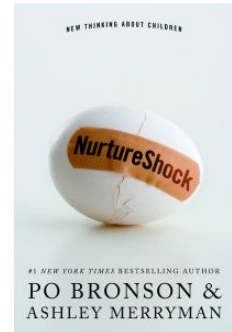


The PTSA Book Club is BACK!

Parents are raving about Po Bronson & Ashley Merryman's newest book, "NurtureShock: New Thinking About Children." We hope you can join our discussion! This book club is sponsored by the LCHS 9-12 PTSA, but we hope that junior high parents and others will join us. You don't have to have a kid at LCHS to come!

- **Date:** Tuesday, March 30th
- **Time:** 9:00 am
- **Location:** Debbie Johannes' house, 3955 Robin Hill Rd., La Canada
- **RSVP** by Saturday, March 27th to Debbie at msdomesticdiva@gmail.com
- Books are available at Flintridge Bookstore and La Canada Books & Toys. PTSA will get a percentage of sales.



Book

Bronson contends "that many of modern society's most popular strategies for raising children are in fact backfiring because key points in the science of child development and behavior have been overlooked. Two errant assumptions are responsible for current distorted child-rearing habits, dysfunctional school programs and wrongheaded social policies: first, things work in children the same way they work in adults and, second, positive traits necessarily oppose and ward off negative behavior. These myths, and others, are addressed in 10 provocative chapters that cover such issues as the inverse power of praise (effort counts more than results); why insufficient sleep adversely affects kids' capacity to learn; why white parents don't talk about race; why kids lie; that evaluation methods for giftedness and accompanying programs don't work; why siblings really fight (to get closer)."

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