

### ***Highlights of the Upcoming Board Meeting of June 26, 2008***

- **2008-2009 Budget:** The board will adopt the 2008-2009 budget. They will finalize decisions about restoring programs and services based on projected revenue increases. When the state budget is adopted, the board may consider funding additional services based on actual funding we will receive from the state.
- **2008-2009 District Goals:** The board will set the District Goals for 2008-2009. The plans will guide the work of the District and school sites for the coming year.
- **5 Year Maintenance Plan:** The Director of Maintenance, Bret Joyner, will present a 5 Year Maintenance Plan for the District.

***If you have any questions, please contact the Superintendent's Office.  
Thank you for your continued support of the District.***

### ***Notes from the Superintendent***

Our thanks to each of you who completed the Parent Survey this year. The board received reports at the June 5 meeting, highlighting the many areas where you rated our programs as being very effective. This is the third year we have given the same survey, providing three years of data that show trends in programs. The district wide report, including three year trend data, is posted on our website ([www.rossvalleyschools.org](http://www.rossvalleyschools.org)).

The board will use this data as one source of information as they set goals for 2008-2009 school year. At the school site level, each school will work with their individual school data with their School Site Council and site staff to examine survey results and develop action plans to address top priorities. Individual school data will be posted on the website after School Site Councils review their data in the fall.

The district results show that parents have a high level of satisfaction with our programs in reading, writing, speaking/listening, math, history, science, library, and art. The three year trend data points to the need for the district to increase resources and improve programs in technology, foreign language, differentiated instruction in GATE, counseling, and special education.

We appreciate your feedback and will use it to improve and grow as a district and provide the best education for each student in the Ross Valley School District. On behalf of the Board of Trustees and the entire staff of the Ross Valley School District, thank you for your support this year. We wish each of you a happy, healthy and carefree summer.