

Dear Innovation Community,

As we begin this week, I'd like to take a moment to recognize International Women's Day, celebrated on March 8. This day is an opportunity to honor the achievements, leadership, and contributions of women throughout history and in our own community. It is also a meaningful time to reflect on the importance of equity, opportunity, and encouraging all of our students to pursue their goals. I look forward to seeing what our talented female students will do to positively impact our community. On to this week's update:

Upcoming Events

Wednesday 3/18, 10:30 am: ELAC Meeting - [Google Meet Link](#)

Thursday, 3/19 5-7pm: iMiddle STEAM/Science Night

- [Here is the flyer](#) please see more information below, all are welcome!

Monday, 3/23 3-4pm: SSC Meeting - [Google Meet Link](#)

- [Agenda here](#)

Wednesday, 3/25, 1-3 pm: [Cultural Fair](#) - African & Middle Eastern Cultures

Friday, 3/27: Last Day of Progress Report Period P4, Beginning of Spring Break

Monday, 3/30 - Friday 4/3: Spring Break, No School

Friday, 4/17, 6-7 pm: Matilda Jr. Musical

- [Here is the flyer](#) with more information, looking forward to the show!

iMiddle STEAM/Science Night

[Family Science Night](#) is coming to iMiddle on Thursday March 19th! Gates open at 5 pm and activities run till 7pm. Come join us for a night of family centered STEAM activities from the Marvel Universe. Build a web slinger, race your rocket, and learn a little movie magic with our green screen and animation station. We will have food available for purchase and raffle prizes to win. This is not a drop off event, all students need to be accompanied by an adult. We hope to see you here!

Lost and Found Items

We have collected a large number of items in our lost and found including some very nice sweatshirts and other clothing. Please ask your students to check where we store clothes, near the lunch tables, as we will be donating the leftover items during Spring Break.

SDUSD Parent Portal

The Parent Portal will be heavily utilized next year and moving forward. All parents will be expected to use the Parent Portal to fill out forms and view student information. If you haven't already, please take a moment to make sure you have an active Parent

Portal account. If you need assistance accessing your account, reach out to our Site Tech, Mr. Adrien Memory at amemory@sandi.net. Access tutorials and guides to help you navigate the portal [here](#).

25-26 Yearbooks on Sale

The discounted yearbook prices have been extended until March 23rd. They will cost \$40, and then on March 24th the price goes up to \$45. [Click HERE](#) to purchase yours today.

Youth and Social Powwow March 21st

Families are invited to the [2026 Youth & Social Pow Wow](#) on Saturday, March 21, 2026 at Hourglass Community Field (10440 Black Mountain Road, San Diego, CA 92126), hosted by SDUSD Title VI & Johnson O'Malley Indian Education in partnership with the San Diego Miramar College Native American Student Success Program.

This event is open to the public and includes traditional dancing, Bird Singing, Gourd Dancing, Grand Entry, and Inter-Tribal Dancing — with all dancers welcome — plus food vendors, arts & crafts vendors, head staff specials, and free parking.

Cooper Family Juneteenth Youth Talent Search

The Cooper Family Juneteenth Celebration (<https://www.cfjuneteenth.com/events>) has been a proud San Diego tradition for over 50 years. This year's celebration will take place on Saturday, June 20, at Memorial Park. The coordinators are currently seeking African American performers ages 4–25 to participate in a short Zoom audition for the opportunity to perform live at the June 20 Juneteenth Celebration. There is no cost to participate. They welcome a variety of talents, including music, spoken word, dance, instrumental performance, and other creative expressions.

- Auditions are open now and will remain open until the end of May.
- [Here is the Google Form for audition registration](#)

Attendance Matters

If your student will be absent, please use the [Google Form](#) on our website to report it quickly and easily. Thank you for supporting your student's success by making attendance a priority!

Have a wonderful week!

Sincerely,

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Check out our [Innovation Website](#) for more information and resources!

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