

Friday notes.....

September 26, 2008

North Davis Preparatory Academy

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Parent Teacher Conference Week Schedule

Grades: K-6 - by appointment on the following dates:

Wednesday, October 1, 2008 4:00 – 8:00 pm.....**School dismissed at 3:00pm**

Thursday, October 2, 2008 2:00 – 7:00 pm.....**School dismissed at 1:00pm**

No School for Kindergarten on Thursday.

Grades: 7, 8 & 9:

Wednesday, October 1, 2008 4:00 – 5:30 pm or 6:30 – 8:00pm **School dismissed at 3:10pm**

Thursday, October 2, 2008 2:00 – 4:00 pm or 5:00 – 7:00pm **School dismissed at 1:10pm**

All Grades - NO SCHOOL on Friday, October 3, 2008

Remember: A+ Book Fair for grades K-6 is held during school hours Monday through Thursday in the Elementary Gym.

Administrative notes:

Parent Teacher Conference note:

We are looking forward to meeting with parents next week. For students in Grades 1-6, you will be given to the opportunity to meet with both of your student's teachers. Parent Teacher conference is a time to identify Student's strengths and concerns but due to the fact you are meeting with BOTH teachers, some issues may require a separate appointment at a later date to resolve.

Your K-6 Students should have come home with the individual appointments for you to meet their teachers. Families with students in both buildings have been scheduled to allow travel time between the two buildings. Grades 7, 8 & 9 faculty will meet with parents during the times listed above. Dinner breaks will be observed so please plan accordingly.

New Phone # Improves Access

Reminder: We now have both phone lines able access both buildings. However, for improved service please note the # 547-1809 is building K-4 grades and the # 336-3601 is for building 5-9 grades.

Lunch Room Account Information

Dear Parents,

All applications for free and reduced lunch are now processed. If you applied for free or reduced lunch, you

All student lunch balances showing a negative balance need to be brought current in order for your student to participate in the school lunch program. Students with negative balances should have received a letter home today. Please check in your students back pack, ask your child if they have a lunch room letter, or as parents, you can keep track of student balances on line at www.davis.k12.ut.us/.

Remember, make sure your students balances are paid by Monday, September 29, 2008 insuring your child will not go without lunch or asked to make a call home to you.

Thank you.
La Retta Foxley.

Three Employment Opportunities at NDPA.

- Looking for just a few hours of employment a week in the middle of the day while the kids are in school? Consider applying to join one of the fun lunch room crews..... Contact: ndpalunch@yahoo.com or bring a resume to the school for LaRetta Foxley.
- One TA position is still available from 12:00 noon to 3:30pm. Applicants must have an Associate Degree or more or be willing to submit to an Electronic Para Pro Exam. All applicants are responsible to undergo an

electronic Life-Scan fingerprint and background check. Interested applicants should contact kfarnsworth@northdavisprep.org

- Qualified substitute teachers continue to be in high demand. If you have a BS degree or the minimum qualifications of a TA or willing to acquire them to assist as needed, come enjoy a paid day with the students! Please contact: chaacke@northdavisprep.org

POET Updates:

A Request from Parents Regarding Pick-up:

Although drop off and pick up is going better than ever, we still have one area of concern. This message is for parents driving west on Hill Field Road who wish to access the 5-9th Grade Building (Building 2) parking lot with a left turn into the parking lot entrance.

If you are making a left turn into the parking lot of building 2, not the entrance to the long drive way between the two schools, but the actual entrance to the parking lot, please do not try to cut in front of other drivers who are waiting in the right lane to pick up their students. Those parents have waited in line for a long time, and they believe it is unsafe for cars to try to pull into the right lane in front of the cars that are waiting (not to mention that it is rude to cut in line). Several parents have reported “near misses” at this location.

If you make a left turn from Hill Field Road, please remain in the left lane and pick up your child by parking in the stalls of the parking lot. The right lane is for waiting; the left lane is for driving through. The administration is planning to paint a cross walk area in front of the school so students can cross safely into the parking lot. This will create a safer and faster pick-up process for everyone.

Thanks, parents, for working together to create a great school!!

The POET Board

A+ Book Fair

It's FINALLY here! Beginning September 29th and continuing through October 2nd, come visit the A+ Book Fair in the Elementary building in the Gym. We'll have hundreds of titles for you to choose from. Enter one of our contests and you could win gift certificates to spend at the book fair. Help us brighten up the book cases -- print off a copy of the coloring sheet (see .pdf

attachment from last week or week before), color, and bring it in to the book fair during open hours. We'll hang them up on display for all to see.

Book Fair hours are: Sept 29 & 30: 11 am to 4 pm, Oct 1st: 11 am to 8:30 pm, and Oct 2nd: 11 am to 8:00 pm. Remember, money earned from the book fair goes directly to the school libraries. We hope to see you at the book fair.

Thank you to ACADEMY ATTIRE

Academy Attire, a local clothing business, will be showcasing uniforms with our school's logo during Parent/Teacher Conference that you can order. They will have table's set-up in the elementary building's gym next to the A+ Book Fair. Please stop and by to see what they have available.

Fall Carnival

For anyone interested in helping with the upcoming Fall Carnival, a planning meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, September 30th at 7.00pm** in the elementary school's gym.

Jr. High Music Fundraiser

Hungry Bear Pizza this past weekend as we earned money for the Jr. High Music programs. A HUGE Thanks to Hungry Bear Pizza and owner, Chuck Hawkins, for allowing us the opportunity to raise some much needed funds for the music department. We truly appreciate when local businesses are willing to help our school. And Thank You to Mr. Tanner for allowing students and families the chance to dine in with him and his family on Saturday. We'll let you know how much was raised as soon as the totals are in.

After-School Art

Reminder: If you are one of the first 75 spots on the After-School Art sign-up sheet, don't forget to have your registration fee and signed *L.E.A.R.N Guidelines* turned in no later than Wednesday, October 1st. If these two things are not turned in by the deadline your spot will be given to the next available artist on the waiting list.

We will be informing those who are in the program on Thursday, October 2nd either by phone or email.