

## ~ IMPORTANT SENIOR DATES ~



Thursday, Feb. 1st: FSA ID Workshop. Current Seniors, bring your Social Security if you have one. Location: Senior English class.

Thursday, February 8th: COD Fall Application Workshop during ERWC class. You MUST bring your social security number.

*Thursday, February 8th*: FAFSA/CA Dream Act Application Workshop @ the PSUSD District Office @ 4:30p.m.-7:00p.m. (150 District Center Dr. Palm Springs). Bring your documents listed on your Financial Aid checklist/handout that you were given.

*Thursday, February 15th*: C.O.D. <u>Mandatory</u> Orientation for current students with last names A-M @ MSJ in classroom #3. Time: 9:40a.m.-11:45a.m. (Please be on time!). You <u>MUST</u> bring your <u>social security number</u> with you if you have one.

*Tuesday, February 20th*: C.O.D. <u>Mandatory</u> Orientation for students with last names N-Z @ MSJ in classroom #3. Time: 9:40a.m.-11:45a.m. (Please be on time!). You <u>MUST</u> bring your <u>social security number</u> with you if you have one.

*Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>:* Josten's will be here at MSJ to take **in-person Cap & Gown orders** (check, credit card, or cash) between 11:45a.m.-1:30p.m. However, **you can place your order online** <u>now</u>.

**Go to our website:** <u>www.psusd.us/msj</u> & Click on: Counseling Tab & then Counseling Website Scroll down to: "MSJ GRADUATES- Order your Cap & Gown Here" & click on link This \$45 unit already comes with a tassel (gown, cap, & tassel). You don't need to "add" a keepsake tassel for \$17.95. You can click, "No Thanks".

*Thursday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>*: C.O.D. is hosting an in-person Financial Aid workshop from 11:30a.m.-1:00p.m. in case you missed our Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> workshop. Location: C.O.D. Palm Desert Campus in their library. The link to **RSVP** was in our Counseling text message we sent out. It's also on C.O.D.'s website under the "Financial Aid" tab. They offer virtual Financial Aid workshops as well.

*Monday, March* **4**<sup>th</sup>: Nationwide Financial Aid Application submission deadline.

**TBD**- C.O.D. Field Trip permission Slip deadline and C.O.D. Field Trip date for current Seniors. **TBD**- C.O.D. Course Schedule workshop & Course Registration Workshop for current Seniors.

*Wednesday, March* 13<sup>th</sup> (Quarter 3 Graduates ONLY): Senior Pictures – You will take your Senior Graduation photo at MSJ. You will receive a summons during a designated class period on this day to come to the **library** to take your Senior Photo. We will loan you a graduation cap & gown for the photo. You will receive a copy of your photo sent to your personal email address that you will provide on this day. You can follow up with Ms. Mosby about your photo (mmosby@psusd.us)

*Friday, March* 15<sup>th</sup>: Quarter 3 Grads ONLY, <u>Mandatory</u> Academic Checkout Day for Seniors graduating today/Quarter 3. You <u>MUST</u> checkout with your <u>Counselor</u> in person (8:15.a.m.) to be academically cleared to graduate early. You must also return any textbooks and electronics to the <u>MSJ librarian</u> today to be cleared.

*Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>-March 22<sup>nd</sup>*: Quarter 3 Grads ONLY, please pick up your "Official Transcript" from Ms. Orozco (jorozco@psusd.us) in the front office between 8:30a.m.- 3:00p.m. This will act as your temporary diploma for now. You must already have been cleared by the librarian.

Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>: Cap & Gown pick-up @ MSJ from 11:45-1:30p.m.

*Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>* (Quarter 4 Graduates ONLY): Senior Pictures – You will take your Senior Graduation photo at MSJ. You will receive a summons during a designated class period on this day to come to the **library** to take your Senior Photo. We will loan you a graduation cap & gown for the photo. You will receive a copy of your photo sent to your personal email address that you will provide on this day. You can follow up with Mrs. Mosby about your photo (<u>mmosby@psusd.us</u>).

Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>: Senior Sunset Event for all C/O 2024 Grads @ 7:00p.m. Meet in front of MSJ.

*Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>*: GRAD NIGHT (Six Flags Magic Mountain). You must have purchased a ticket in advance. The bus will depart MSJ @ 5:00p.m. (don't be late!!) and return approx. 6a.m. on May 24<sup>th</sup>. Questions re: Grad Nite, please email Mrs. Ayon: aayon@psusd.us

*Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>:* Quarter 4 Grads ONLY, <u>Mandatory</u> Academic Checkout Day for Seniors graduating today/Quarter 4. You <u>MUST</u> checkout with your <u>Counselor</u> in person (8:15.a.m.) to be academically cleared to graduate. You must also return any textbooks and electronics to the <u>MSJ librarian</u> today to be cleared.

Wednesday, May 29: MANDATORY CEREMONY REHEARSAL FOR <u>ALL</u> GRADUATES @ 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM @ Agua Caliente Casino (The Show) in Rancho Mirage. (Graduation tickets will be distributed)

Wednesday, May 29:GRADUATION CEREMONY. TIME: 4:00p.m. Graduates Arrival time. 5:00p.m. Ceremony begins@ Agua Caliente Casino (The Show) in Rancho Mirage

*Wed. & Thurs., June 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>:* Official Diploma Pick up from MSJ (9a.m.-2:00p.m.) You must already have been cleared by the librarian.