



Message from the County Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Mary Ann Dewan

Hello everyone,

On this day in 1969, [Sesame Street](#) made its debut on [PBS](#). The beloved television show is still going strong today and has been an excellent [resource during the pandemic](#). Some of their available resources include helping children understand the [basics of vaccines](#).

Understanding vaccines is important as children ages 5 to 11 years old are now eligible for coronavirus vaccines. All families can begin planning for the vaccine. Vaccines are available at clinics, pharmacies, healthcare organizations, and at some school sites. COVID-19 Vaccine and clinic information is updated regularly at www.sccfreevax.org, and I encourage you to visit one of the "Open" School clinics or one of the Mass Vaccination Sites listed below.

- Santa Clara County Fairgrounds, Expo Hall at 2542 Monterey Highway, Gate D, San Jose, CA 95111, 8:30 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
- Emmanuel Baptist Church
- Mountain View
- San Martin Animal Shelter
- DePaul Health Center
- Valley Specialty Center (Bascom)
- VHC Gilroy

We remain committed to utilizing all available public health interventions to create a safer school environment.

We look forward to working with you to support the health and well-being of the Santa Clara County community and are excited to reach our County goal of 75% of the 5 to 11 year-olds getting the COVID-19 vaccine by January 1, 2022! Thank you for your patience and partnership in ensuring our children are protected from COVID-19 and other vaccine-preventable diseases.



Mary Ann Dewan, Ph.D.
County Superintendent of Schools

Tomorrow is Veterans Day, a time to extend gratitude to all our veterans who have served, and who are currently serving, in the United States Armed Forces. We honor them for their service, sacrifice, and love of country. I encourage each of us to reach out to the veterans in the community to thank them for their service.

Be well,

Mary Ann Dewan, Ph.D.
County Superintendent of Schools

Community News and Resources



Holiday Toy Drive!

The Santa Clara County Fire Department is looking forward to the holiday season and the opportunity to give back to those who are most vulnerable. They are excited to partner with the Campbell Community Toy Program in support of their annual toy drive.

Reminder Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, toys are not being accepted at our fire stations. For your safety and convenience, the 2021 Holiday Toy Drive will once again be a drive-through, contactless event. Please visit one of our drop-off events on December 4th and 5th from 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. to donate new, unwrapped toys and gift cards. Locations will be in Los Altos Hills, Cupertino, and Campbell.

For more information, visit <https://www.sccfd.org/toydrive>.



Produce Mobile

Every 1st and 3rd
Wednesday of the month

11:30am-1:30pm

Location:

602 E Santa Clara St
San Jose, Ca 95112

- No parking available in CWO lot
- Masks must be worn at all times



For more information
call 408-960-0644
or email:
cwo@ihcscv.org

Second Harvest of Silicon Valley Produce Mobile

COMMUNITY EVENT

The Office of LGBTQ Affairs and TransCanWork, Inc. presents:

TRANS DAY OF REMEMBRANCE - THE HISTORICAL AND HUMAN EXPERIENCE

Thursday, November 18, 2021 @ 3pm

Register Here:
tinyurl.com/TransCanWorkTDOR

HOSTED BY



SYDNEY ROGERS
(They/She)
TransCanWork, Inc.





COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA
Office of LGBTQ Affairs

Trans Awareness Month Event

Join this free virtual event that amplifies the importance of Trans Awareness Month and acknowledge the historical significance of Transgender Day of Remembrance. Panelists of transgender and gender expansive lived expertise will speak on their own TGI journey, sharing stories of personal human experience and discussing the stigma of what it means to be TGI. Learn about allyship through education and advocacy. Celebrate the resilience of TGI colleagues, community members, and loved ones. RSVP today.

tinyurl.com/TransCanWorkTDOR





WALK & TALK

Nature Walk Office Hours

November 14, 2021 at 9AM-11AM

Alviso Marina Park
1195 Hope St, Alviso, CA 95002

Walk & Talk

Walk & Talk Office Hours
Sunday, November 14

9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Alviso Marina County Park
1195 Hope St
Alviso, 95002

[RSVP HERE](#)



Time Change Safety Checks

Smoke alarms save lives! Keep your family safe...take a few minutes today to **check your alarms** to ensure that they are working properly and **change the batteries** if needed. For more information, visit www.sccfd.org or www.nfpa.com



Christmas in the Park

Join San Jose's annual Christmas in the Park event. With over 500 decorated trees, more than 40 animated displays, live entertainment and so much more, this holiday celebration is a 40+ year tradition and is free to attend. The festivities are in downtown San Jose's Plaza de Cesar Chavez Park.



CAUSES OF MIGRATION: GLOBAL AND LOCAL TRENDS

Join us to discuss the push and pull factors related to migration as well as the global, national, and local trends that reveal inequities here and abroad



Image Credit: CBS News

Our Speakers:



Dr. Rooio Luna
Deputy County Executive, County of Santa Clara



Thai V. Le
Postdoctoral Research Fellow, USC Equity Research Institute



Bill O. Hing
Professor of Law and Migration Studies, University of San Francisco (USF)



Zelia Rodriguez-Deams
Manager, OIR



Milina Jovanovic
Coordinator, OIR

REGISTER:

[REGISTRATION LINK](#)

NOVEMBER 18, 2021
12 PM - 1:30 PM
ZOOM WEBINAR

Causes of Migration: Global and Local Trends Zoom Webinar

Join the Office of Immigrant Relations to discuss the push and pull factors related to migration as well as the global, national, and local trends that reveal inequities here and abroad.

When: November 18, 2021 12:00 p.m to 1:30 p.m.

Where: Online on Zoom

[Register on Zoom](#)

District News and Resources



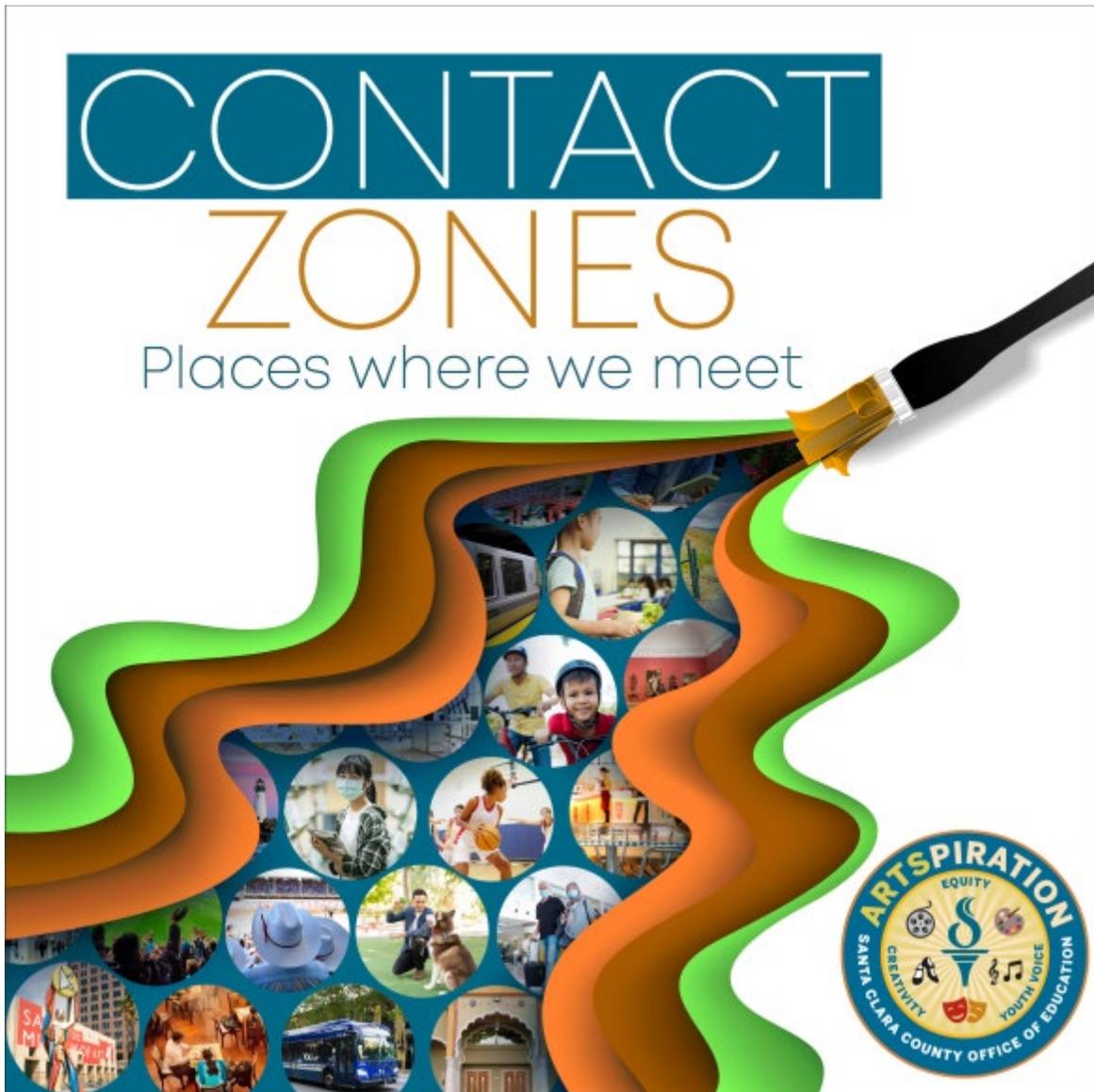
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

Scholarships for Undocumented Students

VISIT WWW.THEDREAM.US

TheDream.us

TheDream.US is now accepting applications for their National (Nov 1, 2021 – Feb 28, 2022) and Opportunity (Nov 1, 2021 – Jan 31, 2022) Scholarships. Over 7,500 #DREAMers have gone to college through #TheDreamUS #Scholarships. Learn more and apply today to be part of next year's class. To learn more, please visit: www.thedream.us



2022 Young Artist Showcase Competition

The 2022 Young Artist Showcase Competition is open to Santa Clara County public school students, pre-K-12th grade. Student winners will have their artwork accepted into the permanent exhibit of student artwork located within the SCCOE office as well as showcased at the San Jose, in-person Arts at the Emancipatory Education Conference on March 13, 2022, celebrating Arts Education Month in California and on May 19, 2022, in a virtual celebration of youth expression at the Santa Clara County Office of Education on Zoom.

This year's artwork theme of "Contact Zones: Places Where We Meet" encourages students to show experiences of places and/or events in which differences meet and interact. Contact zones can be any place where humans are! They include places such as schools or neighborhoods.

The submission deadline is February 25, 2022. Eligibility, Key Dates, and Submission requirements can be found on the Artspiration website - <https://www.sccoe.org/arts/yas>.



Click the Picture for Available Grants

**THADDEUS
ORLANDO
CAMPBELL**
Scholarship Fund

Six Awards
\$3,000 to \$1,000
LGBTQ+ Students

[SVPRIDE.COM/SCHOLARSHIP](https://svpride.com/scholarship)

Due: November 21, 2021

 **SILICON VALLEY
PRIDE.**

svpride.com/scholarship

Silicon Valley Pride is bringing back the Thaddeus Orlando Campbell Scholarship Fund! This is an amazing opportunity for LGBTQ+ high school and college students to receive an award ranging from \$1,000-\$3,000.

The deadline to apply is Sunday, November 21.
Learn more and apply at: www.svpride.com/scholarship



BWC
Bill Wilson Center

November is National Runaway Prevention Month

Through the Home Free program, we provide a free bus ticket home or to a safe alternative living arrangement.

1-800-RUNAWAY
(1-800-786-2929)

If you are a runaway, homeless or exploited youth between the ages of 12 and 21, call the National Runaway Safeline to find out if Home Free can help you.

Bill Wilson Center

National Runaway Safeline

Greyhound

1800RUNAWAY.org

Runaway Support

Health & Wellness

Santa Clara County Weekly Vaccine Schedule



Week of November 7 - November 13, 2021

Vaccines are free, easy, and safe. You do not need health insurance and all immigration statuses are eligible. Staff are onsite to support language needs and disability access.

Drop-in/no appointment needed at all of the following vaccine sites:

San Jose

Story Rd HUB

Sun 11/7 9am-4pm

Fri 11/12 3pm-7:30pm

Sat 11/13 9am-4pm

1775 Story Rd, San Jose, CA 95122

Emma Prusch Park

Tues - Thurs 12pm-7pm

647 S King Rd, San Jose, CA 95116

*\$50 grocery gift cards for ages 12+ (no giftcards for boosters)

North East Medical Services

Mon, Wed, Fri 2:30pm-4pm

1870 Lundy Ave, San Jose, CA 95131

Sun Pharmacy

Mon-Fri 9am-4pm

Sat 9am-1pm

2559 South King Rd,

San Jose, CA 95122

Advance SJ Pharmacy*

Mon-Fri 9am-5:30pm

2331 Montpelier Dr, Ste A-10,

San Jose, CA 95116

Medical Offices of Dan Hopner,

MD, Rom Romero, PA*

Mon-Fri 10am-2pm

2060 Aborn Rd, Ste 100,

San Jose, CA 95121

Los Alamitos Pharmacy*

Mon-Fri 9:15am-5:30pm

1150 N. Jackson Ave, Ste 3,

San Jose, CA 95116

San Jose (continued)

Tully Medical Clinic Pharmacy*

Mon-Fri 9am-6pm

Sat 9am-1pm

1693 Flanigan Dr, Ste 104

San Jose, CA 95121

Allen at Steinbeck

Mon 11/8 3pm-7:30pm

820 Steinbeck Dr, San Jose, CA 95123

Bay Area Community Health*

Tues 11/9 12pm-4pm

5504 Monterey Hwy,

San Jose, CA 95138

Robert F Kennedy Elementary

Wed 11/10 1pm-6:30pm

1602 Lucretia Ave, San Jose, CA 95122

Tafatolu Church

Thurs 11/11 10am-5pm

2510 Alvin Ave, San Jose, CA 95121

Tully Night Market

Thurs 11/11 5:30pm-8:30pm

880 Tully Rd, San Jose, CA 95111

Franklin Elementary School

Fri 11/12 1:30pm-7:30pm

420 Tully Rd, San Jose, CA 95111

VillageFest

Fri 11/12 5pm-8pm

5700 Village Oaks Dr,

San Jose, CA 95123

Latino College Preparatory

Academy @ National Hispanic

University

Sat 11/13 10am-4pm

14271 Story Road, San Jose, CA 95127

San Jose (continued)

Roosevelt Center

Sun 11/7 12pm-7pm

901 E Santa Clara St,

San Jose, CA 95116

Cupertino

Homestead High School

Sat 11/13 12pm-5pm

21370 Homestead Rd,

Cupertino, CA 95014

Milpitas

Milpitas Community Center

Sun 11/7 12pm-7pm

457 E. Calaveras Blvd.,

Milpitas, CA 9503

Santa Clara

Santa Clara University

Thurs 11/11 10am-5pm

500 El Camino Real,

Santa Clara, CA 95053

Sunnyvale

El Dorado Mobile Home Park

Sat 11/13 12pm-3pm

600 E Weddell Dr,

Sunnyvale, CA 94089

***Vaccines for 5-11 not available**

Booster shots and third doses

are available at all sites to

those who meet CDC and FDA

eligibility criteria

☎ 2-1-1 sccFreeVax.org



Vaccine Sites

COVID-19 Vaccinations for Kids: What to Expect

Santa Clara County
PUBLIC HEALTH

sccFreeVax.org

Youth Vaccinations

**FREE DROP-IN
COVID-19
TESTING WEEKLY**

**No Appointment
Needed**

COVID-19 Testing at Ridder Park

COVID-19 testing for education sector employees and their family members.

Tuesdays and Fridays at Ridder Park
7:00 a.m. – 10:55 a.m.
or
12:00 p.m. – 2:55 p.m

Education sector employees can drop in, with your patient ID, for an observed self-administered nasal swab LHI/ OptumServe test at Ridder Park.

For more information, visit <https://sccoe.to/ffx>.

Announcements

News Releases:

- [County of Santa Clara Public Health Department and Santa Clara County Office of Education Launch School-Based Vaccine Clinics for Children Ages 5 to 11](#)

About the Santa Clara County Office of Education

Working collaboratively with school and community partners, the Santa Clara County Office of Education (SCCOE) is a regional service agency that provides instructional, business, and technology services to the 31 school districts of Santa Clara County. The County Office of Education directly serves students through special education programs, alternative schools, Head Start and State Preschool programs, migrant education, and Opportunity Youth Academy. The SCCOE also provides academic and fiscal oversight and monitoring to districts in addition to the 22 Santa Clara County Board of Education authorized charter schools. For more information about the Santa Clara County Office of Education, please visit www.sccoe.org.

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November 2021 Events Calendar

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