

Cerritos High School

October 1, 2005

Beginner

Edison High School

October 22 & 23, 2005

Intermediate/Advanced

Montreal, Canada**

November 5 - 13, 2005

Advanced

UCLA

November 11 - 13, 2005

Advanced

LAIMUN @ MCHS

December 10, 2005

Mission Viejo HS

January 14 & 15, 2006

Intermediate/Advanced

Huntington Beach HS

February 3 & 4, 2006

Intermediate/Advanced

Georgetown**

February 12 - 19, 2006

Advanced

UC Berkeley**

March 10 - 12, 2006

Advanced

University of Arizona**

March 23 - 25, 2006

Intermediate/Advanced

Huntington Beach HS

May 6, 2006

Freshman

Whitney HS

May 20, 2006

Freshman

* Dates subject to change

** By invitation only

All local conference fees are included in your one time Participation Fee.

Message From**our President**

I never cease to be amazed by all of the long hours over several months they put into LAIMUN; our MUN program is comprised of some of the most dedicated and enthusiastic students at Mira Costa.

I am so thankful for all of the wonderful parent volunteers who support the booster club and most importantly the students. The commitment, dedication, and drive of the parents in our community makes finding volunteers a joy. Thanks to all of the chairpersons who helped out at LAIMUN, especially: Barbara Umanoff (Delegate Lunch), Debbie Keen and Gail Currey (Snack Stand), Natalie Allen (Advisor Room), Kathy Thorpe and Lisa Tempel (Pizza Party), and all of their parent volunteers. I also want to thank Lori Burns, Linda O'Neill and Dolores Kreig for managing so smoothly the sign-in tables. It is a pleasure to be part of such a dedicated executive board. The hard work these volunteers put into LAIMUN can be logged in the hours of long phone calls, the number of lengthy meetings, and the miles driven running errands. Whether you had the chance to experience LAIMUN in person or not, I encourage everyone to check out the beautiful professional photos that Daniel Sofer took throughout the day on his website : <http://photos.hermosawave.net>.

LAIMUN is not the only time of the year that our parent volunteers rise to the task. All year round the parents work diligently to make sure that the program has the funding and support it needs. From goldfish booths, to corporate fundraising, to poinsettia sales, to this amazing newsletter, there are parents constantly working behind the scenes to ensure that our students get the most they can from the program. I want to thank Lori Stark and Beth Davis for helping to organize another great poinsettia sale this year. Every December, the bright red poinsettias not only put me in the holiday spirit, but also remind me how strong and viable our fundraising efforts have been.

As I reflect on my four-year involvement with Mira Costa MUN, I realize what an important role Mr. Timberlake and Mr. Knutson play in the program. Their commitment to the students is unwavering and the hours they put in immeasurable. Thanks to both of them for all that they do for our students.

As I look forward to the rest of the school year, I am thankful for this program. I truly believe in MUN and all it has to offer; I know that it has changed the lives of both of my daughters. I look forward to a great trip to Georgetown, concluding the conference schedule, and the Senior Banquet. Thanks for all of your hard work and I wish everyone a happy and healthy new year!

Edith Shure



Poinsettia Fundraiser, HUGE Success

The students outdid themselves. Between the student orders and the community orders, we sold 2,987 poinsettias. The feedback has been awesome and many have said that they will be ordering a lot more next year.

Congratulations to all the students, especially the following students who sold the most poinsettias, and received a cash prize:

- 1st - **Connor & Kendal Rowe**
- 2nd - **Torey Shure**
- 3rd - **Madelynn Sirbu**

We would like to thank all the wonderful volunteers who took time out of their holiday preparations to help make the pick up day run smoothly. Thank you to Carol Hoesly, Lynn Bommer, Marion Chappel, Debbie Keen, Dale Gibson, George and Corinne Troll, Don Gee, and Karen Chisum. We would also like to thank all those students who kept coming back to help deliver the community orders. And lastly but definitely not least, we would like to thank Mr. Timberlake for his encouragement to the students and the frequent reminder to sell, sell, sell. We couldn't have done it without each of you helping us.

Beth Davis and Lori Stark
Poinsettia Sales Co-Chairs



**Mission Viejo
High School**
"Imagine all the people."

Conference Results

Mission Viejo Conference

January 14 & 15, 2006

Level: Intermediate/Advanced

GAVEL

Alex "Thor" Bergjans	Sarah Hersman
Samantha Broussard-Wilson	Amanda Keenan
Brian Cadigan	Xan Saks
Jason Civalleri	

OUTSTANDING

Allison Baeuchler	Chance Goldberg
Zoe Bollinger	Erin Harless
Brian Cadigan	Stacy Kim
Phil Chehade	Tracy Owens
Ryan Conover	Scott Comley/ Maddy Sirbu (co-delegate committee)
James Danylik	

COMMENDATION

Alex Adler	Jessica Ratner
Will Bower	Katherine Schneider
Doug Chappel	Will Hollingsworth/ Justin Teitell (co-delegate committee)
Stacy DaSilva	
Greg Inouye	

BEST MEDIUM SCHOOL AWARD





Georgetown Conference Itinerary

Feb. 12 - 19, 2006

Meet Mr. Timberlake at
5:55 am SHARP
Sunday, Feb. 12

in the **United Airlines**,
Terminal 7, check-in area.
We must check-in as a group.
Bring a picture I.D. (your divers
license or your
Mira Costa Student I.D.)
Wear your bowling shirt!



Departure from LAX United Airlines

Sunday, Feb. 12 - Flight #946
Departs LAX: 7:55 am
Arrives Dulles Airport 3:45 pm

Return to LAX United Airlines

Sunday, Feb. 19 - Flight #915
Departs Dulles Airport: 6:15 pm
Arrives LAX: 8:38 pm



Embassy Suites

1250 22nd St NW
Washington, DC 20037
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Huntington Beach HS Conference Bus Schedule



**Students, Be On Time . . .
The Bus Waits For No One!**

Buses will be at the Peck Parking Lot.

Huntington Beach High School MUN Conference

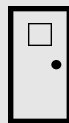
February 3, 2006 - Friday

Meet 3:00 pm, Peck Parking Lot
Bus leaves 3:15 pm
Bus returns approx. 10:00 pm to MCHS

February 4, 2006 - Saturday

Meet 7:15 am, Peck Parking Lot
Bus leaves 7:30 am
Bus returns approx. 6:00 pm to MCHS

HOW TO CONTACT Mr. Timberlake



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Best Time To Contact
1:00 - 2:00 PM

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<http://mchsmun.org>