

Weekend Links: Trendy New Private School Kid's Activity, Photos and more!

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Pure Gold. My son and Coach Freddy ([Pacific Elite Basketball Club](#)). West Coast Warriors Tournament Champions!



My son in the green sneakers. Day 2 at West Coast Warriors Tournament, Corona, CA



With Lindsay ([Expressing Motherhood](#)) and Laura Tremaine ([Hollywood Housewife](#)) as weâ€™re getting ready for Hollywood Housewifeâ€™s Garage Sale for Haiti. The sale raised more than \$4,000, all for kids in Haiti with a contribution match from Laura and her husband! This is social media/blogging at its best.



I picked up these glass candle holders for next to nothing at Garage Sale For Haiti.



At a fundraiser to support Hilda Solis, former Sec. of Labor, for L.A. County Board Of Supervisors, First District. Event at my friend Marylou's™ home in Claremont. Good luck, Hilda!



An entire See's™ Candies store to ourselves! At launch of the new S. Pasadena location on Fair Oaks. Christina Simon, Jill Simonian ([The FAB mom](#) and event host) and Candi Schreuders (Stratford School.)



At The See™s Counter. With Laura ([Hollywood Housewife](#)) and Jennifer Brandt ([Perfectly Disheveled](#)). Jill Simonian ([The FAB Mom](#), hostess with the mostess) not pictured.

Coding (computer programming) is a super-trendy new activity for kids at both private and public schools. But what if your kid would rather play computer games than code them? [NYT Motherlode](#)

[How Not To Suck AT Recruiting and Retaining School Volunteers.](#) This is a very funny memo to moms (the OCD-type PTA moms!). The PTA isn™t a sorority mixer or a country club with membership based on income or the car you drive, says Snarky In The Suburbs. That™s right, it isn™tâ€“or shouldn™t be!

Mom 101 nailed it. [Parents: You™re Doing It All Wrong](#). A must-read because

“You, who fed your babies formula for any reason at all (unbearable pain, postpartum depression, cultural pressure, adoption), I hope you know your child is at a greater risk for obesity and a career as a *gas station attendant*.”

“You, who nursed your children just as long as they needed to, even at night at five-years-old (just sometimes) to help them sleep, you know your child is going to have total Oedipal issues for life. *Have fun being his date to the prom.*” Mom 101

Oh, this is a good one. [Parents At The Beginning of The School Year vs. The End of The Year](#) (BuzzFeed)

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