

Thunderbird Flier

School to Home Newsletter

Greatness Built Here!



Kastner Intermediate School ♦ 7676 N. First Street Fresno, CA 93720-0955 ♦ (559) 327-2500 ♦ January 19, 2024

Principal's Message

Hello Thunderbirds and Happy New Year!

Thunderbird community welcome back! I hope your winter break was fun and relaxing all at the same time. We are looking forward to great things in 2024 for you to pursue your goals and create your plan of action at Kastner.

We held our mid year student expectation assembly last week going over site wide expectations for dress code, behavior, Uber Eats/Door Dash and where to make a report if there is an incident that needs to be reported. We also went over what it means to be kind and use of appropriate language toward others.

As always, we encourage our students to reach out to a trusted adult on campus any time there is an issue.

Thank you,

May Moua, Ed.D
Principal



CJSF Applications available January 22-26, 2024 for Membership for current 7th and 8th grade students

One of the highest academic honors that students can earn in secondary school is the California Junior Scholarship Federation award. CJSF is a nationwide honor society recognized by companies & institutions, that in some instances, award scholarships. It is an academic membership to which students must apply. The last day to submit your application for membership is January 26, 2024 by 3:00 PM. Information and applications can be found on Kastner website; Academics tab; Academics Awards tab.

"Student of the Month" January Award Recipients

We would like to recognize the following students for the month of January. Our 7th grade AB teachers have selected these students to receive this prestigious award. **Congratulations to:**

Mrs. Accardo: Joshua Schmall, Aryanna Torres

Ms. Roza: Kaleb Gonzales, Ashley Cornejo, Lucia Ryan

Ms. Bahr: Aiden Soares, Annabel Srenaski

Mr. Canales: Samuel Cook, Layla Mcleavey, Camila Mendez Vega

Mr. Chafi: Ryenne Grayson, Vianna Jiang, Lucia Ryan

Ms. McGee: Brooke Anderson, Fae Fox

Mrs. Shurtliff: Charlotte Bray, Alison Ivy, Jordan Stalcup

Mrs. Mooneyham: Jaskaran Singh

Self-Control
Honesty
Excellence
Responsibility
Respect
Courteous

Spring sports starting Monday, February 5th

Spring season is just around the corner if you are interested in playing any of the following sports they will begin Monday, February 5th.

- Boys and Girls Track
- Boys and Girls Swim
- Boys Golf
- Boys Volleyball
- Boys Tennis
- Baseball
- Softball



Permission Click and a physical must be on file to participate and good standing with grades—if you have played a sport in the fall or winter and have a current physical you are cleared to play.



Two February NO School Days:

Monday, February 12, 2024—Lincoln's Birthday

Monday, February 19, 2024—President's Day



On Saturday, December 9, 2023 the Kastner Robotics team called "**reading_unblocked**" won 2nd Champions Award at the FIRST Central California Championship held at Alta Sierra Intermediate.

They initially were able to choose between two invitational tournaments, one in Long Beach, California and the other in Daytona Beach, Florida. However, the first-place team is unable to attend the FIRST World Championship. We will be representing the Central Valley in Houston, Texas on April 17 to 20, 2024. **Congratulations Kastner Robotics and Good Luck in Houston!**