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A PVFA NEGOTIATIONS BULLETIN TO TEACHERS

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May Revise Provides Good News, District Doesn't Budge on Days

- ❖ The PVFA Bargaining Team met with PVPUSD Wednesday, May 18th and Friday, June 3, 2011

District's June 3rd Proposal:

- Included Calendar (Draft "G") with 177 days for students – see district website for updates to calendar
- Additionally, the proposal included 179 work days for teachers for 2011-2012 year
- No freeze to step and column; no reduction in pay for 20% assignments

PVFA Counter Proposals:

- We continue to demand to restoration of 180 instructional days which would bring teacher work days to 183
- The Union proposed calendars for 3 years and a 3-year contract including the 180 instructional days
- PVFA proposed a gender neutral language change from "Paternal" Leave to "Parental" Leave allowing all parents 5 days of leave for new children

United We Stand:

- ❖ PVFA continues to question the financial priorities of the District in regards to the transfer of funds (\$800,000 in the last 3 months) from the general fund to other funds' reserves. Funds 17 and 63 continue to maintain healthy reserves.
- ❖ THANK YOU to ALL PVFA members who showed up at the May 26th School Board meeting in support of the Bargaining Team! A special "shout out" goes to the Pen High faculty who had the most members present.
- ❖ And a very special THANK YOU to the speakers who addressed the Board and were the VOICE for ALL teacher concerns!!
- ❖ REMINDER: check your home email for updates on the contract negotiations from PVFA. Please contact your site reps with your updated email addresses.

Your PVFA Bargaining Team,

Renae Roberts, Chair
Kathy Santarosa
Kathleen Sullivan
Anne Keller
Tim Coleman
Sandra Goins, SBUT Executive Director