WEEK OF

#### SEPT21-26,2015



#### September 20th

-Senior Portrait from 9am-1pm @ Metz Rd (brick wall)

September 21st

-CELDT Testing

September 22nd

-Volleyball Vs Carmel

JV at 5pm

Varsity at 6:30pm

-CELDT Testing

September 23rd

-CELDT Testing

September 24th

-Volleyball @ Gonzales

JV at 5pm

Varsity at 6:30pm

-Cross Country @ Carmel

-CELDT Testing

-Student Senate Meeting

-School Site Council Meeting @ 6pm

#### September 25th

-Football Vs Alisal

JV at 5pm

Varsity at 7:30pm

-Cross Country @ Fresno

-Senior Panoramic Picture (a) 10:30am

#### September 26th

-FFA Blue and Gold Day at Toro Park at 10am

-Board Retreat

-Families in control in portable K



# OLEDAD HIGH SCHOOL

## "Home of the Aztecs"

KUDOS- To Mr. Hughes for being the first to turn in grades to Gaby.

KUDOS- To all Security Staff for the excellent job these past weeks.

KUDOS- To Mr. Starr for turning in the first student of the month for 2015-2016.

KUDOS- To counselors Narez, Maturino, Pantoja, and Moreno for supporting students in being on time to school and reducing tardies.

KUDOS- To Academy Leaders for working together.

### SHS NEWS

#### Student Senate Meeting

The SHS Student Senate met on Thursday, Thursday 17, 2015 during seventh period in the MPR.

Students each reflected on their greatest hope for the 2015-2016 school year. Then they engaged in an activity that caused them to meet and talk with a student they may not normally socialize with. They chatted with a student who was not seated at their table who they made eye contact with. They shared their greatest hope with their eye contact partner. This strategy is a strategy classroom teachers and meeting facilitators can use to have more engagement and active participation in the classroom or in meetings.

Next the Student Senate worked on providing ideas for how school stakeholders might meet the school and district LCAP – Local Control Accountability Plan goals. Three LCAP goals and ideas provided by student senators to achieve the goals are below:

#### Safe School

- Have more security personnel
- Install metal detectors
- Provide more intervention groups for anger management
- Have school adults interact with students more

#### **Parent Involvement**

- Ask parents to get involved
- Work with parents schedules so they can come to school more
- Make parents care

#### **Increase Academic Achievement**

- Make sure A-G classes are provided
- Make sure teachers are qualified
- More individual attention to students who need help
- Have the right supplies students need
- Have more options for students who do not speak English
- Teachers need to do more activities, academic games, not just learning by reading and writing, but by doing different activities

Next Thursday we will discuss how to increase attendance and reduce suspensions.

Some students are interested in attending meetings with teachers such as academy and department meetings.

## In Other News

-The law class is analyzing a case that deals with cruel and unusual punishment. -In Art class they are making cyanotypes photos in where you take light sensitive paper, composed an image with materials and exposed to sunlight then processed in water.





JV Volleyball played a tournament this Saturday against Alisal and won.

Today Volleyball plays against Oakwood.

Football has their first home game today against Monte Vista Christian School.



### Soledad Christmas Celebration Committee presents 21st Annual Snow Queen & King Competition

-If interested pick up application at the front office. Must be turned in on or before September 28th at The Soledad Information Center,641 Front St. On Wednesday we had our Chapter Meeting in which 120 students attended. On Saturday the 26th we will be attending our Blue and Gold Day at Toro Park.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "Things do not happen. Things are made to happen." - - John F. Kennedy



DATE: Saturday, Oct 3, 2015, from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

The Soledad High School NJROTC will be participating in a community Reuse Recycle & Cleanup event.

NJROTC has partnered up with Goodwill Central Coast and Tri-Cities Disposal & Recycling. Now is a great time to help your parents to clean out their closets/garages and de-clutter their homes. It is easy and convenient. Just bring your unwanted items to the Soledad Parking Lot next to the Tennis Courts.

On Thursday we had a Family Potluck. The entire cafeteria was packed with all of our students families. We had different types of food like chicken, different types of pasta, tamales and a ton of desserts. While the parents were enjoying the food, there was a slide show of all the different things we do.PT in the mornings, drill practice and all the events we have.

