



SPHS

# TIGER DISPATCH

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 2010—EVEN



## GENERAL INFORMATION

**Word of the Week:** **whimsical** • \WIM-zih-kul\ • adjective 1: full of, actuated by, or exhibiting whims 2a : resulting from or characterized by whim or caprice; *especially* : lightly fanciful 2b: subject to erratic behavior or unpredictable change

**Example Sentence:** The whimsical decor of Mary's home reflects her playful personality.

**Can a Contest Change the World?** We think it can. MyLife 24-7 Contests are a great way to incorporate ethics, decision making, and character into your existing curriculum. We are looking for students who are talented young bloggers and filmmakers to reflect our "Good for You" movement through dynamic, inspirational, creative interpretations. MyLife 24-7 is a youth-led, staff supported website focused on character development, service, and leadership. Please direct questions to: mylife24-7@jiethics.org.

**Girls Softball-** Tryouts for girls softball will be held this Saturday- Jan 9th and Saturday- Jan. 16th from 10:00am til 12 noon on the softball field. this is for girls who did not play last year. If you are in a winter sport and would like to tryout, and are not available on these dates, please see coach Punaro.

**Attention SPHS Girls:** A mandatory information meeting will be held on **Thursday, January 14th at the beginning of lunchtime in CC1** on how you can attend the **Adelante Mujer Latina Conference; a teen conference** offering choices for education and careers. We are planning on covering the cost for fifty SPHS girls. This is a great opportunity, don't miss out. Looking forward to seeing you at the lunch meeting.

**History Tutor wanted for Mr. Regan's Honors World History, Call Erin 441-2007.**

**Representatives from Pasadena City College, the Marines, and the Navy will be here next Thursday, January 14th at lunchtime.** Please stop by their table for information on college money, career opportunities and study abroad programs. They will be located near the TIGER Patio.

**College Preparation Seminar: January 16th at Diamond Bar High School from 1:00 to 3:00pm.** Preceded by a college fair from 12 to 1:00pm. Go to: [www.collegeprepreseminar.org](http://www.collegeprepreseminar.org) for more info.

**If you are planning to test out of Computer Applications class for spring term,** be sure to have your counselor enroll you in period 8 Computer Apps. **Test will begin at 4:00 pm on February 2, in room 613** and attendance is mandatory. If you are enrolled in Computer Apps period 8 for spring term and do not wish to test out, your class will begin at 4:00 pm on February 16th.

## SENIORS

**Seniors: Very Important!!!! Financial Aid Workshop, Part II, will be held in the SPHS Auditorium on January 14th at 7:00pm.** At this session, our speaker will be reviewing how to fill out the FAFSA line by line. Please plan on attending with your parents. Make sure you have applied for a PIN number for yourself and one parent. We will also have people from PCCs who will be in the SPHS Library on Thursday, January 21st from 6:00 to 8:00pm to help you online with any problems you are having. Come and take advantage of the FREE help.

**Unless exempt, seniors who applied to CSULA** are required to take the Entry Level Mathematics/English Placement test (ELM/EPT) as soon as possible. The deadline to take the exam is January 30, 2010. To register for the exam at CSULA, please go online to [www.calstatela.edu/centers/testctr/elmeptinfo.php](http://www.calstatela.edu/centers/testctr/elmeptinfo.php). For information on the exams and exemption methods, please visit [www.csusuccess.org](http://www.csusuccess.org).

**Cap and Gown:** If you missed ordering your Cap and Gown for graduation, you may still order them by contacting Joston's at: 310-546-9900. They will also bring extra caps and gowns on distribution day in June.

## SCHOLARSHIPS

**Asian Pacific Fund:** 11 scholarships are available from \$1,000 to \$20,000. go to: [www.asianpacificfund.org/awards/forstudents](http://www.asianpacificfund.org/awards/forstudents) for more details.

## CLUBS

**Anime Club** meeting this Friday at lunch in room 613.

**The Baking Tigers** meeting during lunch on Monday, Jan. 11 in Ms. Budde's room (315)

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

Parent seeking a responsible, high school student (perhaps a student with an interest in early childhood education) to assist her 10 year old son (4th grade) with home work, on specific dates. Please contact Eli Harlander @ 626.441.5810 ext. 1165 or email : [ehaarlander@spcf4kids.com](mailto:ehaarlander@spcf4kids.com)