

Loomis Union School District

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Paul Johnson, Superintendent

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Dear Eighth Grade Parents:

This letter is to inform you about the activities planned for 8th grade promotion. Students from all of the Loomis District schools will be involved in these activities.

Transportation to Sunsplash will be via school bus. **Parents are asked to take their children to Del Oro for the morning rehearsals on June 8th and 9th.**

June 7th	9:30-3:00	Sun Splash field trip
June 8 th -9th	8:45-11:00 (Parents to drop their children off at Del Oro at 8:30.)	Practice at Del Oro Stadium
June 9th	8:45-11:00 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00-11:00 p.m.	Practice at Del Oro Stadium (8:30 drop off) Students arrive for the ceremony Promotion ceremony begins – Del Oro Stadium Dance at Del Oro High School – Cafeteria

Sincerely,

Carolyn Cowles, Principal, Placer School	652-1830
Rick Judd, Principal, Loomis Grammar School	652-1824
Glenn Lockwood, Principal, H.C.Powers School	652-2635
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Andrew Withers, Principal, Penryn School	663-3993
Mary Zaun, Principal, Ophir School	663-1943

PROMOTION CEREMONY DRESS CODE:

Students should observe the following standards:

- Girls:** Should wear modest short dresses (no mini-skirts) suitable for church or Sunday school. Long dresses (below mid-calf) are inappropriate for this type of ceremony. Girls are not to wear gloves or carry purses on the stage. Students who are unclear should have their attire approved by their principal PRIOR to June 2, 2010.
- Boys:** Should wear dress shirts and neckties, **solid** colored slacks in black, navy, tan or gray, and dress shoes. Sport coats or sweaters are optional. Tuxedos, tennis shoes and denim pants are not to be worn.

- If dress is altered during or after the ceremony to inappropriate attire, the student will be denied access to the dance. Students may change into comfortable shoes for the dance.
- Limousines are not appropriate for the ceremony or the dance. They will not be allowed in the parking lots.
- The principal or designee shall enforce the above standards.

- Students who are inappropriately attired will be asked to make necessary adjustments or will be refused permission to participate in promotion ceremonies.

SATISFACTORY CITIZENSHIP AND ACADEMICS:

Students must maintain satisfactory citizenship and academics during the eighth grade year. Participation in the June field trip and all promotion activities will require acceptable citizenship and academics. The loss of these privileges shall be at the principal's discretion.

Important Dates to Remember:

Future 9th Grade Sports Night

May 9th at 7:00pm in the Bonner Gym

Algebra Placement Test

May 25th for Placer, Franklin & Loomis Elementary

May 26th for all other schools

3:15 – 5:15 in the Del Oro Cafeteria

For complete information and a sample of the test, visit the Del Oro website and click on ***Academics***, then ***Departments***, then ***Mathematics***. Scroll down to Challenge Test Information.

If you have any questions, please contact Del Oro at 652-7243