

Dear Ram families,

We received some great news this past week that Twin Peaks Middle School placed 1<sup>st</sup> in participants for Chelsea's Run! We had the largest team! To celebrate this accomplishment, the Chelsea's Light Foundation is going to cater a lunch time party for all participants. Thanks again for your support of this event.

This week our Pennies for Patients campaign continues. Please save your pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters to help support cancer research. If you have additional questions about Pennies for Patients, please contact Ms. Parker at [eparker@powayusd.com](mailto:eparker@powayusd.com).

This Wednesday, March 15<sup>th</sup> is our AVID Open House at 6pm in Room 205. AVID stands for **A**dvancement **V**ia **I**ndividual **D**etermination. AVID is an elective class for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students. The open house will be a time to gather information and ask questions about the class before making a decision to apply to the program.

We turned our clocks forward this weekend and the weather is beginning to warm up. This is a reminder to all students to please follow the dress code. Short, shorts are not allowed at school. I often get asked how short is too short? While ideally we would like them to be at your fingertips when your hands are at your side, here are three good rules of thumb:

1. If the skin of your cheeks can be seen from the back when you bend over, you better go change.
2. If the pockets of your shorts extend beneath the legs of your shorts, you better go change.
3. If you are even thinking that maybe your outfit may be inappropriate for school, you're probably right. Wear something else.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation.

That's it for now. I look forward to seeing you all tomorrow; and remember, it's a 2/4/6 day.

Sincerely,

Dr. Burke