

Valentine's Dance - PTA Newsletter 2016

Edison Language Academy

2402 Virginia Avenue, Santa Monica, CA 90404

Dear Edison Families, Teachers, and Staff,

We love Edison...and Edison loves you! Our 2016 Valentine's Dance was an evening filled with lots of fun for everyone. On behalf of the PTA Board, we send our sincerest gratitude to all Edison family volunteers, students, staff, teachers and Principal Lori. It was another successful event with the entire community coming together and lending a hand. We could not have done it without you all! We appreciate your volunteer hours, donations of items for the lotería baskets and food sales, and countless other things that made a difference! We made \$5755 in ticket sales from the event!

Special thanks to the Valentine's Dance Committee for planning and executing a memorable event.

Sincerely,

Jan Chantarasompoth, PTA VP Special Events

FUNDRAISING FOR LOVE. Thank you to everyone who participated in the Valentine's Raffle this year. We sold a total of 5,457 raffle tickets!! The money earned from the raffle will go into the Edison PTA fund, which directly helps our kids with supplies in the classroom and programs during and after school. We are grateful to Maria Castellon, who donated a custom girls' tutu for one of the weekly student raffle drawings. Congratulations to the following students who helped sell raffle tickets and won a weekly drawing prize:

Week 1: Ashlyn Gillam (custom tutu from Maria Castellon) & Brissa Maldonado (Arc Light Movie Tickets for Two)

Week 2: Percy Woo (\$20 gift card to Menchie's Frozen Yogurt)



**A heartfelt thank-you
to our community partners:**

Adelante Club - Santa Monica
City College
Albright Restaurant
Baila Baila
Casa del Mar Hotel
CREST
Dagwood's Pizza
DJ R U JAMN
John Adams Middle School
LA Photo Booth
Santa Monica High School

**And a special shout-out to
our volunteer teacher and
parent dance instructors:**

Adriana Cortes (Zumba)
Maestra Costanza Murcia
(Salsa)
Maestra Elizabeth Ipiña (Salsa)

Baile de San Valentín- Correo de la PTA 2016

Academia de Idiomas Edison

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Queridas Familias de Edison, Maestros y Trabajadores,

Todos amamos a Edison... ¡Y Edison los ama a Uds.! Nuestro Baile de San Valentín 2016 fue una noche llena de diversión para grandes y chicos. En nombre de la Mesa Directiva de la PTA, queremos darle nuestras más sinceras gracias a todas las familias voluntarias de Edison, estudiantes, trabajadores, maestros y a la Directora Lori. Se trató de otro exitoso evento en el cual la comunidad entera se unió para ayudar. ¡Sin ustedes no lo habríamos logrado! Estamos muy agradecidos por las horas de voluntariado, sus donativos para las canastas de la Lotería y para la venta de comida, ¡además de tantas otras cosas que hicieron una gran diferencia!

Un agradecimiento muy especial al Comité del Baile de San Valentín por organizar y ejecutar un evento inolvidable.

Sinceramente,

Jan Chantarasompoth, VP de Eventos Especiales de la PTA

RECAUDACIÓN DE FONDOS CON AMOR. Gracias a todos los que participaron en la Rifa de San Valentín este año. ¡Se vendieron un total de 5,457 boletos! El dinero recaudado con la rifa será destinado a los fondos de la PTA de Edison, los cuales son invertidos directamente en nuestros niños a través de la compra de materiales escolares y programas durante y después de la escuela. Estamos especialmente agradecidos con María Castellón, quien donó un *tutú* de niña para uno de los premios semanales para los estudiantes. Felicitaciones a los estudiantes que ayudaron a vender boletos para la rifa y que ganaron el sorteo semanal de premios:

Semana 1: Ashlyn Gillam (*tutú especial de María Castellón*) & Brissa Maldonado (*boletos de cine para el ArchLight*)

Semana 2: Percy Woo (*\$20 de tarjeta de regalo para la heladería Menchie's*)



El más sincero agradecimiento a nuestros colaboradores:

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Y un reconocimiento especial a los maestros y padres que fueron instructores de baile voluntarios:

Adriana Cortes (*Zumba*)
Maestra Costanza Murcia
(*Salsa*)
Maestra Elizabeth Ipina (*Salsa*)

"You won't find anything like it, anywhere else." Drama-Logue

Break Workshops focus on theatre as a total activity, and include experience in
Live Performance & Musical Theatre
Theatre Games & Improvisation
Voice & Movement
Teamwork & Self-Confidence
Self-Expression & Use of the Imagination
Make-up, Costumes, Lighting, Props
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"I always tell other parents - you get more for your money (more fun, more education, more actual camp hours) at the Santa Monica Playhouse than any other camp available." Mary Redfield

"She got cast at Disney because of you." C. Silvers

"Thank you so much for helping me overcome my self-consciousness."
Violet Ramis (at age 12)

"Structured so that every child can be successful." B. C., educator, Culver City

"Because of you, my daughter got the lead in the school play for the past two years."
D. Anneel, parent



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