



# WILDCAT WEEKLY



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December 17th, 2023

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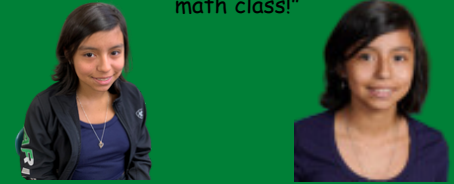
## Poetry Out Loud Competition

This past Thursday, 20 students participated in the annual Poetry Out Loud competition. Pictured below with English teachers Mrs. Hodson and Mrs. Newman. Eight of the students qualified to go on to the county competition that will be held in February. They are Elizabeth Cunado, Gabriel Lamas, Logan Lamberson, Erin Maldonado, Ruby Newman (1st place), Liah Ronneberg, Lorelei Sullivan and Tianna Walts (pictured below right clockwise)



## Student Spotlight

The student we would like to recognize in the student spotlight is Carmen Ramos Montes. Carmen has a amazing smile that is always followed by her positive attitude. She has an incredible work ethic and is willing to help others after she finishes her work. She follows directions every time and she is a positive role model for other students everyday. Mr. Westfall says "I love having Carmen in math class!"

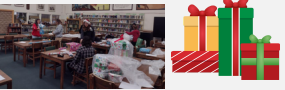


All Students recognized in the student spotlight receive a free meal from Sierra Energy/Squeeze Burger

## Sonora High School ADOPT-A-FAMILY



This holiday season, Sonora High school participated in adopt-a-family. 2nd period classes joined together to provide presents for the children of 18 families!



## Thank you to the Sonora Lions Club!

The Sonora Lions Club made a generous donation to the Sonora High School Cross Country and Track program this past Tuesday afternoon.



## SHS Students Perform at the SF Opera

Sonora High School students: Kendra Matyshock, Arilyn Walker, and Taylor DeAnda were selected to participate in the Community Performances of The Elixir of Love at the Taube Atrium Theater in San Francisco! Stellar student performers were invited from all over Northern California, as over 80 schools participated in the Opera Together program this fall.



## SHS Music Concerts



## CLASS OF 2024 Information

It is time to order graduation cap & gown, announcements and more. Please see this link for [information on ordering](#). There are also a few seats still available for GradNite if you are interested see this link for more information: [SHS GradNite24](#)



## COUNSELORS CORNER

"Ensuring today's students become the productive, well-adjusted adults of tomorrow!"

### All Students-



The counseling team wishes you luck in finals. We know you will do well. Let's work through one more week, then we get to enjoy the holidays! We hope you get to experience some rest, relaxation, and joy over the holidays.

### Seniors -

If you were unable to attend the Columbia College Application workshop on Monday, and are planning on attending Columbia College in the fall of 2024, please see Mrs. Howard in the CAT center.

### 24/7 Counseling Support:

If you or a family member is struggling, download the STOPit app to immediately text with a counselor. The STOPit app is available 24/7 and is FREE for everyone in our school community. There are 4,000 trained counselors online, day and night, ready to help. Click on the Crisis Text Line button on the STOPit app to be connected to a counselor.

## SHS SITE COUNCIL

Meeting Tuesday, December 19th 4:00 pm

[Meeting Agenda](#)

## What Is Going On...

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