

# GRANT WEEKLY BULLETIN

MAY 28 – JUNE 1

## SHOWTIME! GRANT TALENT SHOW 2007

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FRIDAY, JUNE 1 - 7:00 PM  
SATURDAY, JUNE 2 - 2:00 PM

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR MAY

Monday	5/28	Memorial Day Holiday
Wednesday	5/30	Jump Rope for the Heart Association
Thursday	5/31	Parent Volunteer Breakfast: 7:45-8:45 AM – Cafeteria

### A SNEAK PREVIEW FOR JUNE

Friday	6/1	Grant Talent 2007 – 7 PM – Auditorium
Saturday	6/2	Grant Talent 2007 Matinee – 2 PM – Auditorium
Wednesday	6/6	Kindergarten and Primary Chorus Concert – “Springtime Songs and Summer Flowers” – 7 PM
Thursday	6/7	Spring Instrumental Concert
Friday	6/8	Teacher Appreciation Luncheon – 11:30-1:15 PM – Quad
Monday	6/11	Awards Assemblies: Upper – 9:00, Primary – 10:30, Kindergarten – 12:30
Wednesday	6/13	ELAC Desayuno Breakfast – 8:30 AM PTA Meeting – 7 PM
Friday	6/15	Student Council Election Assembly: 10:15 AM – Auditorium
Wednesday	6/20	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Celebration – 5:30 PM
Thursday	6/21	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Picnic – Santa Monica Pier
Friday	6/22	No Late Start Friday – School Begins at 8:25 Final Day of School – Minimum Day – K: 8:25-12:15, 1st-5 <sup>th</sup> Grades: 8:25-1:15
Friday	6/29	Office Closes
Monday	7/2	PTA Summer Adventure Summer School Begins at Grant

**TALENT SHOW NEWS FLASH!!!** Here we go everyone.... The talent show is fast approaching and the schedule will be as follows: All students will need to come to the auditorium after school (2:50) on **Tuesday, May 29 and Wednesday, May 30.**

We will begin work on the opening song with everyone; then we will resume our regular rehearsal schedule. **Thursday, May 31** will be the dress/technical rehearsal and we will run through the entire show. This rehearsal is **MANDATORY** for everyone.

**Parents...**On Thursday, May 31 at 1:00, I will need to have a few people to help set- up chairs and decorations in the auditorium.

(I would be very grateful!!) We are also still looking for parents to run the concessions at intermission and before both shows. Please call Dorie Gsell (310)453-4268 if you can help....Looking forward to a terrific show!!!

**TEACHERS' APPRECIATION POTLUCK LUNCHEON...** will take place Friday, June 8th in the lovely grassy quad. Parents are needed to set up, clean up, cook delicious offerings, supervise the K-yard and Big Yard while the teachers are eating, and help with advance details. This year, we especially need a team of dads at 9:30 to help set up tables, chairs, and umbrellas, and at 2:00 to take them down and store them again. Look for the sign ups at the front of the school next week, or if you are a strong dad that wants to help set up and tear down, contact Patti Braun at 310 450-7906 or at [pattibraun@aol.com](mailto:pattibraun@aol.com).

**RAFFLE ITEMS FOR TEACHER GIFTS NEEDED...** at the Teachers and Staff Appreciation Luncheon on June 8th. If you have a lovely gift item that would bless a teacher, please bring it to the office labeled Teachers' Lunch Raffle and include your family name so that we may thank you!

**5TH GRADE PLAY DVD FOR SALE...**If you loved the play and want a keepsake DVD please email me your order (number wanted) and depending on volume of orders (more orders brings the cost down) the cost will be between \$5.00 - \$7.50 a DVD. I would love to have a complete order by May 30th and we would be able to have the DVD's for pick up by June 4th. My email is [mem@frameworkent.com](mailto:mem@frameworkent.com)

**SPECIAL THANKS...**to the 2006 –2007 memory book committee: Thank you to Jason McBride, Peter Damon, Victoria Garcia, Dori Gsell, Nancy Rowe, Kim Little, Eve Gordon, Judy Stocker, Alan Stocker, Peter Zasuly and the parents who did dedication pages and submitted photos for the book. We started in September and will be done in June. We thank you for your dedication. Maryellen and Jeanette

**SPITFIRE GRILL MAY 27- JUNE 4** (Sunday - Monday)...Come check out the new Airport Park, eat yummy food and raise funds for Grant. Spitfire Grill will donate 20% of the proceeds generated by Grant!! FLYERS MUST BE PRESENTED. Extra Flyers are available at the office. 3300 Airport Ave. 310-397-3455 South side of SM airport just west of Bundy. See you there!!! Any questions, please call Janie at 310-452-0982

**PLAY BALL...**Anyone want to play on Principal Al or Robb Brown's softball teams? We have six spots left from the silent auction. For a bid of \$30, you have the privilege of taking the field with the principal for a spirited game of softball on Saturday, June 9, at 10 a.m. Pizza and drinks will be served. If you are interested, please sign up on the Silent Auction board in front of the school.

## COMING EVENTS

**GRANT TALENT 2007...**On Friday, June 1, at 7 p.m. and Saturday, June 2, at 2:00 p.m., our very talented Grant students will sing, dance, act, play musical instruments and perform some very clever skits and other routines. You don't want to miss this annual event.

**KINDERGARTEN AND PRIMARY CHORUS CONCERT...**Come join us on Wednesday, June 6, as our two choruses perform, "Springtime Songs and Summer Vacation." The concert will begin at 7 p.m.

**INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC SPRING CONCERT...**The wonderful beginning and advanced instrumental music students of Grant will make their last appearance of the year at the Spring Concert, Thursday, June 7th, at 6:30 p.m. with the beginning students. Advanced students will perform at 7:30 p.m.

**STAFF APPRECIATION LUNCHEON...**On Friday, June 8, please help fete the Grant staff at our annual Staff Appreciation Luncheon.

**AWARDS ASSEMBLY...**Our final awards assembly of the year will take place this Monday, June 11th. The Upper grade assembly will begin at 9 a.m., the primary assembly at 10:30 a.m., and the kindergarten assembly will start at 12:30 p.m. Science Expo certificates will be presented and students will read essays and poems. We are proud that all 655 K-5 students were recognized for their talents and behavior this year.

**ELAC BREAKFAST...**On June 13, at 8:30 a.m. join members of ELAC for an end of the year breakfast and meeting to celebrate 2006-07.

**PTA MEETING...**Our final meeting of PTA will take place at 7:00 p.m. on June 13. Meet our newly elected PTA board as we conclude the school year and begin planning for 2007-08.

**STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTION...**On Friday, June 15th, a group of aspiring student leaders will vie for six student council offices. All second through fourth grades (next year's third, fourth and fifth graders) will listen to the candidates explain why there are the best qualified for the job. The election assembly will begin at 10:15 a.m.

**5TH GRADE CELEBRATION...**On June 20th, 113 fifth graders will take part in the Fifth Grade Celebration. This will be a twilight affair, beginning at 5:30 p.m. on the main playground. The theme this year is "Making the World a Better Place." This is part of the Grant tradition of saying farewell to students who have spent up to six years at Grant. It's a very moving and dignified event attended by 500 or more family and friends. Bring your Kleenex and cameras!

**5TH GRADE PICNIC...**Now that the Celebration has concluded, it's time to celebrate! On Thursday, June 21st, the fifth graders will spend the day at the Santa Monica Pier as part of one last celebration.

**FINAL DAY OF SCHOOL...**Friday, June 22nd, is the last day of school. Students will receive their report cards and say goodbye to teachers and staff members. If you are leaving school early please let the office know. Friday is also a MINIMUM DAY. Kindergartners are dismissed at 12:15 a.m., and 1st-5th graders at 1:15 p.m. **There is no late start Friday. School will begin at 8:25 a.m.**

