



DISTRICT G NEWSLETTER



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District G

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE 2009 SCHOOL YEAR

District-Wide Staff Development Day (no school)	November 02, 2009
Veterans Day (no school)	November 11, 2009
American Education Week	November 15-21, 09
National Parental Involvement Day	November 19, 2009
Thanksgiving Day (no school)	November 26, 2009
Family Day (no school)	November 27, 2009

For a complete list of calendar dates, access [CCSD 2009-2010 School Calendar](#)

REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS:

November 12, 2009, 4:00 p.m.
November 17, 2009, 4:00 p.m.

The above Board meetings will be held at:
Edward A. Greer Education Center
Board Room
2832 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV

SPECIAL BOARD MEETINGS:

November 4, 2009, 9:00 a.m.
November 18, 2009, 9:00 a.m. (joint meeting with the Audit Committee)
Edward A. Greer Education Center
Board Room
2832 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV

[Access the district's website at www.ccsd.net/trustees](http://www.ccsd.net/trustees)
for Board agendas and reference materials

DISTRICT G PAC MEETING:

Tuesday, November 10, 2009, 9:15 a.m.
Superintendent's Schools Conference Room
(Area Service Center)
Corner of Eastern/Vegas Valley



Dear PAC Members:

Thank you for those that attended my October PAC Meeting. Bill Hanlon shared with us what good math instruction would look like. He detailed the math strategy that included homework, instruction, vocabulary, practice, and assessment. When all of these educational tools are in alignment, we will see student success. Please visit the RPDP.net Web site for more information, practice tests for the HSPT, and the semester common assessments for both middle school and high school. Daily you should be looking at your student's homework and using Parent Link to ensure that you know where your students are. If students are struggling, by all means contact their teacher and see what you can do to be supportive.

Our next PAC meeting will be held on November 10th, that is a Tuesday, just before the Veterans Day holiday. Please come and join us. I will have a representative from the Magnet Schools and other Special schools that begin their registration in November. This will include elementary school, middle school, high school, and schools of choice. Applications will be explained and any prerequisites for the schools will be discussed. If you know other parents that are interested in having their children attend Magnet Schools or other schools of choice, i.e. Career and Technical Schools, please invite them to attend.

December will be our traditional Holiday Open House; we will discuss the date at our November meeting. In January, Wednesday the 20th, we will meet at the new Vegas PBS building, have a tour, and see the programs offered by this great institution. On February 17th we will have Dr. Lauren Kohut-Rost as our speaker. We have lots of educational programs planned for the year. Put the dates on your calendars...

At our last Board meeting in October, a fellow Board Member brought forward the possibility of moving Spring Break to coordinate with the 3rd and 4th terms of school. This would mean it would not align with the holiday of Easter or Passover, but would allow the students to have a week's break between the 3rd and 4th quarters of school. It would also mean that the spring break would be evenly divided each year rather than being determined by the holidays. I would appreciate your input on this proposed change of calendar. It would not go into effect for the 2010-2011 school year but could be piloted the next year. Let me know what you are thinking.

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2009-2010 DISTRICT G PAC MEETINGS

All the following PAC meetings, with the exception of December* and January*, will be held at Superintendent's Schools Conference Room, 2298 Vegas Valley Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89169, and the time for all the following dates will be 9:15 a.m.

Wednesday, September 23, 2009

Wednesday, October 21, 2009

Tuesday, November 10, 2009

*December – To be announced

*Wednesday, January 20, 2010, at Vegas PBS,
Multipurpose Room 122
3050 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89121

Wednesday, February 17, 2010

Wednesday, March 24, 2010

Wednesday, April 21, 2010

Wednesday, May 19, 2010