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OUSD Celebrates Principal for a Day

ORANGE, Calif., March 14, 2014 – The Orange Unified School District celebrated *Principal for a Day* throughout its campuses on Thursday, March 13, 2014. The event partners a business leader or community member with a school principal and allows the participant an opportunity to observe a glimpse of a principal's daily responsibilities. The purpose of the program is to foster relationships within the community and to share the outstanding work of OUSD teachers, students, and staff.

A brief reception was hosted by the District Office, which included opening remarks by Superintendent Michael Christensen.

The District is pleased to offer this program and wishes to thank the following business and community leaders for their participation in the *Principal for a Day* program:

School	Participant Name	Company	Title
Elementary			
Anaheim Hills	Jannita Demian	Discovery Education	Director Network Partnerships
California	Tina Dunneback	Orange Police Department GRIP	Officer
	TJ Lockwood	Orange Police Department GRIP	Officer
Cambridge	John Sibley	City of Orange	Manager
Canyon Rim	Jonelle Strickland	Anaheim Hills Rotary	
Chapman Hills	Sandy Taylor	Orange Police Department	Crime Scene Investigator
Crescent	Chris Sarkissian	Pepz Pizza & Medi Kitchen	Owner/Operator
Esplanade	Frank Acosta	District Attorney's Office	GRIP Program
Fairhaven	Diana Flores	PTA Orange Council	Council President
Fletcher	Robert Hammond	Trustee	Orange County Department of Education
Handy	Andy Parker	GRIP Program	Probation Officer
Imperial	Matt Kelley	Geary Pacific Corp	Customer Service Director
Jordan	Jere Murphy	Community Volunteer	
La Veta	Ray Garcia	United States Marine Corp	Staff Sergeant/Career Counselor
Lampson	Cathy Seelig	Friendly Center Orange	Executive Director
Linda Vista	Tim Meltreger	Writer – Retired Teacher	
McPherson	Denis Bilodeau	City of Orange	Councilman, Director of OC Water District
McPherson	Chris Braun	Google	Software Engineer
Nohl Canyon	Anthony Mays	Google	Software Engineer

School	Participant Name	Company	Title
Olive	Jessica Jamison	Schools First Federal Credit Union	Asst. Manager Retirement Services
Palmyra	Guilherme Puglia	Google	Software Engineer
Panorama	Greg Burt	Office of Senator Mimi Walters	Communications Director
Prospect	Scott Dunkleman	McDonald's Restaurant	Owner/Operator
Running Springs	Payel Sasmal	Bentley Systems, Inc	
Serrano	Susanna Seierup	USC	Professor of Architecture
Sycamore	Greg Baker	Airgas, Army Reserve, Orange Little League President	Director of Safety, Airgas
Taft	Vivan Tabb	GRIP Program	District Attorney's Office
Villa Park	Diana Fascenelli	Villa Park Councilwomen and VPE Parent	Villa Park
West Orange	Dr. Sheryl Bourgeois	Chapman University	Executive Vice President, Office of University Advancement

Middle

School	Participant Name	Company	Title
Cerro Villa	Nicol Jones	PFSO	President
Portola	Karie Kihara	Schools First FCU	Assistant Manager
Santiago	Tracy Rinauro	OC Deputy District Attorney	GRIP Program
Yorba	Melodee Fahy	Orange Assistance League	President

High

School	Participant Name	Company	Title
Canyon	Scott Case	Microsoft Corporation	
El Modena	Grace Hseih	Office of Senator Mimi Walters	District Representative
	The Honorable Theresa Smith (Tita)	City of Orange	Mayor
Orange	Cassio Tanikawa	Google	Technical Program Manager
Richland	Cynthia Drury	Friendly Center Orange	Program Director
Villa Park	Dr. James Brodsky	Pharm B. Naturopath	
Canyon Hills	Mike Chaves	Anaheim Hills Rotary Member	

The Orange Unified School District is located at 1401 North Handy Street in Orange, CA

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