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Visioning for the Future; Partnering for Success Rosemead Chamber of Commerce 92nd Annual Installation & Awards Gala

By Chris Ventura

On Thursday, July 18, 2019, the spirit of celebration and synergy filled the banquet hall at the Double Tree by Hilton Rosemead-Los Angeles as Rosemead Chamber members, its board of directors, and distinguished guests were in attendance to congratulate local business leaders in the achievements of the past year and welcome new team members and community partnerships in a collaboration for the growth and economic success of the community.

Attendees celebrated the achievements of the previous Chamber leadership—president, vice president, and board members, and welcomed the new leadership into office. Entertainment for the evening was provided by the San Gabriel Mission Student Music Band.

Outgoing Chamber president Teddy Lu welcomed attendees and said a few words to open the night.

“This has been another good year with the support throughout the City of Rosemead and the dedicated board members. We have built up strengths and have been launching new programs,” Lu said. “We are working with the SCORE under Small Business Administration. They are now an official partner with the Rosemead Chamber. We have educational workshops. We also have another great community partner to assist with small business that is SBDC Pasadena Center. They offer training classes and consultation from industry experts and their services are all free to the community. We look forward to working closely with the SBDC in serving our members.

“Some of our new programs we launched this year include the Home Buyer Fair in partnership with the West San Gabriel Valley Association of REALTORS. The half-day event attracted many first-time home buyers. We also completed the Rosemead Insider Coupon Book with the support and guidance from the city. Shop locally and dine locally. I want to thank the members and business owners who supported the program by offering incentives for customers.

“Lastly, I’d like to thank the Board Members of the Rosemead Chamber. Every board member has brought a different expertise to support me and the Chamber. It is a tremendous effort and dedication to keep a non-profit running. I appreciate each and every one of you. Thank you for joining us and I look forward to working with Dr. Robert Bell, our new president, throughout the new year.”

Outgoing board member Elizabeth Martinez of Republic Services came up and recognized VIP guests in attendance for the evening. VIPs included: Rosemead Mayor pro tem Sandra Armenta, Councilmember Sean Dang; City Manager Gloria Molleda; Assistant City

Manager Greg Tsujiuchi; Finance Director Pearl Lieu; Community Development Director Benjamin Kim; Parks and Recreation Director Tom Boecking; our Public Works Manager Bob Chavez; Rosemead Chief of Police Chris Kusayanagi; Temple Station Captain David Flores; 49th District Assemblymember Ed Chau; 22nd District Senator Susan Rubio representing the 27th California Congressional District Congresswoman Judy Chu, deputy District Director Enrique Robles, Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors for the 1st District Supervisor Hilda Solis’ office, representative Hoang Nguyen; and the Rosemead School District Board president Ronald Esquivel and Board Clerk John Quintanilla.

Teddy Lu thanked and recognized Chamber milestone members with plaques in celebration of their long dedication to the Chamber.

Rosemead Mayor pro tem Sandra Armenta also congratulated the milestone members and gave each of them certificates of appreciation on behalf of the City of Rosemead.

“It’s such an honor and privilege to be here,” said Armenta. “Thank you so much for investing in Rosemead and our Chamber and being a part of the City of Rosemead. We so much appreciate that. We all know that collaboration with the Chamber and the businesses is very important in order for Rosemead to succeed. Thank you so much!”

Armenta then welcomed Senator Rubio to the stage who also celebrated the milestone members and handed out certificates on behalf of the California State Senate.

“I’ve always been such an advocate for small businesses,” Senator Rubio said. “I used to be a councilmember. I recognize that you are the backbone of our communities. Without your input, your collaboration, your revenue, our cities struggle...so thank you for investing.

“I was honored to represent a resolution on behalf of small businesses this past month because I truly believe that we put a lot of emphasis making you successful with whatever we do—our decisions that we make always come down to how they affect you and I really want you to know that I’m a partner in this and any ideas that you have for small businesses... please let me know,” Senator Rubio continued. “I’m here to support you.”

Outgoing president Teddy Lu chose Paul Chen as recipient of this year’s President’s Award. As Chamber Executive Director Ray Jan explained, The President’s Award is a yearly award that is purely the president’s choice that they would like to give out to someone special. The recipient could be a business or a member. It is meant to show special appreciation for the support they provided during the president’s term.

“Paul has been my mentor, a friend, and has been dedicated to Rosemead Chamber and community for many, many years,” said Teddy Lu. “He taught me a lot and he contributes so much time, money, and teaches the young generation...He’s my hero and I want to give this award to him to thank him for everything he does for me and for the Chamber.”

The Chamber has several volunteer ambassadors who come to the Chamber office weekly. Ambassadors assist in making welcome packages that help the chamber reach out to members, retain member relations, and welcome new members. Ray Jan presented the award of Ambassador of the Year to Christine Chow for outstanding work and contributions to the Chamber.

Mayor pro tem Sandra Armenta, on behalf of Mayor Margaret Clark, thanked the Chamber for their work and dedication to the city since 1927. She pointed out that the Chamber has been in existence far ahead of the city’s incorporation which was only 60 years ago. Armenta also praised Chamber Director Ray Jan for serving as interpreter during the city’s delegation to Taiwan.

“The Chamber does a phenomenal job,” said Councilmember Sean Dang. “[The Chamber] acts as a conduit between the business owners and the city and what a great, great group we have. Thank you to all the supporting members for making this Chamber so much of a success. I just want to wish a very fond farewell to our outgoing president Teddy Lu. Thank you for such a phenomenal job and a great year. To our incoming president Dr. Robert Bell, as you can see, it’s a great team and you’re going to have such well established people who work with you, so it’s going to be a great year.”

Senator Rubio also took a moment to recognize the outgoing president and incoming president.

“Mr. Teddy Lu, thank you for your service,” Senator Rubio said. “Thank you for the year that you’ve provided to this Chamber. He’s always a delight. I have sat with him at other events and it’s always really nice to get to know him and talk to him—he’s very charming. Thank you for always being so welcoming to me. I also want to say thank you so much to our incoming president who’s going to be a tremendous asset to your organization as well.”

Rubio presented outgoing president Teddy Lu, incoming president Dr. Robert Bell, and the incoming board of directors each with a Certificate of Recognition from the California State Senate. Rubio also presented long-time colleague and outgoing board member Elizabeth Martinez with a certificate.

“I’ve known this lady for quite a while. I know

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COMING SOON: CITY OF ROSEMEAD COMMERCIAL FAÇADE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

HOW DOES THE PROGRAM WORK?

The Commercial Façade Improvement Program assists new and existing businesses improve their building's façade by providing a forgivable no interest loan that is predicated on the creation of new jobs for low- to moderate-income persons. If the business hires one permanent full-time equivalent position for low- or moderate-income person for one-year, the \$25,000 loan used to improve the building's façade is forgiven and does not need to be paid back. The maximum assistance under the program is \$50,000 for each business.

Examples of qualifying improvements:

- Storefront Restoration or Renovation
- New Exterior Paint
- Permanent Signage

The funds may only be used for physical exterior building improvements. Interior and underground improvements are not eligible. The funds may also not be used for business operations or non-qualifying expenses.

HOW IS THE PROGRAM FUNDED?

Program activities are funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Grant (CDBG). The funding allocation for this Program is based on annual allocations provided by HUD and approval by the City Council.

HOW TO APPLY:

A program guide and application details will be available soon. For more information, please contact the Planning and Economic Development Division at (626) 569-2140.

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PUBLIC POLICY



Rosemead Appoints New Director of Public Works

Rosemead Appoints Christopher Dasté as the New Director of Public Works.

City Manager Gloria Molleda is pleased to announce and welcome Christopher “Chris” Dasté as the new Director of Public Works for the City of Rosemead.

Chris comes to Rosemead following a 33-year executive-level career in local government. Chris recently served as the Director of Recreation and Community Services in the City of Bell Gardens. With his extensive background and experience in public service, Chris has held executive management roles in several municipalities and thrives in employee management and team building. Previously, Chris worked as the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Director for the cities of Burbank, Tracy, Elk Grove, and Simi Valley. He also worked as the Director of Field Services for the City of Santa Clarita where he oversaw functions that included transit, street maintenance, general facilities maintenance, environmental services, property management, and fleet services.

“I’m honored and thrilled to be able to join the team in Rosemead and help make a positive difference in the community,” Chris said. “I’m fully aware of the vital role Public Works plays in aiding the quality of life of Rosemead’s residents. I hope to continue the quality projects that the Public Works Department has implemented to help the community and assist in carrying out the vision of the City Council.”

In his new role, Chris will oversee the Public Works Department as they work to meet the objectives of the City Council. His first day in Rosemead will be August 5 and will be formally introduced at the September 10 City Council meeting.

Chris received his Bachelor of Arts in Recreation Administration from California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo. He has also dedicated his time to serve as a high school CIF football and basketball official for over 25 years. Chris is happily married to his wife Christine and has three adult children; Cody (24) who’s a Staff Sergeant in the United States Air Force, Dillon (22), and Carly (19).

Storefronts, LA

Design Support for Small, Community-Serving Businesses

The Program Small businesses will be supported in **designing a welcoming storefront and interior that reflect the business’s unique story and neighborhood context, and also increase visibility and profits.** LA-Más, a non-profit urban design organization, will work with businesses to develop low-cost, high impact strategies.

How It Works Eligible business owners will share their business vision and offerings, existing and anticipated customers, and neighborhood history and culture. LA-Más will **develop customized interior and exterior designs** that can support individual business growth and broader economic development in the neighborhood.

- **Interior Design Options:** Site planning, Shelving, Signage, Flooring, Lighting, Check-out Counter, Interior Painting
- **Exterior Design Options:** Logo + Signage, Pedestrian Amenities (such as sidewalk seating), Facade Painting and Improvements

All designs are relatively simple and **quick to install**, and incorporate **affordable materials** that fit within the business owner’s budget. Projects will be completed within four months, with LA-Más leading implementation, including securing project materials and permits.

Commitment Business owners should expect to **commit \$5K-20K from their own funding sources** to cover the cost of materials, permits (if needed), and construction. Costs will depend on the nature and scale of the project. LA-Más will provide **free design support**, including design services, permitting, and managing the installation.

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be a small business that is owned and/or operated by an immigrant, woman, or person of color
- Must be located within a low-moderate income community within LA County, or provide a service or product that caters to a need in a low-income community
- Must be an existing client of one of our partner organizations
- Must have a long-term lease (min. 3 yrs) in a commercial building with a storefront
- Must have capacity to contribute funding for materials and installation

How to Apply If you are interested in participating, please talk to your business counselor from one of our partner organizations and they will provide you with the application form!

Partners This program is supported by FOUND/LA, an initiative of the Wurwand Foundation. Partner organizations include: Inclusive Action for the City; Los Angeles Food Policy Council (LAFPC); Asian Pacific Islander Small Business Program (APISBP); Opportunity Fund; Managed Career Solutions (MCS); and Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti’s Office of Community Business.



LA County to Support Public Housing Authorities That Identify Stable Housing for Former Foster Youth

LOS ANGELES, CA - A new federal program designed to help young people who age out of the foster care system could provide housing vouchers to eligible youth in Los Angeles County. The County serves more than 34,000 children and youth, including 2,000 young people in extended foster care who struggle to access stable housing once they leave the child welfare system. In response, today the Board of Supervisors approved a motion authored by Los Angeles County Supervisor Hilda L. Solis, and co-authored by Supervisor Kathryn Barger, that directs the County Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) to participate in this federal program after identifying local housing authorities eligible to receive these vouchers.

“Offering these young people housing will stabilize their lives, enabling them to better focus on school or employment opportunities,” said Supervisor Solis. “Too often, young adults transitioning out of foster care do not have anywhere else to go, and many have already endured significant trauma in their young lives. This vulnerable population may fall through the cracks if we do not provide them with a strong safety net. I am committed to prioritizing the success of these youth as they transition out of foster care.”

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) recently announced the creation of a new federal program called Foster Youth to Independence (FYI) Initiative. Through the FYI Initiative, local public housing authorities will be able to offer housing vouchers to young adults under the age of 25 who are about to or have recently left the foster

care system and have nowhere to call home.

The FYI Initiative will offer up to 25 housing vouchers per year, on a first-come, first-serve basis, to local public housing authorities that prevent homelessness among young adults who have recently left the foster care system. The FYI Initiative requires that DCFS partner with qualifying local public housing authorities in order to participate in this federal program.

Nearly 4,000 young people are experiencing homelessness, which is a 22 percent increase over the previous year, according to the 2019 Greater Los Angeles Homeless Count. For many of these youth, housing, combined with supportive services, can make the difference between homelessness and long-term success.

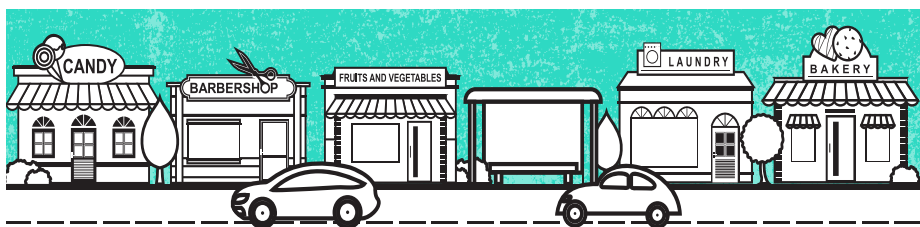
“This motion will help foster youth aging out of the system and who are at risk of homelessness to have access to housing assistance vouchers providing them self-sufficiency and needed supports as they enter adulthood,” said Supervisor Barger.

Today’s motion directs LA County’s Office of Homeless Initiative, the Los Angeles County Development Authority, DCFS, and the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority to help identify local public housing authorities eligible to apply for these new HUD housing vouchers.

The motion also directs DCFS to sign a memorandum of understanding with these local public housing authorities after identifying those that are eligible to apply for this program. The Board motion also requires LA County’s CEO to report back to the Board of Supervisors within 90 days with an update.



SMALL BUSINESS SUMMIT



Date:
September 17, 2019

Time Agenda:
8:30am
Registration & Networking
Light Refreshments

9:30am - 12:00pm
Panel Discussion

12:00pm - 12:30pm
Grab & Go Lunch

12:30pm - 1:30pm
Keynote: Lillian Conroe,
Small Business and Permit Specialist,
California Governor’s Office of
Business and Economic Development
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how exceptional she is," Senator Rubio said. "I know her contribution to our communities is also invaluable. I have seen her everywhere I go—on stage, on the side—always trying to help out and participate. I also know that she's taking on a new role, a new career, a new challenge, and so I just want to say thank you for your eight years here and contributing to our community."

Assemblymember Ed Chau took to the stage to congratulate the Chamber and its members and to distribute certificates as well.

"Let me begin by extending congratulations to all the milestone members and I want to thank you for your involvement—5 years to 55 years—that is commitment," Assemblymember Chau said. "I want to thank you for your commitment and your involvement in the community. Let me also congratulate your entire team...I want to thank you for stepping up to the plate and taking a leadership role in this wonderful organization."

"I want to also recognize the outgoing leadership team starting with the outgoing president and my long-time friend Teddy Lu. I call him my brother and I want to thank [him] as well as [his] entire team for [his] wonderful service, not just this past year, but throughout the years. [He has] been so visible and so helpful with all of the community work that [he does]. I want to thank you, brother, as well as your outgoing team. You've done amazing work. I want to recognize you and also present you and your team with some certificates of my own."

Enrique Robles, Deputy District Director for

the U.S. House of Representatives on behalf of Congresswoman Judy Chu followed with some remarks. "I want to begin by first thanking Ray Jan. She is incredible. She always does such a great job, so I want to thank her for the work that she does—this isn't easy," said Robles. "I want to congratulate our incoming president because you can make no better decision than Pasadena City College because of the Small Business Development Center there. They are at the forefront of bringing in new small businesses. I also want to congratulate our outgoing president Teddy Lu, our outgoing board member Elizabeth Martinez, Diana Herrera, our President Award recipient Paul Chen and our Ambassador of the Year Christine Chow."

From the office of Supervisor Hilda Solis, Hoang Nguyen made a brief presentation.

"Los Angeles County is here to work with small businesses like you because you are the backbone of our economy," Nguyen said. "We have a Department of Consumer and Business Affairs that stands ready to help you get the loans you need and to help you start your small businesses. If you need employees, we have the American Job Center of California—all over the county that have skilled and highly qualified employees for you to hire. We have our contracting units all over the county. We do \$6 billion of procurements every year and you could do business with the county."

The City of Rosemead followed with its own distribution of certificates of recognition to all of

the Chamber board members.

Mayor pro-tem Sandra Armenta conducted the installation ceremony for the Rosemead Chamber of Commerce incoming Board of Directors. Senator Susan Rubio followed with the installation ceremony for the incoming Chamber president Dr. Robert Bell. Assemblymember Ed Chau concluded the installation of new vice presidents Frank Tripepi and Min Wang.

Following the installations, Dr. Robert Bell shared a few words, closing out the evening.

"It is an extreme honor and privilege to accept this position," said Dr. Bell. "It's been a long road for me to get to this position. As many of you know Pasadena City College does have a campus here in Rosemead. Rosemead is now a college city—it has been for the last 6 years since we opened our facility here. I immediately joined the Chamber because I felt that it was important to be here and important to be a part of the Chamber and show the support of Pasadena City College—not only to the Chamber but also to the City of Rosemead and to the businesses of Rosemead."

Bell acknowledged a long row of people standing against the wall in the back of the room as he delivered his speech.

"They are my colleagues and I have to go back to work tomorrow and it would be impossible live with them if I didn't acknowledge them and thank them!" Dr. Bell joked. "Yesterday at this time, I was celebrating my birthday..."

Attendees broke into a spontaneous singing of 'Happy Birthday.'

"I have a 16-year-old son named Miles and you would have to meet my son to really understand this," Dr. Bell said. "So, he asked me, 'What are you going to be doing tonight, dad?' I told him where I was going to be. He said, 'Oh, you're being installed as president, huh? So, how old, again, is the Chamber?' and I said, 'Miles, the Chamber is 92 years old.' He said, 'Ah dad, you're finally working for an organization that's older than you are.'"

The audience erupted into laughter.

"I'm looking forward to next year. I'm looking forward to a lot of the partnerships that we are going to develop," said Dr. Bell. "You saw the slogan for tonight's event: Visioning for the Future; Partnering for Success. That's clearly what we intend to do going forward. We're going to build on our successes of the past."

"We're going to look to partnering more. Pasadena City College is going to be an active partner though our Small Business Development Center which is going to be more active here in the City of Rosemead. We are going to look to getting our more established larger businesses engaged in mentoring and partnering relationships with our small businesses so that we can work together to contribute to the success of all businesses here in the City of Rosemead. I really look forward to this upcoming year. I really look forward to working with the board, with the city, and everyone here."

EDUCATION



The Monthly Gazette

News from the Rosemead School District



August, 2019

Message from the Superintendent

Dear Rosemead Community and Friends,

On behalf of our Board of Trustees and our staff at the Rosemead School District, we warmly welcome our new and returning students to the 2019 - 2020 school year. **The first day of school is Wednesday, August 21, 2019.** You may view the full 2019 - 2020 school calendar by following (clicking) the following link: <https://bit.ly/2OxIB4p>



The new year will bring many new things to our Rosemead students. We are pleased to welcome a new principal at Muscatel Middle School, Mrs. Jocelyn Wilson. Mrs. Wilson brings a wealth of experience in secondary education with an emphasis in middle school grades. For the coming year, we will be expanding Arts opportunities to students in grades 4-6 and adding Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math (S.T.E.A.M.) labs at all schools in the district. We are also very excited to announce a new Dual Immersion - Mandarin program at Encinita Elementary School. The program will begin at our Encinita Preschool program this year and officially launch for Kindergarten students in the 2020 - 2021 school year. This amazing program will offer academic instruction in both English and Mandarin. More information on this will be forthcoming.

As families look to prepare for the new school year, please be on the alert for information regarding registration, schedules, and special events that will be coming directly from your school/s principal/s. The information will be shared electronically via email, traditional mail, and phone message.

While most of our students were away during the summer. Our district staff was working diligently to prepare for the new school year. Below are a few examples of the many exciting things that happened in our district during the summer.

SUMMER SCHOOL 2019:

Over four hundred fifty (450) students attended summer school in our district this year at Encinita Elementary, Janson Elementary, and Muscatel Middle School. Students focused on foundational skills and enrichment opportunities to reinforce previous learning and prepare students for the new academic year.



SUMMER DAY CAMP 2019:

Over three hundred (300) students from preschool to 7th grade, along with volunteers from Rosemead High School participated in the 2019 Rosemead School District Summer Camp. Students continued academic studies in math and language arts, engaged in enrichment activities studying woodworking, science, engineering, film, 3-D printing, coding, dance, theater, singing, Spanish, needlework, arts and crafts, and geography. Students stayed fit by swimming at the Rosemead Aquatic Center, team sports, and morning exercises. To showcase their learning, students launched their rockets into the atmosphere, displayed their artistic creations, and demonstrated their talents in dance, song, and theater with a performance for parents and district staff.



FACILITIES IMPROVEMENTS:

Our Maintenance and Operations staff use the summer as an opportunity for deep cleaning and facilities maintenance. This summer was no exception and our team thoroughly cleaned and prepared our campuses for the return of our students and staff.

Summers also provides us an opportunity to make major repairs and renovations. Thanks to the generous investment our community made to our district by passing several bond measures, this summer we continued much needed renovations at several school sites. We repaired and replaced classroom roofs at several of our sites, made major upgrades to our alarm systems, upgraded lighting in several classrooms, replaced over thirty-five (35) classroom air conditioning units at several sites, and completed the Shuey campus renovation that included new Smart technology boards for all classrooms.



As you can see, our goal this summer was to provide additional learning opportunities for our students and to make sure our schools are safe, welcoming, and prepared for the new school year.

Enjoy the rest of your summer and we will see you on the 1st day of school - August 21, 2019!

Respectfully,
Alejandro Ruvalcaba
Superintendent

Educational Services Department:

ENROLLMENT - TRANSITIONAL KINDERGARTEN, KINDERGARTEN, AND 1ST-8TH GRADE

Enrollment for our 2019-2020 school year has begun. We have implemented our online enrollment process for Transitional Kindergarten, Kindergarten, and 1st through 8th Grade enrollment. Please visit the District website at <https://www.rosemead.k12.ca.us/Page/488> to find more information on enrollment and registration.

Preschool Program:

visit the District Office, Suite 150 to register.

Transitional Kindergarten through 8th Grade Program:

1) enroll online and 2) visit your homeschool. For more information visit or call the District Office/your homeschool.

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Emma. W. Shuey Elementary School (626) 287-5221 www.rosemead.k12.ca.us/shuey 8472 E. Wells Street Rosemead, CA 91770	Muscatel Middle School (626) 287-1139 www.rosemead.k12.ca.us/muscatel 4201 Ivar Ave. Rosemead, CA 91770	Rosemead School District District Office (626) 312-2900 www.rosemead.k12.ca.us 3907 Rosemead Blvd. Rosemead, CA 91770

Questions:

Preschool enrollment & qualification: contact Mrs. Bella Galvan, (626) 312-2900 x235, bgalvan@rosemead.k12.ca.us
 TK-8th gr. & Transfer permits: contact Ms. Myrene Mangali, (626) 312-2900 x230, mmangali@rosemead.k12.ca.us

Important Upcoming Dates:

Day	Date	Event	Time / Location	Questions - Contact
Tues.	Aug. 13	Muscatel 8th gr Student Registration	8:00-11:00 a.m. & 12:30-3:30 p.m.	Muscatel Main Office
Wed.	Aug. 14	Muscatel 7th gr Student Registration Encinita Meet & Greet Special Board Meeting	8:00-11:00 a.m. & 12:30-3:30 p.m. 12:00 - 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m., District Office Board Room	Muscatel Main Office Encinita Main Office Superintendent's Office
Tues.	Aug. 20	Professional Development Day	All Day	Site Principal
Wed.	Aug. 21	1st Day of School, Minimum Day TK-8th grade Students	TK-8th grade Students	School Main Office
Thurs.	Aug. 29	Janson Back-to-School Night	5:30 p.m. Meet & Greet, 6:30 p.m. Introductions, 7:00 p.m. Class visits	Janson Main Office
Mon.	Sept. 2	Labor Day Holiday (District/Schools closed)	All District sites	HOLIDAY
Wed.	Sept. 4	Late-Start Day (All students)	School begins at 9:30 a.m.	School Main Office
Thurs.	Sept. 5	Board of Trustees Regular Meeting	6:30 p.m. Closed Session/7:30 p.m. Open/Public Session, District Office Board Room	Superintendent's Office
Wed.	Sept. 18	Late-Start Day (All students)	School begins at 9:30 a.m.	School Main Office
Thurs.	Sept. 19	Board of Trustees Study Session Meeting	6:30 p.m. Closed Session/ 7:30 p.m. Open/Public Session, District Office Board Room	Superintendent's Office

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2019 City of Rosemead National Night Out



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Time: 9:30am-12pm
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Some agencies include the Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Los Angeles County Office of Emergency Management, and Red Cross.

For more information and to RSVP:

Call: (323) 264- 4949
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 Abigail.Marquez@asm.ca.gov

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