www.facebook.com/chickfila/ca/miramesa](https://www.facebook.com/chickfila/ca/miramesa)

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