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# Glendale Unified School District

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## NEWS ADVISORY

### Principal for a Day – December 3, 2014

The 23<sup>rd</sup> annual Principal for a Day in the Glendale Unified School District will be held on Wednesday, December 3, 2014 and has attracted 30 business and community leaders. The Glendale Educational Foundation is sponsoring the event.

Guest principals will spend all morning at their schools, then gather at noon for a luncheon and “commencement” in the GUSD Board Room, 223 N. Jackson St. The reception will give the guest principals and their hosts an opportunity to share their experiences and compare management styles in the public and private sectors – one of the main objectives of the program.

The roster of participants is as follows:

Kevin Cordova Brookey GEF Balboa Elementary	Bing Jiang Rolling Robots Cerritos Elementary
Paul Schlossman Glendale Community College Clark Magnet High	Bruce Fox Character & Ethics Project College View School
Hilma Balaian ANCA Glendale Columbus Elementary	Ann Lee Glendale Memorial Hospital Crescenta Valley High
Elise Kalfayan Friends of Glendale Library Daily High School	Marisol Espinoza The Gas Company Dunsmore Elementary
Louie Felix Matchmaking VIP Edison Elementary	Brandy Villanueva Glendale Fire Department. Franklin Elementary
Scott Uffelman Morgan Stanley Fremont Elementary	Spiro Psaltis BBK Specialties Glendale High
Scot Drolet Forest Lawn Memorial Parks Glenoaks Elementary	Don Nakamoto Verdugo Workforce Investment Board Hoover High

Traci Hamilton California Credit Union Mann Elementary	Monna Johnson Glendale Council PTA Jefferson Elementary
Wayne Herron Glendale Memorial Health Foundation Marshall Elementary	Tom Propst Glendale Fire Department Muir Elementary
Lt. Lola Abrahamian Glendale Police Department La Crescenta Elementary	Pat Longo Andy's Transfer & Storage Lincoln Elementary
Yvette Davis Data Accounting Keppel Elementary	Naveed Near-Ansari Monte Vista Elementary
Michael Pinto NAC Architecture Mountain Avenue Elementary	Dan Bell City of Glendale R.D. White Elementary
Georgette Green Hutchinson & Bloodgood LLP Roosevelt Middle	Calvin Chock JR Hardware Rosemont Middle
Scott Ochoa City of Glendale Toll Middle	Kris Hons Stevenson Real Estate Valley View Elementary
Lt. Tim Feeley Glendale Police Department Verdugo Woodlands Elementary	Albert Yagubyan Wells Fargo Wilson Middle

Background information on the program:

Principal for a Day strives to educate and enlighten community leaders about the Glendale Schools, giving guests a taste of what it's like to manage the complexities of a school campus. Visitors have the opportunity to test their management abilities and styles in problem-solving situations commonly faced at a public school.

2009 participant Jeanett Cordon, YMCA Marketing Director, said "These children, through action and words, are being taught that they are important, that education is the secret and that they can accomplish anything ...anything at all!" after her visit to Franklin Elementary.

Over 550 of the most active community leaders from Glendale and the Foothills have participated in Principal for a Day. Guest principals have represented more than 40 professions, ranging from banking and hospital management to law and retail sales.

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