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Welcome back from Spring Break! We hope your family enjoyed some rest and together time. We are now in the last quarter of the school year, which we know is often packed full of activities and events.

Despite this busy reality, the Board of Trustees requests your presence at one of two strategic planning workshops on April 30th:

- 9:00-11:00 a.m. (please note new start time) in the Larkspur Parks and Recreation Department (behind the District Office)

or

- 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the library at Hall Middle School

As you may know, one of the Board's most important responsibilities is to set the direction for the District. It is our practice to review and recommit to strategic priorities and goals every two years. These priorities are then used by the administration and staff to guide their decision making. For your reference, our 2006-08 strategic priorities are:

- Foster high levels of student achievement through a comprehensive aligned curriculum.
- Make every effort to meet each child's needs through differentiated instruction and opportunities for enrichment.
- Maintain the fiscal integrity of the district.
- Attract and retain highly qualified staff.
- Ensure safe, healthy and positive school campuses district wide.
- Develop a flexible long-range plan to manage continued enrollment growth.
- Promote effective communication between the classroom and the home, and among the various constituents in the district and the community.

The more thought and care is given to the process of identifying priorities, the more the education of our children is enhanced. As members of our community, your input is critical. Please mark your calendars and join us at one of the two sessions on April 30th for this important event.

If your schedule makes it impossible to attend but you would like to provide input, please complete the following survey at:

http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=GtQM70BexR8tBbALCzHBag_3d_3d

Thank you in advance for your support and participation,
The Board of Trustees
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