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MEDIA ADVISORY

Bizarre Foods Day at Willow Cove Elementary School

Pittsburg Unified School District's Child Nutrition Department hosts annual taste testing of "bizarre" foods with students. The goal of the event is to expose children to many foods they have never seen or eaten before. They will learn how the foods are grown, where they originate from...and how the fruits and vegetables taste! This is a very popular food event that the Child Nutrition Department hosts each year.

QUOTE: "Bizarre Foods Day is a fun and exciting annual event for us to provide unique produce for students to taste and learn fun factoids about," said Pittsburg Unified School District's Child Nutrition Director, Angelia Nava. "Displays will consist of a variety of interesting fruits with students having the opportunity to taste test blood oranges, kumquats, and other odd-looking foods."

Special thanks to County Market in Antioch for donating produce to this event.

WHO: Students at Willow Cove Elementary School
WHAT: Bizarre Foods Day, Hosted by Child Nutrition Department
WHERE: Willow Cove Elementary School, 1880 Hanlon Way, Pittsburg, CA 94565
WHEN: Thursday, May 24: 8:45am – 2:00pm

PHOTO OPP: Photo and video opportunities are available during event. Please contact Nicky Mora at (925) 473-2427. Alternate contact: Catherine Borquez. Main number for Willow Cove Elementary is (925) 473-4750. Reporters and photographers should check in at the Principal's office upon arrival.

About Pittsburg Unified School District

Awarded the College Board's Gaston Caperton Opportunity Honor Roll award in 2016 for expanding access to college, [Pittsburg Unified School District](#) (PUSD) is one of 130 school districts across the nation recognized for creating opportunities for traditionally underrepresented students. PUSD is a K-12 district serving the community of Pittsburg, California. Founded in 1933, the school system is committed to providing an excellent opportunity for all students to learn. Comprised of eight elementary schools, three junior high schools, one comprehensive high school, one alternative education high school, an adult school, independent study options, and a preschool program, the school district serves more than 11,000 students. PUSD is located in the San Francisco Bay Area, fifty minutes outside of downtown San Francisco.

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