



# AEA FRIDAY LEADERSHIP MESSAGE

## Superintendent's Message

*Dear AEA Families,*

*Congratulations on completing another year of excellence at AEA! Whether your child has just finished kindergarten or graduated from eighth grade and is headed to new adventures in high school, on behalf of the AEA staff and Board of Trustees I wholeheartedly thank you for supporting our schools. This week saw two wonderful milestone ceremonies for our fifth and eighth graders, and while these are always bittersweet moments, I often think of the advice I received from an older neighbor years ago as he saw me rushing out of the house, tying my tie and checking my phone messages as I went: "These are the good old days." With this simple phrase my neighbor reminded me that it's important to slow down and savor the gifts of the present. And there are many gifts indeed.*

*In our ongoing commitment to community access to all our events in multiple languages, we were pleased to provide simultaneous translation services at both ceremonies for the first time. We also offered live streaming of the events and are pleased that hundreds of viewers around the country and the world tuned in.*

*On the topic of savoring gifts, please check our middle school website [www.aeacms.org](http://www.aeacms.org) in the coming days for information on purchasing graduation photos from our official photographer.*

*Our schools will be closed from June 25 through August 24. The 2018-2019 school year begins on Monday, August 27! Please keep an eye out over the summer for more information and announcements related to summer school and various back-to-school activities.*

*Have a wonderful and safe summer break, and be sure to cherish the present.*

*Warmly,*

*Dr. Sciarretta*

*AEA Superintendent*

## [AEA Events at a Glance:](#)

Please see the official AEA calendar below for important upcoming events at both schools:

[AEA Calendar](#)

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## [AEA General Messages](#)

### **Free Summer Meals and SDUSD Summer Fun Cafe/BBQ's!**

San Diego Unified School District is promoting their *Summer Fun Cafe* kickoff this summer. See the links below for fun and nutritious events in your area. Meals are available at 58 sites throughout San Diego at no cost for kids and teens 18 years old and younger. No paper work, no identification and no income verification needed. Special family barbecues are held throughout the summer and feature free meals for the whole family, free community resources and fun activities. Families can also find serving sites near them by calling 211 or by texting "FOOD" or "COMIDA" to 877-877 or by clicking on the mapping tool below. The summer meal program is funded through the United States Department of Agriculture and operated by the San Diego Unified School District. [SDUSD Summer Fun Cafe!](#)

[Summer Meals in your Community Mapping Tool](#)

### **School Safety**

Safety is our top priority. As mentioned in several previous messages to the AEA community this school year, we have created an anonymous safety tipline allowing students and families to report information that may help keep our community safe. You can make reports via telephone or text message. See the Tipline link featured prominently in red at [www.aeacs.org](http://www.aeacs.org). You can also speak directly with teachers, counselors and administrators at any time in both AEA schools.

[Anonymous Safety Tipline HERE](#)



*The City of San Diego*  
**Proclamation**  
 Presented By  
 Mayor  
 Kevin L. Frazier  
 August 27, 2014

**ALBERT EINSTEIN ACADEMIES DAY**

WHEREAS, Albert Einstein Academies is celebrating the opening of its new state-of-the-art middle school facility located in Great Hill; and

WHEREAS, Albert Einstein Academies serves the San Diego K-8 community through its two high-performing, tuition-free public charter schools which will enroll 200 new students in the next year; and

WHEREAS, Albert Einstein Academies features the world-renowned International Baccalaureate Program for all elementary and middle school students and teaches students the skills to be lifelong learners; and

WHEREAS, Albert Einstein Academies is committed to academic excellence for all students through a well rounded program focusing on critical thinking skills and an emphasis on foreign language acquisition so that students will be successful in a global economy; and

WHEREAS, Albert Einstein Academies believes in the value of students serving their local, national and international communities in meaningful and lasting ways and teaches students to care for and serve others; and

WHEREAS, Albert Einstein Academies believes in teaching students how to think rather than what to think so that they may be positive forces for change in the world; and

WHEREAS, Albert Einstein Academies endorses the motto "teaching our children today to advance our shared humanity tomorrow"; NOW,

**BE IT PROCLAIMED** that I, Mayor Kevin L. Frazier, on behalf of the citizens of San Diego, proclaim August 27, 2014, to be "ALBERT EINSTEIN ACADEMIES DAY" in the City of San Diego.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND THIS DAY  
 AND HAVE CAUSED THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO TO BE HEREBY  
 Attest:  
 Kevin L. Frazier  
 Mayor  
 August 27, 2014  
 Date

BY JINNA ALBRIGHT