



F-TROOP

NEWSLETTER



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District F

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE 2009 SCHOOL YEAR

SCHOOL WILL NOT BE IN SESSION ON THE FOLLOWING DATES:

- 01/01/09 New Year's Day
- 01/05/09** Classes Resume** (after Winter Break)
- 01/19/09 Martin Luther King Jr., (Observed)
- 01/23/09 Staff Development Day
- 02/16/09 Presidents' Day
- 03/02/09 Staff Development Day
- 04/03/09 Spring Break Begins
- 04/13/09** Classes Resume** (after Spring Break)
- 05/25/09 Memorial Day
- 06/04/09 Last Day of School (9 month)

For a complete list of calendar dates access

[CCSD 2009 School Calendar](#)

REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS:

January 22, 2009, 4:00 p.m.

February 12, 2009, 4:00 p.m.

February 26, 2009, 4:00 p.m.

The above board meetings are held at:

Edward A Greer Education Center, Board Room
2832 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89121

Access the district's website [Clark County School District](#)

SPECIAL BOARD MEETINGS:

January 08, 2009, 4:00 p.m. (Organization of the Board)

January 21, 2009, 9:00 a.m.

February 04, 2009, 9:00 a.m.

Edward A. Greer Education Center, Board Room
2832 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89121

PLEASE NOTE: Work Sessions are now held on Wednesday mornings.

UNSATISFACTORY NOTICES DISTRIBUTED:

In addition to the parent communication system available on school websites, Trimester Progress Reports/Unsatisfactory Notices for students will be distributed on:

9 month distributed:

10/02/08, 01/16/09, 4/24/09

12 month, tracks 3, 4, 5 distributed:

10/02/08, 02/13/09, 5/22/09

12 month, tracks 1 & 2 distributed:

10/24/08, 03/06/09, 06/19/09

modified 9 month distributed:

09/19/08, 11/26/08, 02/13/09, 05/08/09

If your child is absent on the above date, please contact your child's school to make arrangements to receive the notice.

PLEASE NOTE: Notices will not be mailed home.

REPORT CARDS: Contact your child's school regarding the distribution date of report cards.

Dear District F Constituents, Parents, Staff, Students and Friends:

As we all welcome the new year of 2008, I wish I could say that it is a happy new year for education, but with the governor's proposed 4.5% budget cuts, 2008 is looking grim.

Hmm, that would be the start of last year's January newsletter! We have made those proposed budget cuts and more, to the tune of \$133 million. Now we are preparing for additional cuts amounting to \$120 million for each year of the next biennium. I am asking all of you to contact your legislators and the governor to let them know how these cuts are impacting your children and your families.

The board welcomed three new board members and Trustee Janison on January 5, 2009, where the oath of office was given. The new board members are Chris Garvey, District B, replacing term limited Ruth Johnson; Deanna Wright, District A, replacing term limited Mary Beth Scow; and Dr. Linda Young, District C, replacing outgoing trustee Shirley Barber. We all are looking forward to working with the new and returning trustees to the board.

To our departing board members, I thank you for your hard work and leadership over the past 12 years. Your combined efforts have brought the school board to a more sophisticated and professional level, such that the work of the district has been facilitated and greater student achievement is possible. We all wish you well in your new endeavors!

I hope everyone enjoyed a peaceful and pleasant holiday season.

Happy New Year!

Carolyn

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ADDITIONAL NOTES:

SAVE THE DATES:

2009 F-TROOP Meetings are:

January 14: John R. Beatty ES; February 18: Frank Kim ES; March 11: Marion Earl ES;

April 15: Pat Diskin ES; May 13: Helen Jydstrup ES. All meetings start at 9:30 a.m.

Additional meeting information is located on the 2nd page!

CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT POLICE DEPARTMENT

Operation Crime Free Schools

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2009 F-TROOP MEETING DATE AND HOSTING SCHOOL

2009

Date/Time: Wednesday, January 14, 2009, 9:30 a.m.

School: John R. Beatty ES

Address: 8685 Hidden Palms Parkway

Date/Time: Wednesday, February 18, 2009, 9:30 a.m.

School: Frank Kim ES

Address: 7600 Peace Way

Date/Time: Wednesday, March 11, 2009, 9:30 a.m.

School: Marion Earl ES

Address: 6650 West Reno Avenue

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 15, 2009, 9:30 a.m.

School: Pat A. Diskin ES

Address: 4220 Ravenwood Drive

Date/Time: Wednesday, May 13, 2009, 9:30 a.m.

School: Helen Jydstrup ES

Address: 5150 Duneville Street