

AUGUST 2015

In Shark Waters

Parent News from Bayfront Charter High School

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August Events

- 8/3-28 9th Grade Home Visits
- 8/3 Community Council
- 8/6 Kayaking! (4-5:30)
- 8/11 10TH Grade Advisory Evening
- 8/14 All Laptop Agreement Forms Due
- 8/20 Kayaking (4-5:30)



WE ARE...

- Smart (in many different ways)
- Healthy (in mind, body & spirit)
- Accepting (of others)
- Resilient (able to rise above)
- Kreative (with a K!!!)
- Skillful (in use of 21st C. Skills)

Did You Know?

Bayfront's enrollment has more than doubled! We now serve 211 9th and 10th graders!

SHARKS EAT HEALTHY!!!

One of the most difficult challenges to overcome at Bayfront Charter High School is our limitations in providing our students with a nutritious lunch program. We simply do not have the space required by the Child Nutrition Services Department or the Health Department to offer students a school lunch. Further, while our ASB has included various food items in their store, California law is extremely strict on what students can and cannot sell; they **MUST** meet healthy guidelines.

As an alternative, we provide all students with a morning Nutrition Break that includes choices of fruit, milk, fruit juice, cereal, yogurt, string cheese, muffins, and granola bars. This service is **FREE** to all students. They pick up these items at 9:20 or 9:30 and can take items to eat later in the day. Currently only 1/3 of our 9th graders are taking advantage of this service and only half of our 10th graders.

Please encourage your son or daughter to eat a good breakfast, take advantage of Nutrition Break, and—most importantly-- **pack a healthy lunch!** It's a long day of learning and activities at Bayfront Charter High School!

Save the Date!

Our Community Council!

Mr. Eddie Lindo
Ms. Yazmin Moran
Ms. DeShonda Roberts
Ms. Glendora Tremper
Ms. Lupita Trujillo

LAPTOPS August 14

All "Laptop Loan Agreements" forms must be signed and submitted

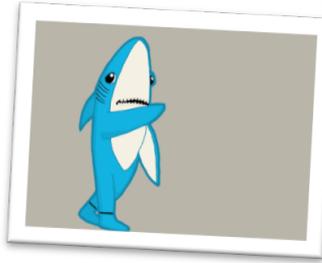
KAYAKING August 6, 20

See Elisa for details on our upcoming kayaking series!

PROGRESS August 21

5-week Progress Reports are issued to all students

BAYFRONT CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL SHARKS



SHARK BYTES...

BAYFRONT PREPARES FOR FALL SPORTS!!!

The 2015-16 Academic Year is under way and we can now turn our attention to upcoming Fall sports. Bayfront Charter High School is an official member of the San Diego Section CIF (California Interscholastic Federation) and we participate in the Frontier League. Our league includes schools of similar size and provides our student-athletes opportunities to participate on a variety of teams (as long as we have enough athletes and interest to compete.) Bayfront has committed to the following CIF sports for 2015-16:

FALL SPORTS (August – November)

Girls Volleyball	Cross Country	Flag Football
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WINTER SPORTS (December – March)

Soccer (Boys & Girls)	Basketball (Boys & Girls)
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SPRING SPORTS (March - June)

Boys Volleyball	Track & Field	Girls Softball
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OFF CAMPUS BY 4:00: Our high school has been made possible by our partnership with United States University. But it is a “good news-bad news” proposition. The *good* news: we have an enclosed, engaging space to serve students who are serious about learning and growing with our high school. The *bad* news: we are sharing space with United States University. While the majority of the university students are on-line, they do hold some classes on evenings and weekends. Consequently, we have to insure that our **unsupervised students are off campus by 4:00 (M-Th) and by 2:30 (on Fridays)**. We recognize that this is an inconvenience to parents who are working later—and appreciate the efforts all are making to help us be good partners.

HOME VISITS: Each year the staffs of both Mueller and Bayfront Charter schools begin the process of reaching out to our parent community during the month of August. While many schools hold parent conferences in the Fall, we have always held our parent conferences at the very beginning of the year and—whenever possible—in our parents’ home! These Home Visits require tremendous time and planning for our teachers, but the benefits are huge-- especially in better home-school communication!



Spotlight on Bayfront Gear Seen Around the World!

This past summer Mr Vidales could be spotted on Easter Island, proudly wearing his Bayfront Sharks gear! Students can purchase their gear in the ASB store!

*If you or anyone you know is traveling, make sure they take a **Bayfront Charter High School** t-shirt, hoodie or beanie with them. We want pictures from the Great Wall, Burning Man, the Roman Coliseum, the Australian Outback or anywhere else in the world!*