

MEDIA ADVISORY

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Bonita Unified Students to Unearth 1994 Time Capsule

LA VERNE /SAN DIMAS – Students at La Verne Heights Elementary School will unearth a time capsule buried in their school yard 25 years ago. Students will review the contents as part of a living history lesson that demonstrates how periods in time are both similar and different.

- WHAT: Past and present teachers and students of La Verne Heights Elementary will unearth a time capsule buried at the school in 1994.
- WHERE: La Verne Heights Elementary School 1550 Baseline Road La Verne
- WHEN: Thursday, May 30 5 p.m. Reception immediately following.
- DETAILS: Lauren Barnes, a teacher and student council adviser at La Verne Heights, was a fifth-grader and student council president at the school in 1994 when the time capsule was filled with items from students and buried. Barnes, several of her fellow La Verne Heights alumni, former teachers and Marcia Pateau, who served as principal at the time, will join current students for the time capsule's unearthing. A reception hosted by La Verne Heights PTA will follow.

Founded in 1875, La Verne Heights Elementary School is an award-winning school within the Bonita Unified School District that serves more than 480 students in kindergarten through fifth grade.

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