

Weekly Bulletin

From The Principal's Desk

The mission of Soledad High School is to challenge students in a rich and rigorous learning environment that prepares students for college and career readiness, while opening doors for opportunity, and global citizenship. In order to meet this goal we have developed programs and pathways to help students to look past high school and plan for life in the post-secondary world. How we provide students access to opportunities outside of Soledad High School are also being examined at this time.

At Soledad High School we have developed and are sustaining valuable partnerships with Hartnell College and CSU Monterey Bay. Each of these institutions work with students both on and off of our campus to assist them in their transition into the post-secondary world. While these programs are invaluable to those who participate in them, only a small fraction of our student body is able to participate each year.

I am very excited to share with you a plan which we are currently in the process of developing. Working with our counseling staff, Soledad High School is creating a plan that will allow every student graduating from our school to have access to a community college, a CSU and a UC campus while enrolled with us.

We are in discussions with Hartnell College to bring the entire Aztec Class of 2020 for a college visit later this year. During this visit, our freshman students will be provided the opportunity to explore a college campus, talk with college level instructors and experience what their daily academic life would be like should they choose to enroll at the community college after graduating. This visit will be followed by a sophomore year field trip to CSU Monterey Bay, and a junior year field trip to UC Santa Cruz.

A visit of this magnitude has never been attempted by us before, and the planning process on how to transport, chaperone, and feed 400 freshmen on the Hartnell Campus is daunting. The rewards, however, will make a trip like this worth the effort necessary to pull it off. We are looking at having this trip sometime after Winter Break and more information will be forthcoming as the plan takes shape.



Friday, October 14

Special KUDOS

KUDOS from Mrs. Kuchta to the girls JV Volleyball team for their win against Gonzales, and RLS this week.

To Mr. Lang

Mr. Kaplan

Ms. Still

Mr. Bouke

Ms. Puaina

For helping at the home games.



KUDOS from Gaby

to Ms. Hernandez for being the first to submit grades.



The Counselors Corner

Seniors are taking advantage of the open computer lab. Again, more than 25 students took advantage of the opportunity to work on their college applications and receive any help they may need. The lab will continue to be open every Wednesday until the end of November.

On Wednesday night, Soledad High School hosted Cash for College in which over 85 students and parents took advantage of getting help completing the Free Application For Student Aid online. In conjunction with ETS and Gear Up the counselors will be have a College Week starting November 2nd- thru November 4th. Further details to follow. Also, the counselors held the weekly CSF Meeting. At this time there are over 160 students participating in this program. Mrs. Moreno and Mr. Narez started going into 11th grade classes to go over credits, graduation requirements, CSU/UC eligibility and SAT and ACT exams.

Associated Student

Body Updates

- ETS program will be having a field trip to CSUMB's Pursuit Youth Expo on Friday, October 28th.
- SHS is hosting its first annual college and career fair on Thursday November 3rd from 9 to 1:35pm at the gym.
- Come out and support the fall play god of carnage and fortunes favored, this Friday at 6:30pm in the multi. Admission is just \$5.
- Saturday October 22nd will be our annual Homecoming Dance in the Multi from 7pm to 11pm. Dance is Semi-Formal.

Student Tutoring

Subject	Room	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Math & English	NJROTC 900	6:30 am to 7:30 am	6:30 am to 7:30 am	6:30 am to 7:30 am	6:30 am to 7:30 am	6:30 am to 7:30 am
English	601	3:30 pm To 4:30 pm	×	Ms. Jimenez 2:10 pm to 3:10pm	×	3:30 pm To 4:30 pm
Math	1005	3:30 pm To 4:30 pm	×	×	3:30 pm To 4:30 pm	×

October 17

- Coffee with Dr. Bailey @ Starbucks.
- Decade's Day

October 18

- ILT 3:30pm- 4:30pm
- Pajama Day



October 19

- Academy Meetings
- Christmas in October day
- Volleyball vs Santa Catalina

October 20

- Night Rally
- Disney Day
- Volleyball @ RLS



October 21

- Fall Play
- Homecoming Parade
- Spirt Day
- Football vs RLS