

Rincon Vista 2019 Greek Olympics  
6th Grade Social Studies  
Rincon Vista Middle School

In celebration of our learning about Ancient Greece, 6th Grade will hold the 2019 Greek Olympics on Wednesday, March 6th. Students will participate in traditional Olympic-style physical challenges. Students should dress in appropriate clothing for this event including athletic shoes or sneakers. Students should also wear sunscreen and bring a refillable water bottle to stay hydrated during the games. Coolers of water will be available for students to refill their water bottles at the event.

Due to the large number of students participating in the Olympics, the event will be held in two shifts. At the end of each shift, there will be a brief awards ceremony to honor the male and female winners of each Olympic event. Below is the schedule for the two shifts:

Olympic Shifts	Time frame	Advisory classes on the field
Morning Olympics	8:30-10:55	Abbott-Spitzer, Riley, Fonseca and Kincannon
Afternoon Olympics	11:30-2:00	Crosby, Benzi, Finn and Nieto

When classes are not on the field, they will celebrate indoors with the Greek Feast.

\*\*\*Any student who receives a referral or has significant behavior issues in the week leading up to the Olympics will not be included in the event and will be assigned to an alternate placement for that period.

In order to hold the event, we need the help of ten parent volunteers for each shift to assist with setting up the feast and running the activities. These volunteers need to be available from 8:00-11:00 for the morning shift, or 11:00-2:10 for the afternoon shift. If you would like to volunteer for one of the shifts, please contact your child's social studies teacher by phone or email.

We could also use donations of the following snack foods. **Please send donations by Tues. 3/5/19**  
-pita bread -grapes -cheese -grape juice -apple juice -apple slices -club crackers -baklava  
-Greek Salad -hummus -olives -paper or plastic cups, plates, napkins, forks, spoons,

If you would like to donate food please sign up online using the following link:  
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090d48aeab22a5f94-6thgrade?scrlybrkr=e858ea09>

Please call or email your child's social studies teacher if you can volunteer for one of the event shifts, or if you have a question about the Greek Olympics.

Thank you so much for your support of our extended learning opportunities!

Sincerely,

The 6th Grade Social Studies Teachers

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