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### Calendar

#### Monday, August 21

8:15 Classes Begin

#### Tuesday, August 22

6:00 Orientation 6:30-7:30 Back-to-School Night

#### Friday, August 25

6:30-7:30 Bonfire and Prayer Dedication

# Thursday, August 31

**Skating Plus** 

#### Monday, September 4

No School - Labor Day

## **Announcements**

We hope you're having a wonderful summer! School begins on August 21, which is still four and a half weeks away, but here are some reminders and updates for those of you who like to prepare in advance. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Mr. Fox at **principal@lvaes.org** or (805)263-8138 or your child's classroom teacher.

**Orientation and Back to School Night** will be Tuesday evening, August 22, from 6:00-7:30. Last year's Orientation was geared toward new families, but we are encouraging all families to attend this year.

**Calendar** - You'll be receiving a printed wall calendar at Back-to-School Night, but you can already view most of our year's major events online at **lvaes.org/calendar**.

**School Supply Lists** are available at <u>lvaes.org/supplies</u>. There have been revisions to most of our teachers' lists, so be sure to check those out. Not everything has to be new; feel free to reuse those perfectly good supplies leftover from last year!

**Uniforms** – This is the time to begin working on getting or updating your child's uniforms. You may purchase through the Lands' End website, but you may find it cheaper and faster to purchase uniform polos from Old Navy, Kohls, Walmart, etc. and then have the LVAES logo embroidered through Coastal Embroidery in Camarillo (last year they charged \$10 per item). Coastal Embroidery's turnaround time is about 2-3 weeks, so please plan ahead as much as possible. Be sure to review our dress code policy at **lvaes.org/ uniform** or **lvaes.org/handbook**.

**Band Instruments** - New students in fifth through eighth grades will be choosing a band instrument to learn (flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, French horn, trombone, or baritone). Mr. DeWitt will be helping students with the selection process, but if your child knows what he/she would like to play, now is a good time to begin looking to purchase or rent an instrument. If you would like more information, please feel free to contact Mr. DeWitt directly at **wdewitt@lvaes.org**.