

VIKING EDITORS Magazine chooses nev editors for 2011-2012

JOURNALISM PROGRAM WINS TOP NATIONAL FIRST AMENDMENT AWARD



BREAKFAST EVENT ASB fundraiser for underclassmen

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ROBOTICS TEAM dents learn from lefeats, move forward

Erin Gruwell of Freedom Writers shows uncut documentary at Paly

California State Universities plan to reduce total number of students, faculty members

Launer steps down as ASB advisor

JANE EYRE RECEIVES A "NAIR"







WE OUT TO IN-N-OUT

TRANSPARENT ASB

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JewsBriefs

Park created in East Palo Alto to improve community aesthetics

ASB breakfast event held to support underclassmen funds

Paly clubs to host earth week activities at lunch on quad

UpcomingEvents Apr. 11-15: Spring Break

Apr. 19-22: Earth Week Apr.22: Dropping class deadline

rudents must drop classes by this date. Apr. 23: Prom Dance Junior and senior prom will be located at the Westin St. Francis Hotel in San Francisco.

Local donors give through Partners in Education District high schools to acquire \$3.4 million for academic programs

PiE Vice President of marketing and communicatio

Robotics team loses Sand Hill Challenge, stays optimistic

Updates ASB School Board

The Viking sports magazine selects next year's editors in chief Juniors Nathan Norimoto and Emy Kelty chosen to lead publication for the 2011-12 school year



Paly receives press freedom award CSU's suffer budget, faculty cuts

hree schools awarded for support of press and media



Parents challenge school board for stress reduction on PAUSD students Teachers, administrators try to be more available for students in order to reduce tension and we



Renowned teacher, Erin Gruwell, comes to Paly for documentary sneak peek



Editorials Administration urged to install new drainage system

Flooding causes delays, d	ifficulties in cross-campus
travel, insufficient space	for sitting during lunch
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relevant news in curriculum

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Parents must advise, not dominate college decisions

Allowing students to choose which college to attend proves beneficial, fair

out from a vast number of equally qualified approxists through creative essays and impressive extracurriculars. Once students submit flericanolications, they must then	However, there is a very fine line between suggest ing certain colleges and actually implying then the chili-
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and spened, seniors are left with the overwhelming task of chaosing the place where they will spend the next	want to pursue. For example, a payer could see, 'From
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the added stress of their parents trying to dictate which	about attending Boston University?"
ordings they should attend.	Parents can also share their own codege experience
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dents should have the choice and final say in attending	his or her own experience at a usual college and describe
the school that they feel fits them the best.	the meets of such an education.
Although parents pay taition for their child to attend	In the end, however, it should be the student
or she chooses to pursue. If they have the student's best	

Letters to the Editors

Smartboards should be placed in all classrooms

Custom senior photos to be removed due to laziness

Prom Prep

HAR DRESSER! DINNER TAPLES!



The Campanile



OPINION

ASB budgeting, dances, transparency reveal major issues





ERBATIM What's the best April Fool's joke that you have heard?













Controversy over how to approach Libya has US in standstill Despite growing violence in Libya, US has decreased its involvement



Students casually post unsuitable material without proper censorship Uploading inappropriate, crude media can hinder future opportunities



SportsBriefs

Badminton rebounds from first losses, hopes to rebuild team

Golf team record remains impressive despite minor setback

Diving teams undefeated, all of girls' varsity qualifies for CCS

Athletes strengthen teams by bonding

Players enhance team chemistry through off-field rituals, activities



Despite initial losses, track continues to succeed, motivated by Coach Fung

Track teams improve as season progresses

SportsBriefs

Softball tries to improve inconsistent record

Boys lacrosse hopes to improve during league

Baseball experiences midseason comeback

Competitive rowing takes Bay Area by storm Crew provides fresh college opportunities, new social scene

Boys' varsity tennis unable to beat latest opponents

Stop hating n ice skating

Three-game win streak ends for girls' lacrosse team Squad falls to visiting Cleveland Heights, team now 5-0 in league

Boys' swimming stays undefeated

Team record 5-0 after win over Homestead

Girls' swim team confident after beating rivals Mitty, St. Francis