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2015 - 2016

Casimir PTSA Directory

Building a Better Future for our Children



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Casimir Middle School PTSA Mission Statement

- To contribute to our children's educational experience by volunteering our time and effort.
- To advocate for all children in our school.
- To promote an adequate environment for our children to learn in.

Casimir PTSA Board Meetings

Executive Board Meetings are held on the first Monday after the first Wednesday of each month at 4:00 p.m. in Room 20B.

Casimir PTSA Association Meetings

PTSA Association Meetings are held so that the Association (all PTSA members) can vote on any issues that require the approval of the entire association. It is attempted to schedule these meetings along with other school programs to make it convenient for all PTSA members to attend. The tentative dates of this year's PTSA Association meetings are given below. Meetings are at 6:00 p.m. in the cafeteria.

- September 29, 2015 Back to School Night
- December 10, 2015 Winter Music Performance
- February 23, 2016 Honorary Service Awards / Founder's Day / Elections
- May 24, 2016 College Night

Join the Casimir PTSA

Membership dues are \$8.00 per person. Payments can be made at the Casimir Middle School office or online at <https://casimirptsa.myschoolcentral.com>

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California State PTA Mission Statement

The mission of the California State PTA is to positively impact the lives of all children and families.

California State PTA Core Values

The California State PTA is a professional, non-profit volunteer organization committed to the well-being of all children.

- We believe every adult has a responsibility to ensure that all children develop to their full potential.
- We believe parents are children's first teachers and that parent involvement is essential throughout a child's educational experience.
- We believe that family is the basic unit of society responsible for the support and nurturing of all children, and we recognize that 'the family' may be defined in many ways.
- We believe our responsibility includes advocating for the safety and welfare of all children and the opportunity for a quality public education for each child.

Casimir Middle School PTSA was founded on September 20, 1950.

Casimir PTSA Executive Board Members

<i>President</i>	Shanie Asato	310-327-3741
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<i>2nd Vice President - Ways & Means</i>	Diane Wang	310-324-6225
<i>3rd Vice President - Hospitality</i>	Veronica Therieau	
<i>4th Vice President - Membership</i>	Julio Arreygue	310-293-8857
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<i>Historian</i>	Sharon Sawai	
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<i>Advisor</i>	Susan Holmes	310-533-4498
<i>Teacher Representative</i>	Alicia Baillie	310-533-4498

Casimir PTSA Committee Chairpersons

<i>Blue Ribbon</i>	Student Committee	
<i>Box Tops</i>	Kristi Beisel	
<i>Dine & Dash Fridays</i>	Alizon Gonzales	323-600-5576
<i>Directory</i>	Cayme Momita	310-323-3799
<i>8th Grade Activities</i>	Laura Shiozaki	
<i>Emergency Prep</i>	Kelly Oshiro	
<i>Firefighter Appreciation</i>	Student Committee	
<i>Honor Roll</i>	Norma Iverson	
<i>Journey Through Art</i>	Diane Wang	310-324-6225
<i>Legislation</i>	Norma Iverson	
<i>Music Program Liaison</i>	Veronica Therieau	
<i>Parent Information</i>	OPEN	
<i>Red Ribbon Week</i>	Student Committee	
<i>Reflections</i>	Kelly Oshiro	
<i>Spirit Wear</i>	Janice DeLaMora	
<i>Staff Appreciation</i>	Kristin Ishida	
<i>Teacher Appreciation</i>	Kristin Ishida	
<i>Website</i>	Julio Arreygue	310-293-8857

Casimir Middle School Staff

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<i>Cafeteria Assistant</i>	Shirley Weaver	
<i>Counselor</i>	Sara Golia	
<i>Library</i>	Peter Paley	
<i>Noon Aide</i>	Gladys Carcovich	
<i>Noon Aide</i>	Sandy Hembright	
<i>Noon Aide</i>	David Merced	
<i>Noon Aide</i>	Sylvia Shishido	
<i>Nurse</i>	Ms. Hollis	
<i>Paraeducator</i>	Cynthia Alvarado	
<i>Paraeducator</i>	Marina Godinez	
<i>Paraeducator</i>	Tomoki Kurihara	
<i>Paraeducator</i>	Dolores Lucero	
<i>Paraeducator</i>	Bell Sola	
<i>Psychologist</i>	Terry Richardson	
<i>Security</i>	Richard Elliott	

Los Angeles County Staff on Site

<i>Leslie Fox</i>	Room 21	x4721
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Casimir Middle School - Bell Schedules

Regular Day

Campus Opens	7:45
First Bell	8:05
1st Period	8:08 - 8:58
2nd Period	9:01 - 9:51
Break	9:51 - 10:06
3rd Period	10:09 - 10:59
4th Period (Announcements)	11:02 - 11:04
4th Period	11:04 - 11:54
Tutorial	11:57 - 12:26
Lunch	12:26 - 1:11
5th Period	1:14 - 2:04
6th Period	2:07 - 2:57

Late Start (Tuesday)

Campus Opens	9:00
First Bell	9:20
1st Period	9:23 - 10:05
2nd Period	10:08 - 10:50
Break	10:50 - 11:05
3rd Period	11:08 - 11:50
4th Period (Announcements)	11:53 - 11:58
4th Period	11:58 - 12:40
Lunch	12:40 - 1:26
5th Period	1:29 - 2:11
6th Period	2:14 - 2:57

2015 - 2016 Tentative School Calendar

September

7	Labor Day
9	Back to School Luncheon
10	First Day of School
14	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
23	Picture Day
24	Fall Fundraiser Kick-Off Assembly
25	Dine & Dash
29	Fundraiser Coupon Collection Day #1
29	PTSA Association Meeting
29	Back to School Night

October

2	6th Grade Elections
2	Fundraiser Coupon Collection Day #2
5-9	Safety Week
6	School Plan Parent Meeting
8	Fall Fundraiser Turn-In Day
12-13	No School / Student Free Day
16	PTSA Membership Dance
16	8th Grade Sponsored Movie Night
19	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
21	Superintendent Visit
23-25	CDMI Trip
26	Reflections Project Turn-In Day
30	Dine & Dash

November

4	Fall Fundraiser Prize Party
6	End of 1st Quarter
9	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
11	No School / Veteran's Day Holiday
16	Fall Fundraiser Cookie Dough Delivery
16-24	Canned Food Drive-Sabotage with Kleenex
20	Dine & Dash
25-27	No School / Thanksgiving Holiday

December

7	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
15	PTSA Association Meeting / Holiday Concert
18	Dine & Dash
21-31	Winter Break

January

1	Winter Break
4	Return from Winter Break
11	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
18	No School / Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

January

29	Fall Fundraiser Pogo Show Assembly
29	End of 2nd Quarter

February

1	Executive Board Meeting
8	No School / Lincoln's Birthday
15	No School / President's Day Holiday
23	PTSA Association Meeting
23	Founder's Day / Honorary Service Awards
26	Dine & Dash

March

7	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
15	Math Night
15	8th Grade In & Out Fundraiser
25	Dine & Dash

April

1	End of 3rd Quarter
4-8	Spring Break
11	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
22	PTSA Scholarship Presentation
22	Dine & Dash
29	No School / Student Free Day

May

2-6	Teacher Appreciation Week
4	North Area Band Festival
9	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
11	North Area Choir Festival
17	5th Grade Parent Night
24	PTSA Association Meeting / College Night
27	Dine & Dash
30	No School / Memorial Day Holiday
31	Talent Show

June

6	PTSA Executive Board Meeting
10	Family Picnic
17	Dine & Dash
21	8th Grade Picnic
22	8th Grade Promotion Dance
23	End of 4th Quarter
23	Last Day of School
23	8th Grade Promotion

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