



***Ayers Ryal Side Elementary School  
Eighth Annual Science Fair  
March 8th, 2016***

***Sign-Up Sheet***

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The 8th Annual Ayers Ryal Side Elementary School Science Fair will be held on Tuesday March 8th, 2016. The fair is open to all students in grades 3, 4, and 5. It provides an opportunity for student participants to experience the excitement of scientific discovery and to interact with scientists from the local community. Students that sign up to participate will pick a topic; research, study, and/or conduct experiments at home; prepare a display to show their work to judges and classmates, and participate in an awards ceremony. Each student who signs up will receive a packet of information to help conduct a project, including safety rules, guidelines the fair, helpful websites, and samples.

**Each science fair participant must complete the entry form on back.**

**Entry forms must be signed by a parent or guardian and returned before Friday, January 15th.**

**The Science Fair Committee will hold a fair information night for parents and students on Monday, January 11th at 7PM in the Ayers Library.**

**Early sign-up is necessary to allow time for planning, and to provide participants plenty of time to pick a topic and complete a quality project.**

**The fair is held at the school. It includes a formal judging period for participants that begins at 2:30 pm, followed by a public exhibit and awards ceremony for all participants.**

**The Fair will be on... Tuesday, March 8th, 2016!**

- 2:00PM All participants set up their exhibits in the Ayers gym and stay for the judging.
- 2:30PM Judging Begins
- 4:00PM Judging complete and all participants leave
- 6:30PM Public Exhibit. Participants return and man their displays!
- 7:00PM Awards Ceremony (for all participants)
- 7:30PM Public Exhibit Ends

**Please note: Science fair participants are required to be present for the judging. We hope all students and their families will return to school for the public exhibit and awards presentation in the evening!**

**TO PARTICIPATE, PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO YOUR TEACHER  
BY JANUARY 15TH, 2016.**

***A PARENT OR GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED FOR A STUDENT TO PARTICIPATE.***

## **2016 AYERS SCIENCE FAIR SIGN-UP**

Student Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Communication (circle one):      E-Mail      Phone

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## **VOLUNTEERS!**

We need volunteers who can help with set-up, break-down, and overseeing the students during the judging. We are always looking for new volunteers to help with the planning committee, as well -- this year or next!

Volunteer Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### **How would you like to help?**

- ☐ I'm interested in helping the day of the event.
- ☐ I'm interested in helping the planning process and would like to join the committee!

***Questions? Call or e-mail Josh Abell, Science Fair Chairperson (978) 969-2665 or [joshabell@gmail.com](mailto:joshabell@gmail.com)***