

PANTHER PRIDE

ROCHELLE ANGLEY, SUPERINTENDENT/PRINCIPAL

Dear U-Prep Families,

At the beginning of May it was hard to imagine another school year coming to close alongside two more graduating classes, yet here we are, now looking forward to the fourth of July! We could not be more proud of graduates, both 8th grade and seniors. We wish them the best of luck with all their future endeavors. On the following page you will find this year's list of college acceptances.

Speaking of pride, I would like to take this opportunity to thank our entire staff for another successful year! It is always a pleasure to take time to reflect on all the joys and challenges of the past year.

This year U-Prep experienced unprecedented success in so many areas; the performing arts had record attendance at their events, our Science Bowl and Odyssey of the Mind teams flourished yet again (more on page 4), and all U-Prep sports teams proved to be outstanding in their fields (pun intended). There is so much more to add, but we will let the Newsletter pages show you the receipts!

Finally, I would like to recognize our ASB (Associated Student Body/Student Government) students and their advisors, Mrs. Jaspal Gaddy (junior high) and Mrs. Robyn Johnson (high school) for all of their efforts in creating a fun and spirit filled atmosphere for our students. The U-Prep culture is something to behold!

I wish our families the best for a restful and fun-packed summer! We look forward to seeing all of you in August!

Sincerely,

Rochelle Angley

Superintendent/Principal

Mission & Vision

University Preparatory School is an educational community invested in developing confident, capable, and compassionate citizens; its mission to immerse all students "in rigorous academics and meaningful extra-curricular activities" is supported by a collaborative and close-knit community of staff, students and parents and is based upon educational research and professional experience. The faculty and staff work together to provide students with many opportunities to excel academically and develop their potential as educated leaders and citizens in the 21st century through a rich and varied extra-curricular program. This vision is supported by offering a seven- period day to students from grades 6 through 12 so that they may pursue academic interests, such as studying multiple world languages or continue their development in the arts, including dance, drama, art, and music. The objective of this mission is to enable all students to become self-motivated, competent, and lifelong learners.

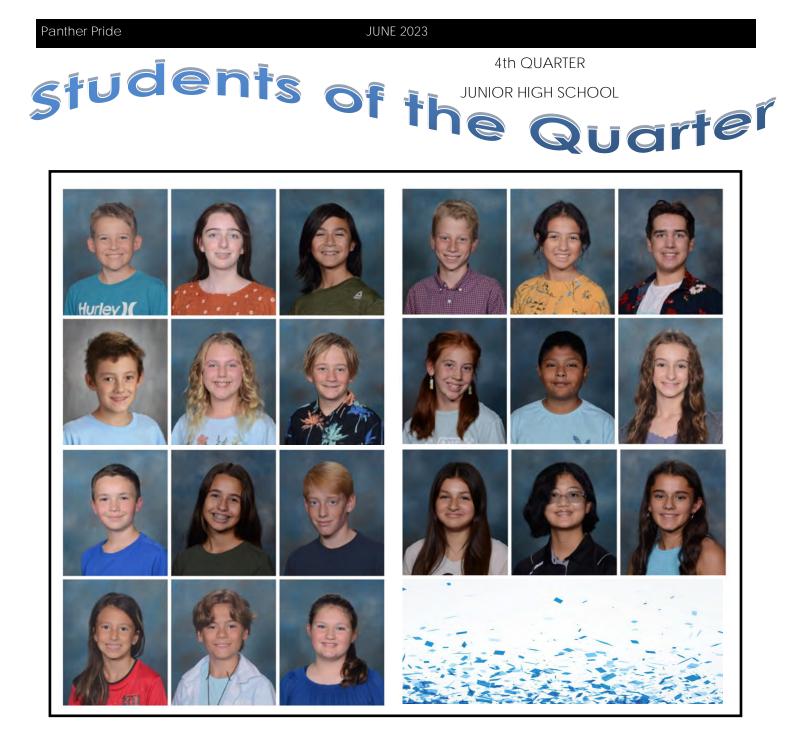
Upcoming Events!

AUGUST 25 AUGUST 28 AUGUST 29 SEPTEMBER 1 Football @ Fortuna Early Release Day (2:21 pm) School Picture Day Football @ Corning

AUGUST 4 WEB TRAINING AUGUST 9 ARENA DAY FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL AUGUST 16 AUGUST 17-18 MUSICAL AUDITIONS AUGUST 18 JH BACK TO SCHOOL DANCE AUGUST 18 POPSICLE SOCIAL-JH/HS LUNCH ON THE QUAD AUGUST 21 EARLY RELEASE DAY (2:21 PM) AUGUST 22-24 JH VOLLEYBALL TRYOUTS JH SOCCER TRYOUTS AUGUST 22-24 AUGUST 22-24 SENIOR PORTRAITS

Following their Dreams

American River College, Arizona State University, Azusa Pacific University, Baylor University, Biola University, Boise State University, Brigham Young University, Brigham Young University-Idaho, Brigham Young University-Provo, Butte College, Cal Poly Pomona, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, California Baptist University, Carleton College, Case Western Reserve University, Chapman University, Colorado University, Boulder, Colorado University, Denver, Concordia University, CSU Cal Poly Humboldt, CSU Channel Islands, CSU Chico, CSU Dominguez Hills, CSU Fresno, CSU Fullerton, CSU Long Beach, CSU Los Angeles, CSU Monterey Bay, CSU Northridge, CSU Sacramento, CSU San Diego, CSU San Francisco, CSU San Jose, CSU San Marcos, CSU Sonoma, Cuesta College, Davis & Elkins College, Florida Gulf Coast University, Florida Institute of Technology, Florida State University, Full Sail University, George Fox University, Grand Canyon University, Grove City College, Hawaii Pacific University, IUPUI, Kettering University, Lewis Clark College, Loyola Marymount University, Milwaukee School of Engineering, Montana State University, Northern Arizona University, Northwest Nazarene University, Occidental College, Oklahoma University, Oregon State University, Penn State University, Pepperdine University, Pratt Institute, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rochester Institute of Technology, Santa Barbara City College, Shasta College, Siena College, Simpson University, Southern California Institute of Architecture, Southern Oregon University, SUNY Stony Brook University, Syracuse University, Texas A&M University, Texas State University, UC Berkeley, UC Davis, UC Irvine, UC Merced, UC Riverside, UC San Diego, UC Santa Barbara, UC Santa Cruz, UCLA, United States Air Force Academy, University Nevada, Reno, University of Hawaii, Manoa, University of Idaho, University of Mississippi, University of Montana, University of Oregon, University of San Francisco, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, University of Texas, Austin, University of Toledo, University of Toronto, University of Utah, University of Washington, USC, Vanguard University, Washington & Jefferson University, West Virginia State University, Western Colorado University, Westmont College, Wilkes University, William Jessup University, Woodbury University



ROW 1: Benjamin Twombley, Caroline Lobsien, Evan Sackin, Cade Ryan, Sahirah Hewitt, Ethan Morgan ROW 2: Nicholas, Simpson, Bryanna Houston, Yosemite Rice, Blaire Hansen, Diego Miramontes, Kaylah Feaver ROW 3: Griffin Whitmore, Isabella Ramos, Dresden Prader-Freier, Alexis Gutierrez, Aleeyah Calaoa, Alexandria Bull ROW 4: Anna Neff, Carter Travis, Avalia Mosher



ROW 1: Noah Gaddy, Nathan Hart, Reece Denham, Jase Strand, Amelia Rocca, Isabella Ray ROW 2: Emma Gaddy, Angie Cheng, YuanYu Cao, Savannah New, Bella Neal, Kameron Moore ROW 3: Kylee Bonner, Jacob Bowman, David Wilson, Casey Wrathall, David Wenham ROW 4: Isaiah Walters, Taryn Villano, Luke Turner



This Spring our Science Bowl team went to Washington D.C. for the National Science Bowl Tournament. The Tournament is held over 2 days and there were 47 Regional Science Bowl Teams Champions in the Middle School division. We came in representing the FarNorCal region (the top 10 counties of California) and **our middle school team broke a school record on day 1**! Not only did they make it through the Round Robin rounds to make the top 32, they also made it 4 rounds deep into the Double Elimination Tournament to make the top 16.

Special congratulations to our Middle School Team

Joshua Kim, Nathan McCormick, Matthew McCormick, Benjamin Twombley and Chales Li!



IN THE SPOTLIGHT



Each year, the West Redding Rotary recognizes an outstanding freshman from each of the area highschools. Their purpose is to provide a positive and encouraging award to a freshman who has excelled academically, through extracurricular activities, sports, student government or through volunteering in the community. It is a privilege to announce U-Prep's Freshman of the Year from a phenomenal pool of nominees!!! This is a great class with many deserving students! Congratulations Jack Ampi!!!



More than 60 students were honored at the All-Star breakfast, recognizing students with superior academics, outstanding citizenship and service to their school. Maddox Morin was chosen as this year's Shasta County Student All Star from UPrep. We are so proud!



VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS BRAD FOWERS - DEPARTMENT CHAIR, BAND & CHOIR ELIZABETH JOHNSON - PERCUSSION & STRINGS MARISSA KINNEAVY - DANCE LURA WILHELM - VISUAL ARTS ROMNEY CLEMENTS - MUSICAL DIRECTOR

DANCE TEAM

The Uprep Dance Team finished off their competitive season this past weekend in Hayward. At this competition, they competed at the highest level against very large dance studios from the Bay Area. They brought home a couple category winners, 2 overall awards, a special Judge's Choice Award, and an Excellence in Choreography Award. It was a great way to finish their season.



CHAMBER & SYMPHONIC ORCHESTRA

Do you have a sixth grader who took a year or two of strings through our local elementary schools (or are they a beginner looking to get started)? Dld you know that UPrep has a full strings program that spans four levels across all seven grades? Beyond UPrep's string program that teaches technique and repertoire, musicians participate in concerts and competitive festivals throughout the year including a biannual weekend trip to the Bay Area. Instruments are available for use by all students and it is free. Email Mrs. Johnson at <u>ejohnson@suhsd.net</u> for more information.





DRUM CORP

Due to high demand, UPrep will be offering two levels of Drum Corps this year! Look for us at football games and rallies! Do you have a new 6th grader entering UPrep this fall? Most 6th graders are enrolled in "Rota," our 6th grade electives sampler that they will rotate through every nine weeks. One of those rotations is Music Appreciation and here is what your sixth

grader can expect:

- overview of the physics and biology of sound and music
- introduction to musical symbols and music reading
- rhythm instruction including playing on our drum corps set of drums
 - music history and its related cultural influences.
- two weeks of introduction to violin viola, cell, bass
- choral introduction
- and a little bit of dance!

7th GRADE MEDIEVAL DAY

A most royal gathering to celebrate our study of Medieval European history took place right here at our own University Preparatory School Manor! Our seventh grade noble knights and fair ladies participated in jousting, archery, beadwork, face painting, and the fine art of mastering the quintain. Further, all members of the royal court received instruction from Sir Michael Taylor, one of our kingdom's finest jugglers! Thank you to all the parents and volunteers for making this a fun and memoriable experience!







Our 6th grade classes had a great time celebrating everything they've learned about ancient civilizations this year! The Ancient Civilizations from prehistory to Rome were visited in this fun and interactive day. A special thank you to our amazing families and volunteers who helped make this an amazing experience for our students!







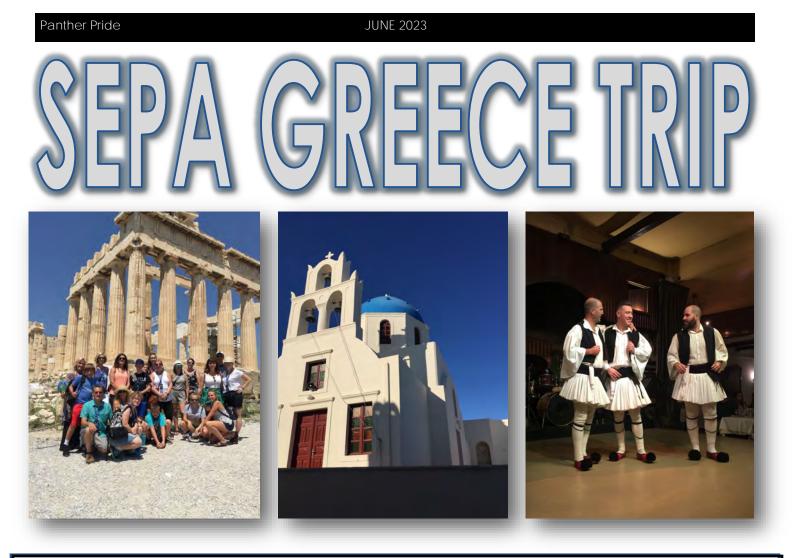
Football held its first youth football camp on June 13th hosting over 45 kids from grades 1-6

Volleyball had a fantastic week at their first camp of the Summer, hosting coaches from Gold Medal Squared





Boys Basketball had a great time at their Spring Camp!



Are you looking for an adventure of a lifetime that combines history, mythology, and stunning island scenery? Look no further than our student travel trip to Athens, Mykonos, Delphi, Patmos, and Santorini in June of 2024! This trip is designed specifically for students who want to explore Greece's rich cultural heritage while creating unforgettable memories with their peers. From the iconic landmarks of Athens to the picturesque beaches of Mykonos, our itinerary is packed with exciting activities and adventures. We'll visit the Temple of Olympian Zeus, explore the ancient city of Delphi, and soak up the sun on the beautiful island of Santorini. We'll also discover the fascinating history of Patmos, home to the Cave of the Apocalypse and the fortified Monastery of Saint John. Whether you're interested in history, mythology, or just soaking up the Mediterranean sun, this trip has something for everyone.

Don't miss this opportunity to explore Greece with your fellow students and create memories that will last a lifetime.

Check out the link for more information or see Mrs. Isheim in room 135

www.educationaltravel.com/Isheim-4787



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BASEBALL 4 ALL

Baseball 4 All introduces America's pastime to Shasta County students. UPrep baseball was proud to participate in Baseball 4 All, helping to bring the sport's spirit to students with disabilities.



29 members of the UPrep XC teams volunteered at the Na

On Saturday, April 29, members of the UPrep XC teams volunteered at the Nail the Rail 10K and Half Marathon. It was a beautiful day and many familiar faces were out there running on our amazing local Rail Trail. Great job to all the runners and volunteers at this great event!!













The junior class decorated about 60 tables for the senior class and their families. This was the largest senior breakfast, serving 122 seniors and their parents and guests for a total of approximately 360 people.







Senior Sunset at Shasta Dam





Class of 2022 Alumni Connor Gilbreath announced his commitment to the LSU Tigers. After graduation from UPrep, Connor was a standout at Butte College and received multiple offers to play at a higher level. His Panther family cannot wait to cheer him on!

Class of 2019 Alumni Aiden McFadden lead the research team at Etalon in discovering a mutation that affects many different horse breeds and will help change the trajectory of equestrian genetic testing.





The 2023 athletic year ended with a very successful spring season! Our spring season saw Emma Gaddy emerge as the most dominant female track athlete in the Northern Section. Gaddy won individual titles at the section finals in the 200 and 400 meters, broke the school record in the 200, and was awarded the female athlete of the meet at the Northern Section Finals. Other highlights of the track season included Eddie Chavez winning the division two shot put title and Noah Gaido, Seth Austin, and Noah Gaddy placing 2nd, 3rd, and 4th in the 1600m at the division two finals. Austin also took 2nd place in the 3200m finals.

On the diamond, our baseball and softball teams both had historic seasons. In softball, the varsity girls set a school record for most wins in a season with 26 wins, made an appearance in their first ever Northern Section title game, and advanced to the second round of the Northern California Division 4 softball playoffs, earning the #1 seed in their bracket. In addition to our team success, many of our individuals were recognized for their individual play throughout the season. Pitcher Gracie Hornbuckle earned 1st team all-section and the NAL Most Valuable Pitcher award. Kaitlyn Cabral, Leigha Wood, and Madi Rubacalva all earned second team all section as well as all league in the Northern Athletic League.

Our varsity baseball team captured their first NAL baseball title, and first league championship since 2014. In addition to the league championship, baseball appeared in their first ever section title game. Four seniors earned all-league recognition for their part in their team success. Aaron Wood, Cody Wrathall, Mason Cassignham, and Mason Miyamoto earned all-league, while Colton Kinneavy was named honorable mention.

Boys golf had another great year, winning the NAL. After a great performance by the team at the division two finals, Isaac Lipman and Finn Christopher moved on to the Masters tournament at Grizzly Ranch. Christopher carded an 84 and Lipman an 85 at the finals.

Boys tennis added to our successful spring with an NAL league title, and an appearance in the division two section finals. In the NAL individual finals William Holley won singles, and was named MVP. He beat Graham McKellar in the finals. In doubles, William Holley and Grant Kopania beat Ian Hancock and Graham McKellar. William Holley, Grant Kopania, Graham Mckellar, Ian Hancock, and Sean Kim all earned all-league honors.

STUNT also had its best season in their short history as a CIF sport. The team finished 6-2 on the season. With 33 players and is by far the biggest team we've fielded. The STUNT team is graduating just four seniors and looking forward to next season and building on the success they experienced this season.





STEVEN SCHUSTER - ATHLETIC DIRECTOR VICKI ADAY - ATHLETICS SECRETARY

ATHLETICS

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STUNT!

UPrep's STUNT team participated in the last contest of their season on April 27th. They played Redding Christian and clinched their victory with a 17-6 win. This super talented team had their best season yet, ending with a 6-2 record, winning over every team, except Shasta. This team has big expectations next year! Congratulations to this amazing team!

JH TRACK -

Track had 73 athletes. We won league in all grades and genders. Jaycee Horst broke the 7th grade shot put record, twice. Jackson Kersten tied the 7th grade high jump record. Coaches Michelle Johnson, jaspal gaddy, and Alan Lefler. So happy with the season and look forward to next year.



Shasta County FREE SUMMER MEALS

School Districts are pleased to offer free meals to all children 18 years and under at the following locations. All locations provide daily meals, see location for serving times. All meals must be eaten on site.

CHILDREN MUST BE PRESENT, AND MEALS MUST BE CONSUMED ON SITE.

Anderson Middle School

1646 Ferry St., Anderson Monday-Friday Breakfast is 8:30am-9:00am Lunch is 11:30am-12:00pm Served & eaten in the cafeteria Chalynn Dotzenrod (530) 768-7981 06/12/23-06/30/23 No Meals June 19

Buckeye School of the Arts

3407 Hiatt Dr., Redding Monday-Friday Breakfast is 7:30am-8:00am Lunch is 11:30am-12:00pm Served & eaten in the cafeteria Sean Hays (530) 245-7917 06/12/23-06/30/23 No Meals June 19

Enterprise High School

3411 Churn Creek Road, Redding Monday-Friday Lunch is 11:30am-12:00pm Served & eaten in the food court/quad Fred Schafer (530) 245-2628 06/13/22-07/07/22 No Meals on July 4

Anderson Union High School

1471 Ferry St., Anderson Monday-Friday Breakfast is 7:30am-8:00am Lunch is 11:05am-11:35am Served & eaten in the cafeteria Chalynn Dotzenrod (530) 768-7981 06/12/23-07/07/23 No Meals June 19 & July 4

Caldwell Park

5600 Quartz Hill Rd., Redding Monday-Friday Lunch is 12:00-12:20pm Served & eaten by skate park/pool Tawny Cowell (530) 225-0011 06/12/23-08/10/23 No Meals June 19, July 3 & 4

Grand Oaks Elementary School

5309 Grand Ave, Redding Monday-Friday Breakfast is 7:30am-8:00am Lunch is 11:30am-12:00pm Served & eaten in the cafeteria Sean Hays (530) 245-7917 06/12/23-06/30/23 No Meals June 19

Boulder Creek School

505 Springer Dr., Redding Monday-Friday Breakfast is 8:15am-9:00am Lunch is 11:30am-12:30pm Served & eaten in the cafeteria Cindy Ksiazek (530) 356-0629 06/12/23-07/28/23 No Meals July 3 & 4

Central Valley High School

4066 La Mesa Dr., Shasta Lake Monday-Friday Breakfast is 7:30am-8:00am Lunch is 11:30am-12:00pm Served & eaten in the cafeteria Sean Hays (530) 245-7917 06/12/23-06/30/23 No Meals June 19

Juniper Elementary

375 Ellis St., Redding Monday-Friday Breakfast is 8:00am-8:20am Lunch is 10:55am-11:25am Served & eaten in the cafeteria Tawny Cowell (530) 225-0011 06/13/23-06/30/23 No Meals June 19

This Institution is an Equal Opportunity Provider. Meals are subject to change. Please call number listed if you have questions.

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ABOUT US

Project Spark Studio is an award-winning international non-profit animation studio whose mission is to develop the next generation of visual storytellers.

INSTRUCTION

During their training at Project Spark Studio, students are mentored by leading creative professionals from major animation film studios including Disney, Pixar, Nickelodeon, and DreamWorks Animation SKG. Our regular workshops and comprehensive instruction equips students with proficiency in all facets of animated filmmaking.



OUR VALUES

Project Spark Studio develops students with robust animated filmmaking experience and encourages character, creativity, and connection among youth, teaching them perseverance, resilience, adaptability, and leadership skills that will help them achieve their creative endeavors and personal life goals.







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Board Approved - June 8, 2022

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JUNE 2023

