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Manhattan Beach Unified School District

MBUSD MUSIC TEAM

Professional Development

Monday, August 21, 2017

8:00 – 9:30 – MCHS Auditorium

- Welcome Back
- Employee Service Recognition
- Speaker - Jonathan Mooney

Jonathan Mooney is a dyslexic writer and activist who learned to read as a twelve-year-old. He since earned an honors degree in English Literature at Brown University and has written and published two books. The first, *Learning Outside the Lines* (now in its 14th printing) hit bookshelves when he was 23. Coupled with his most recent book, *The Short Bus*, Jonathan has established himself as one of the foremost leaders in LD/ADHD, disabilities, and alternative education.

9:40 – 10:10 – Breakout Session – in M&S Building Room 233

Presenter – Dr. John Benham’s area of expertise is saving and restoring music programs in the face of budget cuts. With over 30 years as a music educator and six years on a school board, his personal knowledge and experience helps teachers and parents to communicate the music message that keeps programs alive.

Music Teacher In-service Session will include:

- Four Key Elements of Advocacy, Parts 1-2
- The Process of Decision-Making/Case Studies
- Presentation/Analysis of MBUSD Music Data (from Survey Forms)
- Local Issues & Solutions
- Developing the Dream List

10:20 – Solar Eclipse Viewing

10:30 – 12:00 – Breakout Session Continued

12:00 – 12:45 – Lunch hosted by Kinecta Credit Union

1:00-2:50 - Breakout Session Continued

2:55 – 3:00 - Evaluations and Dismissal