

## **RVSD COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETIN**

**SEPTEMBER 20, 2013**

RVSD happenings, community events, sports activities, plays, services and other opportunities.

### **DISTRICT OFFICE HOURS**

Monday – Thursday, 8 am to 12 pm / Open: 2 pm to 4 pm / Closed Friday

### **FUTURE BOARD OF TRUSTEES (BOT) MEETINGS**

All meetings are held at the District Office - Conference Room, 110 Shaw Drive, San Anselmo, CA 94960,  
Open Session begins at 7 pm unless otherwise noted

**Please check the District website for the start time and agenda topics.**

- Regular BOT Meeting Tuesday, October 1
- Regular BOT Meeting Tuesday, October 8\*
- Special BOT Meeting Tuesday, October 15\*

*\*Note: Originally the second Regular Board Meeting was scheduled for October 15<sup>th</sup> and the Special Board Meeting on October 1<sup>st</sup>. At the September 17<sup>th</sup> Board of Trustees meeting, the Board agreed to flip the meeting dates.*

*Questions: Contact the District Office at 415.454.2162.*

### **POSTING AGENDAS & BOARD PACKET INFORMATION**

Regular Meeting Agendas: Posted 72 hours prior to the meeting date/time.

Special Meeting Agendas: Posted 24 hours prior to the meeting date/time.

Date/Time/Location: Meeting dates, times & locations are subject to change up to 72 hours prior to each regular meeting.

Questions: Contact the Superintendent's Office at 415.451.4060.

Agenda & Support Documents: Click on the link: <http://rvsd.csbaagendaonline.net/cgi-bin/WebObjects/rvsd-eAgenda.woa/wa/showMeeting>

### **ATTACHMENTS**

- How To Use Agenda Online

### **COMMUNITY LINKS**

- **San Anselmo Recreation Department Afterschool Enrichment Classes at Ross Valley Schools:** For more information or to sign-up online, visit the website at [www.sananselmorecreation.org](http://www.sananselmorecreation.org) Questions: Contact the San Anselmo Recreation Dept., 1000 Sir Francis Drake Blvd, San Anselmo at Tel. 415.258.4640/Fax. 415.455.8229. *Note: Fees Involved*
- **Town of San Anselmo News:** For information on the happenings in the Town of San Anselmo or to sign-up for the weekly Town Newsletter, visit [www.townofsananselmo.org](http://www.townofsananselmo.org).
- **PATCH:** For local news - <http://sananselmofairfax.patch.com>
- **Safe Routes to School:** For information: <http://www.saferoutestoschools.org/>
- **School/Pool/Marin:** Carpool, walk, bike or bus together. [www.School/Pool/Marin.org](http://www.School/Pool/Marin.org)!

### **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS / SPORTS PROGRAMS / OTHER PROGRAMS**

- **SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH at MARIN COUNTY FREE LIBRARIES!** A library card is your ticket to the world . . . and September is Library Card Month at the Marin County Free Libraries. A time when the San Anselmo Library joins with public libraries nationwide to make sure that our students have the most import school supply of all – a free library card. Don't have a library card yet? Come to Fairfax Library (or to any other branch of Marin County Free Library) with one of your parents, and sign up for a card. It's free! Kids & Parents: Lost your library card or your curly keychain? Get a FREE replacement during Library Card month! Teachers/Students can use their library cards at any public library in Marin, or from home. Our library offers access to important educational resources, like online homework help, e-books, online databases. One of our most valuable tools is Live Homework Help from Tutor.com, a personal, online learning portal. Students can connect to a live tutor through the online classroom to get

help with all types of school work. The tutors help with all grade levels of math, science, English, social studies and writing. Some of the special subjects are algebra, chemistry, vocabulary and history. They can even help write and correct a paper or book report. Tutor.com also includes the SkillsCenter Resource Library. Using the SkillsCenter for homework is much easier than trying to find help on the internet. All of the resources have been checked by the tutors to make sure they are accurate and helpful. Visit [www.sananselmolibrary.org](http://www.sananselmolibrary.org) and click on Homework Help to log in. This service is currently available only to San Anselmo residents with valid MARINet library cards. Want to bring your students over on a field trip to Fairfax Library? Contact children's librarian, Carolyn Potter, at 453-8151. It's about books and a whole lot more! For more information, check us out at [www.marinlibrary.org](http://www.marinlibrary.org) or [www.MarinReads.org](http://www.MarinReads.org).

- **FAIRFAX JR. TEAM TENNIS LEAGUE – SEPTEMBER 20 – NOVEMBER 9 (Fridays: 3:30-5pm; Saturdays: 1:30-3pm)**: The Town of Fairfax proudly presents their first USTA Jr. Team Tennis League. This recreational league will focus on player development and include 6 weeks of instruction and match play. Location: Fairfax Public Courts, 69 School Street off School Street plaza, adjacent to the Women's Club, 46 Park Road. 8 & Under-Red Ball; 10 & Under – Orange Ball. To register please visit [www.norcalteamentennis.com](http://www.norcalteamentennis.com). For more information contact David Johnson at [david@davidjohnsontennis.com](mailto:david@davidjohnsontennis.com) or call 760.774.9467. *Note: Fee Involved*
- **YES CONFERENCE: Youth for the Environment & Sustainability**: Saturday, November 2, 10 am-4pm at the Joseph P. Bort MetroCenter Auditorium (108 8<sup>th</sup> Street. Oakland, CA). You Will Have the: opportunity to participate in discussion about global climate change and transportation; learn about action in your community; show off your efforts to improve transportation and participate in interactive presentations. Who Should Attend: Bay Area youth leaders, Green Team members, Safe Routes to School participants and all students interested in transportation, climate change and a sustainable future. For more information and to register, please visit: <http://www.sparetheairyouth.com/summit2013>.

## **PARENT ED INFORMATION**

- **COMING OF AGE: DEVELOPING & MAINTAINING A POSITIVE RELATIONSHIP WITH YOUR GROWING TEENAGER - Offered through the College of Marin-Community Education & Services, Fall 2013 – Gary Gross, MFT**: 2 Saturdays, Sept. 28 and Oct. 5, 10am-1pm. Using the latest research, our own experience as teenagers, and a touch of humor, we explore the challenges to developing a more adult-like relationship with our teenage children. Looking at changes in the adolescent brain, the influence of media and peers, and the most effective styles of parenting, this class will reduce the anxiety that parents often experience as their children go through adolescence. Knowing how to de-escalate conflict, minimize power struggles, set limits, and gracefully acknowledge your teen's strengths will help reduce tension in your family and make this transition something to celebrate. College of Marin, Kentfield Campus, Science/Math/Nursing Center 229 – Note Fee Involved: \$66 (Includes \$1 materials fee) CRN # 85228. Register: Online through [www.marin.edu/CommunityEducation](http://www.marin.edu/CommunityEducation) or by fax at 415. 460.0773; in person at the Admissions & Records office on either the Kentfield or Indian Valley Campus or by U.S. mail postmarked at least five working days prior to the first class meeting. Once your application is processed, you will be mailed a username and password with which you can set up your COM account at <http://MyCOM.marin.edu>. For more information or to obtain a registration form, call 415.485.9305 or visit the website at [www.marin.edu/CommunityEducation](http://www.marin.edu/CommunityEducation)