

Upcoming Events

Sept. 6 – 15: Iowa Testing
Sept. 13: Picture Day
Sept. 15: 7th & 8th Field trip to Pinnacle National Park;
Sept. 25: Flag Football Tournament
Sept. 26 – 30: Grade 7 – Hume Lake Trip

Oct. 3 – 7: Fall Week of Prayer
Oct. 7 : Walk-A-Thon
Oct. 10- 16: Book Fair Week
Oct. 16: Fall Festival
Oct. 18: Picture Retake Day
Oct. 24 – 28: Red Ribbon Week
Oct. 28: 1st Quarter Ends
Oct. 31: 2nd Quarter Begins

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Iowa Testing - this Week and Next:

The Iowa tests help give teachers and parents an objective view of how each student in grades 3 – 8 are doing. For the sake of the students giving their best effort on the tests, we recommend . . .

- Please help the students get adequate rest. Have them go to bed early and read or some other quiet time before rest.
- Good nutrition – a hearty breakfast can make a big difference in their performance.
- Orange juice, a half hour before testing, has been proven to improve their ability.
- A stress free environment
- Take a break from the TV and computer. Limit usage per day – smart phones included. Your phone service provider can enable you to shut down their phones during hours you specify.

Children do so much better under these conditions. Many of you already do this.

Why not give it a try?

Student Disaster Kits

Every child attending Miramonte Christian School must have a student disaster kit, in case of an emergency. This year there are two ways to provide this for your child: first way is to make your own kit and give it to your child's teacher. The kit needs to include: 5 non-perishable food items (no sweets or liquids), a reassuring note from someone in your family, and a family photo. There is limited room so keep it to this list. No food that needs warming. If your child has food allergies, then you will need to make the kit. The second way is to purchase a kit from the 8th grade for \$6 per kit. If you neglect to provide or purchase one by September 23rd, then the school will provide one for \$8 at your expense. Please refer to the attached flyer.

New York/DC Trip Fundraiser

We hope to see lots of supporters at the Grant Road Sweet Tomatoes on Wednesday, September 7 anytime between 5-8 PM. Make sure to bring the flyer with you. Thank you for your support.

Picture Day, September 13th

Picture Day is coming! We have sent out the order forms. You can fill out the form and send it with the payment on Picture Day or you can order online. See detailed information attached.

Volunteer Librarian Needed

The original librarian for this year is no longer available for this position. We need someone who is good with children and organized, who is willing to spend 4 hours with us one day a week. Our librarian will be trained by our former librarian. Anyone interested needs to contact Mr. Maloon as soon as possible.

Hot lunch this week

Tuesday, Sept. 6: Pizza Hot Lunch – upper grade fundraiser.

Friday, September 9: Hot Lunch – Tater tot casserole, salad, watermelon, drink, and dessert.

Sports Notes:

- ✓ **Flag football – Boys and Girls Teams (gr.5-8):** Practice – Tuesdays & Thursdays, 3:30-5:00 PM.
- ✓ **Flag football Tournament:** Sunday, September 25 @ CVCA from 9am – 4pm.
- ✓ **Girls Volleyball:** Practice – Wednesdays 3:30 – 5:00 pm, & Fridays 2:00 – 3:30 PM.
- ✓ **Girls Volleyball Games** – Sep. 13 – 3:30pm Miramonte 8th Gr. vs. ACS Blue @ Miramonte.
- ✓ Sep. 13 – 4:30pm Miramonte 7th Gr. vs. ACS White @ Miramonte.
- ✓ Sep. 14 – 3:30pm Miramonte 7th Gr. vs. Old Orchard @ Campbell Com. Ctr.

*For more detailed information on the sports schedules,
please refer to the updated calendar posted on the breezeway's bulleting board.*

New York/Washington, DC Trip Meeting

Families of students interested in participating on our 2017 New York/Washington DC trip should come to an orientation meeting on Tuesday, September 13, in Mrs. Sato's 8th grade classroom. Look for more information on Back-to-School Night. This trip is open to any Miramonte 5th-8th graders or alumni. Scholarship information will also be available at this meeting.

Free Hearing Testing Coming Soon

Each year, San Jose State University provides a free service to test the hearing of students in grades K through 3. This will take place the third week in September. We will give each parent the information from the testing after we receive it. We appreciate the partnership Miramonte has with San Jose State University.

Volunteers Needed for Annual Walk-a-Thon

Each year tremendous effort goes into our walk-a-thon – not just by our students but also our Home and School. It is truly a wonderful day of physical activity and fun. To make this special event turn out so well, the Home & School needs many volunteers to take care of the various activities that day. Please plan on being with us on October 7th for this year. Please let Rose Shimizu or Karen Mock know that you are ready, willing, and able to help.

A Big Thank You

Our Home and School leaders would like to thank all the parents that helped on the day of the "50's Barbeque" lunch. It was such a fun day!

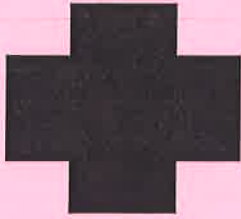
Gym Shoes

Last summer our gym floor was refinished, and they did a great job. We can all make that last by being careful what types of footwear we use in the gym. Anyone playing in the gym should be wearing gym-type of shoes and avoid wearing dress shoes, sandals, and work boot type of foot wear (these tend to leave marks).

Don't Wait for the Last Minute – Make Sure you have taken Shield the Vulnerable

Each year, we remind all parents and guardians that they need clearance to chaperone or help at school. The Shield the Vulnerable program, through our Central California Conference, insures that anyone in contact with our student is safe to be with children. If you already have gone through the process, remember that it is only valid for three years; then, you will need to retake it. If you are not sure if you are current, please contact Eva Elliott. Thank you.

Miramonte School Mission: Miramonte Christian School provides a Christ-centered, whole child education by building upon the strengths of our diverse cultures, learning styles, and spiritual backgrounds to create compassionate citizens, discerning leaders, and purpose-empowered individuals.



Student Disaster Kits

In order to fulfill state requirements, every child attending Miramonte School must have a Student Disaster Kit in case of emergency. This year there are two ways you can provide your child a kit:

1. Make your own kit and give it to your child's teacher.

If you choose to assemble your own kit, it should include the following items:

- 5 non-perishable food items your child would enjoy, such as fruit rolls, nuts, chips, granola bars, trail mix, cheese & crackers, etc. (Please do not send sweets or liquids.)
- A reassuring note from someone in your family
- A family photo

Please do not send items which need warming – there may be no electricity. We have limited storage so please limit your child's packet to five small food items, the note, and the photo – nothing else.

If your child has specific food allergies (gluten, soy, dairy, nuts, food coloring, etc.)

PLEASE CHOOSE OPTION #1.

2. Purchase a kit using the form below.

The eighth graders will be assembling pre-made kits containing five items similar to those listed above excluding the note and photo. Each kit will cost \$6, *if purchased before September 23*. You are welcome to send a photo and note to include in your child's kit. Send the note and photo to your child's classroom teacher. *Please note that the 8th grade prepares generic kits which may potentially include gluten, soy, dairy, nuts, etc.*

If you do not purchase a kit and do not send one by September 23, a kit will be provided for your child and an \$8 charge will be added to your student's tuition account.



Order a Pre-Made Disaster Kit from the Eighth Grade

List the name(s) and grade(s) of the student(s) for which you are purchasing a Disaster Kit.

Name _____ Grade _____

Name _____ Grade _____

Name _____ Grade _____

Name _____ Grade _____

Number of kits ordered _____ x \$6 = Total Enclosed: _____

**Return this to the office
or to Mrs. Sato by September 23, 2016.**

Picture Day is: *El Día de la Foto es:*

Miramonte School
Tuesday, September 13, 2016
\ martes, 13 de septiembre,
2016

Picture Day ID: BY416573Q0

Order before Picture Day at
mylifetouch.com
Encarga antes del Día de la Foto en mylifetouch.com



FREE digital image with online purchase when you join MyFamily Rewards™ program.

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PACKAGES *PAQUETES*

A. Deluxe

\$44



1 - 8x10



2 - 5x7



4 - 3x5



8 - 2x3



Variety 8 - 2x3



Class Picture



2 - 8x10



4 - 5x7



4 - 3x5



12 - 2x3



Portrait CD



Class Picture

C. Value

\$36



2 - 5x7



4 - 3x5



8 - 2x3



Class Picture

¡MÁS VALOR POR SU DINERO!

D. Ultimate

\$64

3 - 8x10
 16 - 2x3
 Portrait CD

4 - 5x7
 Variety 4 - 3x5
 Class Picture

4 - 3x5
 Variety 16 - 2x3

E. Family

\$51

1 - 8x10
 Variety 4 - 3x5

3 - 5x7
 Variety 8 - 2x3

4 - 3x5
 Portrait CD

12 - 2x3
 Class Picture

F. Basic

\$31

4 - 3x5

8 - 2x3

Class Picture

G. Entry

\$26

2 - 3x5

4 - 2x3

Class Picture

Customize your portrait package at mylifetouch.com
Personaliza tu paquete del retrato en

PORTRAIT LOOKS (POSE + BACKGROUND) ESTILOS DE RETRATO (POSE + FONDO)



1



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LOOK CODE

NOTE: Prop may vary by school. Background for your yearbook is selected by your school.
Nota: El apoyo puede variar según la escuela. El fondo para tu anuario es seleccionado por tu escuela

More choices at mylifetouch.com
Más opciones en

Order at mylifetouch.com

No need to return this form for online orders—see you at Picture Day!

Encarga en mylifetouch.com. No es necesario enviar este formulario para los pedidos por internet. ¡Te verá en el día de la foto!

Picture Day ID: BY416573Q0



If you did not order online, please fill this form out completely, enclose EXACT payment, and return to school on Picture Day. Enclose cash, money order or check payable to Lifetouch. Photographer won't make change. Si no hiciste el pedido por internet, llena completamente este formulario, incluye el pago EXACTO y envíalo a la escuela el Día de la Foto. Incluye dinero en efectivo, giro postal o cheque a la orden de Lifetouch. El fotógrafo no entregará cambio.

Student First & Last Name *Nombre y apellido del estudiante*

Daytime Phone Number *Teléfono de contacto durante el día*

Teacher Last Name *Apellido del docente*

Student Grade *Grado del estudiante*

Parent Email Address (Provide your email address to receive reminders for Picture Day and future offers.)
Dirección de correo electrónico del padre o de la madre (Proporciona tu dirección de correo electrónico con el fin de recibir recordatorios para la fecha de la foto y futuras ofertas.)

	Qty <i>Cantidad</i>	Price <i>Precio</i>	Total <i>Total</i>	LOOK CODE	
PACKAGES <i>PAQUETES</i>	A. Deluxe	\$44			
	B. Premium	\$59			
	C. Value	\$36			
	D. Ultimate	\$64			
	E. Family	\$51			
	F. Basic	\$31			
	G. Entry	\$26			
SAVE <i>AHORRA</i>	H. Upgrade Special Offer	\$11		N/A	
	I. Combo Special Offer	\$17		N/A	
ADD-ONS <i>ADICIONALES</i>	J. (8) 2x3 Wallets	\$15			
	K. (2) 5x7	\$15			
	L. (1) 8x10	\$15			
	M. (4) 3x5	\$15			
	N. CD High and Low Resolution	\$15			
	O. (4) Variety 3x5	\$15		N/A	
	P. (8) Variety 2x3	\$15		N/A	
Q. Class Picture	\$15		N/A		
ENHANCEMENTS <i>MEJORAS</i>	Premium Retouching <small>Basic plus whitens teeth and evens skin tone</small>	\$12			
	Basic Retouching <small>Removes blemishes</small>	\$6			
	Name & Grade On All Portraits	\$8			
	Name & Grade On Wallets	\$5			
	SUBTOTAL <i>Subtotal</i>				
	Add 8.75% sales tax.		8.75%		
*Name & Grade On Please print name exactly how it should appear on portraits. <i>Aplicación de nombre y grado. Escribe el nombre en letras de imprenta, exactamente igual a como debe aparecer en los retratos.</i>		TOTAL <i>TOTAL</i>			