

CARLMONT CORNER

8TH GRADE TRANSITION INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS

APRIL/MAY 2020



STUDENT REGISTRATION

All students coming from a feeder school should have already received an email from SUHSD with a link to a detailed Google Slide Show with steps to follow for registration for elective classes. If you are having any issues, please contact your Guidance Counselor:

Yvonne Chamorro last names A- L yhamorro@seq.org

Liz DeSpain last names M- Z edespain@seq.org

All students coming from a non feeder school may contact the School Registrar:

Irma Abelt iabelt@seq.org

PARENT VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

CAF

CAF is made up of a team of talented, energetic volunteers, and it is a pleasure to work together. If you'd like to join our team, we have a number of openings we are looking to fill for next year. You can learn more on [CAF's Volunteer web page](#) or by emailing: info@CarlmontAcademicFoundation.org

PTSA

The [Carlmont PTSA](#) supports many rewarding programs for our Students, Parents, and Staff. We hope we can count on you and your student to join the PTSA for the 2020/21 school year. With your membership, we will continue to

UPCOMING EVENTS

Freshman Parent Information Night

Thursday, August 6,

6:00 p.m. Parent Groups in Administrative Parking Lot

7:00 p.m. Presentation - PAC

Freshman Orientation/BBQ/Photos

Tuesday, August 11, 8:00 a.m.
Football Bleachers

Freshman Photos

Tuesday, August 11, 10:00-3:00
Scots Gym

First Day of School

Wednesday, August 12

MIDDLE SCHOOL LIAISON

Chris Cook
chris@cookhomes.net

support Teacher/Staff Mini-Grants, Graduation Night Celebration, Parent Education Speakers, Student-Parent Directory, SAT/ACT Practice Tests, The Bagpiper electronic newsletter, Teacher/Staff Appreciation events, Senior Student Scholarships, Reflections Art Recognition Program, and more. [Click Here To Join The Carmont PTSA](#)

But, the PTSA can't do all this fantastic work on the Carmont campus without your help. We have many volunteer opportunities available with varying degrees of time commitment. Please email [Michelle Kelley](#) to find out more about open volunteer positions and find the right one for you!

CARLMONT STUDENT STORE

Is your child attending Carmont next year? Would you like to get a glimpse of AND be a part of student life here? Please join our team at the Carmont Student Store. Our little store on campus sells healthy snacks, drinks, fruits, and bagels as well as PE & spirit clothing. All of the Store's proceeds benefit the PTSA, which funds many student and parent ed programs, as well as supporting teachers' needs. The Store is managed and fully-staffed by parent volunteers. Your dedication and time makes the Student Store possible. If you have any questions, please email [Alpa Vyas](#), Student Store Volunteer Coordinator.

SPORTS BOOSTERS

[Carmont Sports Boosters](#) is a parent-volunteer based organization supporting one of the finest high school athletic programs on the Peninsula. The funds raised support EVERY team and are used to purchase equipment, supplies, protective gear and facility improvements. We are looking for a few key volunteers for the 2020-21 Booster Board, including: Vice President, Communications and Snack Shack. Please contact the nominating committee members to learn more about these roles: Faith Velschow (velschow@yahoo.com), Cristina Meeks (cristinameeks71@gmail.com) or Liz Jolls (liz.jolls@gmail.com).

MUSIC BOOSTERS

The Carmont Music Boosters support our instrumental music program which depends on this strong parent-run, non-profit community of volunteers to handle the many needs of our music students. There are many volunteer opportunities from ticket management and ushering at our concerts, measuring for and managing concert attire, writing articles to share about our amazing students, and many jobs in between. Visit our [website](#), to see our annual calendar of

ADDITIONAL WEBSITE INFORMATION

- **SUHSD Incoming 9th Grade Parent Info**
- **Carmont 8th Grade Transition**
- **Carmont Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA)**
- **Carmont Academic Foundation (CAF)**
- **Carmont Calendar**
- **Carmont Departments**
- **Scots Scoop News**

events and click on "Volunteer" to find links to signup genius or contact Music Booster president, [Kathy Brendza](#).

CARLMONT ARTS COUNCIL

The Carlmont Arts Council (CAC) supports the operational requirements of the Carlmont Performing Arts Center through fundraising, advocacy and outreach. CAC members include Carlmont's performing arts teachers, parents and community members, all with the shared passion for the performing arts. If you would like to get involved, Carlmont Arts Council meets just four times a year and is always looking for new ideas. Please email carlmountartscouncil2009@gmail.com for more information.

2020-2021 CARLMONT PERFORMING ARTS INFORMATION

Band/Orchestra:

www.carlmountmusic.com, John DaBaldo: jdabaldo@seq.org.

Incoming 9th grade students register for Concert Band or String Orchestra, no audition is necessary for those classes if your child is already enrolled in instrumental music at their middle school. If you want to schedule an audition for an advanced class (Symphonic Band, Symphony Orchestra, Jazz Ensemble), please visit the website. If your student goes to any other middle school, they should email Mr. DaBaldo regarding auditions.

Choral Music Program:

www.carlmountchoirs.com , Genevieve Tep, gtep@seq.org

Incoming 9th grade students register for Women's or Men's Choir, no placement assessment is necessary for those classes.

Dance

Lauren Reibstein, lreibstein@seq.org

Students may register for beginning dance as a Sophomore with no assessment after completing PE9 as a Freshman. For further information about intermediate or advanced dance, click [here](#) or [email](#) Ms. Reibstein.

2020-2021 CARLMONT ATHLETICS TRYOUTS & ATHLETIC/ACTIVITY CLEARANCE PACKETS

If your student would like to participate in a Fall sport, dance team or cheerleading, up-to-date information regarding tryouts, voluntary summer workouts and required Athletic/Activity Clearance Packets will be available on **CarlMontAthletics.org**. Fall sports will begin on August 7, 2020. (Many teams have summer conditioning one to two months prior to the start date. Please do not contact the coach directly until the beginning of May. Until that date all questions should be directed to Carlmont's Athletic Director, [Patrick Smith](#)..

Girls

Tennis, Volleyball, Water Polo, and Golf

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Cheerleading (year round)

Dance Team (year round)

Cross Country (no cut)

Boys

Water polo.

Football (no cut): Informational meeting TBD Student Union.

Athletic/Activity Clearance Packets (due at least one week in advance of tryouts)

<http://carlmontathletics.org/hq/athletic-clearance-information/> Forms must be signed by your child's physician and submitted online or to Ms. Eggli in Administration