



December 11, 2009

Home of the Lions!

Calendar of NDPA Events:

- Dec. 14 K-4 Library Book Deadline
- Dec. 15 PTC Scheduler Opens
- Dec. 21- Jan 1 Winter Break
- Jan 4- Return to School
- Jan 5 PTC Scheduler Closes
- Jan. 11- Science Fair Registration Due

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- Yearbook Sales to end.

Friday Notes...

North Davis Preparatory Academy

www.northdavisprep.org

K- 4 Bldg. 1765 W. HillField Rd. Layton, Utah 84041 801.547.1809
5 - 9 Bldg. 1591 W. Hill Field Rd. Layton, Utah 84041 801.336.3601

THANKS TO POET & PARENT VOLUNTEERS

Dear Parents and your terrific leadership team POET. The faculty and staff at NDPA would like to thank you for all your efforts and support this holiday season. What a wonderful gifts of time, effort, socializing and enjoying good food all while knowing the school was in the able hands of wonderful parents. Thank you, thank you. All of this and gifts of appreciation for each teacher and staff member made each of us grateful to be a part of NDPA.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS POSITION AVAILABLE

Successful Candidates must:

- Submit a letter of intent and resume outlining their skills and qualifications to be a board member to Emily@academicawest.com.
- Understand and support the Charter of NPDA. (Available on the school website under Information/Charter Application.)
- Be willing to attend meetings as required and fulfill responsibilities associated with the position.
- Understand the importance of team leadership.
- Understand the role of a Board Member.

Resumes will be received and reviewed by the Board through Sunday, February 28, 2010. Interviews will be held by the Board of Directors during March.

Questions may be directed to current members of the Board of Directors via email. Addresses are available on the school website under the Board of Directors link.

A FULL WEEK OF CLASSES, THEN its..... WINTER BREAK!

Winter Break is scheduled for December 21, 2009 through January 1, 2010. Students need to return on Monday, January 4th. Next week is a normal full week of school with the normal short day Friday.

TIME TO SCHEDULE PTC APPOINTMENTS FOR JANUARY 13 & 14



Parents,

Our 2nd Trimester Mid Term Parent Teacher Conferences are scheduled shortly after our return from Winter Break. January 13th and January 14th. These will be short day schedules with conferences running between 2:00 and 7:30pm. With NOSCHOOL on Friday January 15th as the Teacher Compensation Day. (Note: Monday January 18th is a legal holiday and also a NO SCHOOL day.)

- Jr. High Grade teachers will be on a first come first served basis in their individual class rooms to accommodate parents as needed.
- K-6 are by appointment with both team teachers at the same appointment time. The online scheduler will be available for parents to schedule their own appointments beginning December 15 at 12:01am and will close for parent scheduling on January 5th at midnight. This program will allow you to schedule your own appointments with your student(s) teaching team. Directions are also available on the main page of the website www.northdavisprep.org just below the Online Scheduler icon.

If you fail to schedule your own appointment, your teacher(s) will select an appointment for you based on remaining availability after the 6th of January. We encourage you to take early advantage to schedule your appointments. **Be sure to allow for movement between the buildings when scheduling more than one K-6 appointment close together.**



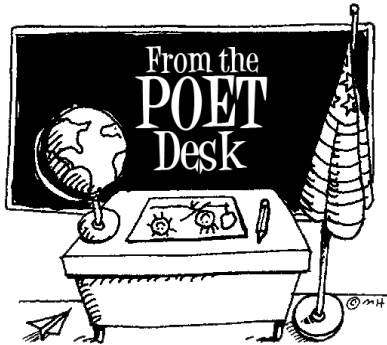
WINTER WEATHER REMINDER

Cold temperatures have come early this year. All students are expected to come to school with clothing which allows them to participate in recesses and our outside lunch activities etc. Outside time is an important part of the school day and students need to be dressed and encouraged to participate. Students enjoy the outside more when they are dressed appropriately. Many are not prepared. Please help us in this effort.

K-4 LIBRARY HOLIDAY BOOK RETURN DEADLINE

The K-4 Elementary Library is asking that all students turn in all their books starting December 14th. Students with all their books turned in will be allowed to check out books for the Christmas break. Students with damaged or lost books will receive notices and will be allowed to check out books only when their accounts are current. Please check with your students to find any misplaced library books and return them so all the students have access. Thank you for your help in this matter. Students with late fees will have their late fees forgiven. Happy Holidays from the library. I love working with your students.

Michele Edgley, Elementary Librarian



SCIENCE FAIR - PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!

See the NDPA website for complete details.

Here is some "at a glance" information for you:

WHAT: NDPA Science Fair

WHO: *Mandatory for 5th, 7th, and 9th graders.*

All other grades encouraged to participate.

WHERE: NDPA Gymnasiums (more details forthcoming) and **IMPORTANT DATES:**

Registration Forms Due - January 11, 2010 (**no exceptions!**)

Mandatory Set Up - February 17th, 2010, 4 pm to 7 pm

Science Fair Judging - February 18th, 2010



"TIP of the WEEK"

Explore the science behind the things you love to do! Got a question about how something works?.....Why not make a science fair project out of it, and show us all what you discover!

K-6 AFTER SCHOOL ART WEEKLY UPDATE:



Here's what we did in art this week:

- We ran thru a brief history of stained glass.
- **Art Project for the Day:** Using sheets of Shrinky Dink plastic, black Sharpie markers and a variety of color permanent markers, each of our artists created 4 different ornament designs, imitating the "look" of stained glass. We had available for them templates to trace, or they could create their own original designs. Each artist should have come home with a plastic baggie with instructions on "shrinking" their designs and hooks to hang their finished pieces.

K-6th YEARBOOK COVER CONTEST



The NDPA yearbook cover art contest is underway and is open to all K-6th grade students. Students who are interested in having their artwork considered for the cover of NDPA's elementary 2009-2010 yearbook should turn in their original artwork to the front office by **December 18th**. We are looking for a design that embodies the best qualities about our school and what we Lions represent. Be creative and have fun! And don't forget to include your name and teacher on the back of your artwork. If you have any questions, contact Lisa Crossley 801.201.3712.



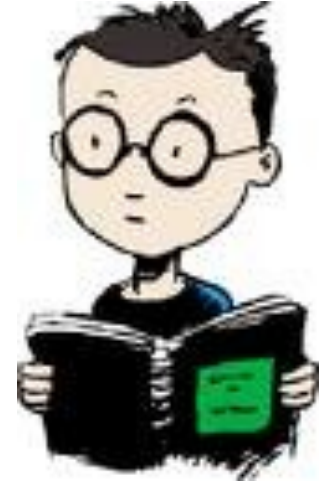
LAST DAY TO ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK IS DECEMBER 15th!!!

Parents, Students, Teachers, and Staff - Don't be left without a Yearbook at the end of the school year! Order yours today!

The **December 15th deadline** for ordering a yearbook is fast approaching. ***No extra books will be ordered after that date.*** If you or your student wants a book at the end of the year, please make sure that you turn in an order form along with your payment to one of the POET lock boxes located at both the Jr. High and Elementary schools before the deadline. The Jr. High books are \$18 and the Elementary books are \$15. *For your reference, we have included a list of all the orders that we have received as of November 23rd.* If you have any questions regarding book orders please contact Katie Cowdin through her POET link on the school's website.

Yearbook Order List as of Nov. 23, 2009

Acree, M	Habevstak, J	Rickards, A
Adams, J	Habevstak, J	Roskelley, R
Adams, L	Hammond, A	Roundy, I
Anderson, Ms. (Fac.)	Hammond, B	Roundy, J
Antes, J	Hammond, T	Roundy, O
Antes, M	Haney A	Ruth, B
Ash, C	Hansen, J	Sacco, A
Ash, M	Hardison, A	Sacco, M
Baker, B	Hardison, T	Sanchez, M
Baker, I	Hart, D	Sandberg, C
Barrett, A	Hart, S	Sandberg, T
Barrett, A	Hatch, B	Scalise, C
Bazzano, A	Hawkes, A	Segmiller, C
Bazzano, A	Hawkes, D	Sellers, C
Beames, H	Hofer, E	Sellers, E
Beames, J	Hofer, M	Sims, T
Beames, M	Hopkins, E	Smith, T
Bean, E	Hopkins, I	Sparks, K
Bean, E	Hopkins, K	Staley, E
Bean, S	Hoyer, S	Stuart, H
Beaslin, M	Jordan, H	Stuart, J
Blamires, H	Jorgensen, J	Sukmungsa, A
Blamires, S	Kap, H	Sukmungsa, S
Blamires, T	Kap, R	Taylor, A
Bloomer, A	Khan, A	Taylor, J
Bruun, K	Khan, D	Teuscher, K
Bucio, D	Khan, J	Thompson, K
Bucio, K	Killpack, K	Thompson, K
Burton, P	Killpack, S	Thompson, K
Carlson, C	Lark, A	Todd, K
Carlson, C	Lark, P	Torman, C
Cebollero, J	Larsen, H	Torman, S
Cebollero, K	Larsen, I	Vailahi, M
Cebollero, M	Lasao, J	Vidmar, A
Connors, S	Lindberg, O	Vidmar, J
Crossley, G	Lopez, F	Vidmar, R
Dooley, Coach (Fac.)	Loveland, C	Vine, K
Domingo, L	Marstella, C	Vuong, J
Doyle, C	Marstella, K	Walker, C
Drexel, A	Martin, C	Westmoreland, E
Drexel, D	Merrill, L	Westmoreland, L
Eddards, T	Merrill, R	Wilkey, T
Elinkowski, A	Montiel, E	Wren, P
Elsberry, D	Montiel, J	Young, A
Esquivias, Ms. (Fac.)	Mullen, A	Young, B
Farzati, R	Mullen, S	Young, C
Fernandez, Mr. (Fac.)	Murdock, M	Young, J
Fernelius, K	Olpin, E	Young, W
Foxley, C	O'Toole, L	Younger, E
Gerrard, L	O'Toole, T	Zachreson, A
Gerrard, M	Pabawena, A	Zachreson, Z
Gibbs, M	Page, C	Zegarra, Y
Gonzalez, J	Peters, K	
Gray, B	Peters, S	
Griffin, L	Pingree, A	
Griffin, M	Poulsen, T	



FINAL ORDER

DEADLINE

Dec. 15th

\$18.00 Jr. High

\$15.00 K-6

Order forms

**available at POET
Desks .**

**Place form and
payment in**

POET Lock Boxes

in both NDPA

school lobbies.

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