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Great Opportunity for Involvement: LCAP Parent Advisory Committee

Our district's Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) aligns with our Strategic Plan to drive initiatives to support students and staff across our schools. A crucial component of the LCAP's development is gathering feedback from a wide range of stakeholders, including our parent community. The LCAP Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) is a forum for a diverse group of parents from across the district to share ideas about how we can best serve our students and reach our goals.

This opportunity is open to all parents to express an interest in participating on the PAC. This committee represents all six schools, and the committee is required to have a parent of an English Language Learner, a foster child, and a low-income student. We will hold at least four meetings throughout the school year to discuss our LCAP goals. Current dates include November 14, 2018; January 11, 2019; March 7, 2019; April 5, 2019. We will work collaboratively to determine the meeting times for each date.

If you are interested in participating in the LCAP Parent Advisory Committee, please send an email to Wendy Holmes, Director of Curriculum and Instruction by October 18 answering these two questions:

- Tell us about your involvement in Mill Valley schools, and how would you contribute to the development of our LCAP?
- What diverse perspective would you bring to the committee?

We will select at least one parent representative for each school and ensure that the required parent participants are on the committee. We look forward to engaging in these discussions and hearing your ideas for making our schools places where all students thrive!

Upcoming Parent Education Events

Courageous Conversations

Introduction for
Parents & Community

October 15, 2018

5:00-7:30pm

Edna Maguire School

80 Lomita Drive

Mill Valley, CA 94941

Dr. Lori Watson, Equity Transformation Specialist
with the Pacific Educational Group,
will facilitate this seminar.

Engage in a thoughtful, compassionate exploration of race and racism.
This seminar will provide the basics of Beyond Diversity I
protocol and the notion of - race matters.

Contact 415-499-5870



In the video, hear from Mill Valley School District teachers Brandolyn Patterson & Heather Levasseur as they discuss their experiences with the Courageous Conversations workshops and how they've incorporated the lessons into their classrooms. These conversations around race are important not only for staff, but also for families and community members.

- October 15, 5-7:30pm at Edna Maguire: [Courageous Conversations Introduction for Parents & Community](#) (Repeat event from 2017/18 school year)
- October 18, 6:30-7:30 at Marin County Office of Education: [Vaping Epidemic Parent Education Workshop](#)
- October 23, 7-8pm at Mill Valley Middle School: [Parent Ed Speaker Series: Understanding the Intersection of School, Stress, and Social Media: Ana Homayoun](#)
- November 7, 7-8pm at Mill Valley Middle School: [Parent Ed Speaker Series: Smart Phones - Jesse Pearson](#)

Nurse Reminder - [Read Myths and Facts About Head Lice](#)

Tamalpais Union High School District (TUHSD) Updates Regarding District and Budget

Hear from Tara Taupier, Superintendent of TUHSD and Corbett Elson, Chief Financial Officer, as they share information about district budget updates.

- [Oct. 10 at 6:00pm at Drake High School](#) (main office staff lounge)
- [Oct. 11 at 6:00pm at Tamalpais High School](#) (room 2020)

5th Grade Music Program Reminder

5th grade parents, there is still time to sign up for the music program (chorus, band, and orchestra)! Music is a great way for your child to develop a skill, bond with peers, and more. Thank you to Kiddo! for supporting our MVSD music programs and staff. If you and your child are interested, please view the [program and registration information](#).

Halloween Is Coming Up - [View Safety Tips](#)



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