



# BLUE OAK SCHOOL

A WALDORF-INSPIRED PUBLIC CHARTER (K-8)

## THE ACORN – WEEK OF NOVEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>, 2020

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- 11/04 – School Tour (9:30AM)
- 11/04 – Parent Council Meeting (6:00PM)
- 11/05 – School Tour (4:30PM)
- 11/06 – No School (Teacher In-Service Day)
- 11/09 – First Day of On-Site Hybrid Model
- 11/10 – Finance Committee Meeting (4:15PM)
- 11/11 – No School (Veterans Day)

### MATERIAL DISTRIBUTION

*New Material Distribution Schedule:  
Every Other Monday from  
4:30PM – 5:30PM*



**Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup>  
Cancelled (Teacher In-Service Day)**

**Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup>  
4:30PM – 5:30PM**



**Spirit Theme: Mix and Match**

### CARD IS BACK

CARD services will return to campus Nov 9<sup>th</sup>. CARD will offer an After School Program Mon – Thurs from 12:15PM to 5:30PM for K-5<sup>th</sup> grades.

Registration opens Wednesday, Nov 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:00AM and closes Thursday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 5:00PM. For more information regarding fees, dates, and what to bring please see the attached link.



## THIS MONTH'S VIRTUE: FRIENDSHIP

### PPE PORTRAIT PROJECT

We are excited to announce that our Blue Oak faculty and staff will be participating in the PPE Portrait Project for the reopening of our school.



The PPE Portrait Project was created in response to the 2014-2016 Ebola epidemic and is now being adopted during the COVID-19 pandemic by hospitals, schools, assisted living facilities, and research centers.

PPE Portraits are headshots that are worn over the heart on the outer layer of ones' clothes or PPE so that the essential works "underneath" can be identified.

The PPE Portrait Project team has published evidence-based papers on the project's effectiveness in humanizing care and improving joy of practice for those who wear masks. We were thrilled to see a Blue Oak alumni reach out to help enact this project at our school.



So be sure to keep an eye out to see who will be sporting their PPE Portraits next week!

### EXECUTIVE UPDATE

A note of gratitude to faculty, staff, Charter Council and parents for their thoughtful and supportive work as we move forward with the Hybrid/On-Site option. I continue to be amazed at the hard work, dedication and caring I see in everyone working to make this all happen.

### GO VOTE!

"Sometimes the bravest and most important thing you can do is just show up." – Brené Brown

Show up for yourself. Show up for your friends.  
Show up for your community.

### MEAL PICK UP EVERYDAY

#### CUSD Nutrition Services

Breakfast & Lunch Sack Meals  
Monday-Friday  
11:00AM – 12:30PM



CHICO JR. HIGH	CHAPMAN ELEM
BIDWELL JR. HIGH	LCC ELEM
EMMA WILSON ELEM	SHASTA ELEM
SIERRA VIEW ELEM	CITRUS ELEM

**Please Note:** If you plan to have your child return to in-person instructions on Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>, you must report all recent immunizations to Kris Fortado before Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> or your child will be unable to return to campus.