



North Davis Preparatory Academy

Utah's 1st International Spanish Academy

THE LION'S DEN

Extra Curricular Activities for Grade's 7,8 & 9

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February 12, 2010

"Home of the Lions"

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!

- Feb. 15. No School
- Feb. 15. No Cheer Tryout Clinics
- Feb. 22. Cheer Tryout Clinics resume
- Feb. 16 Basketball game @ NDPA
- Feb. 18. Basketball game -Away
- Feb. 23. Basketball game @ NDPA
- March 2. Basketball game- Away
- March 17. Future Cheerleaders Performance (K-6th Graders)
- March 25. Cheer Squad Tryouts (6-9 graders only)

See: www.northdavisprep.org for additional events.

Student Officers:

Samantha Lythgoe- President
Tanisha Poulsen- Vice President
Caitlyn Wallace- Secretary
Elizabeth Bean - 9th Grade Rep.
Abby Hoferitza - 8th Grade Rep.
J.P. Bieniek - 7th Grade Rep.
Advisor: Mr. B. Bostick
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Student Government:

"Paso a Paso"

("One Step at a Time")

LION PRIDE— Get involved in activities and events during and after school. Contact your class representative for ideas and to voice suggestions to "Make a Difference - Paso a Paso!"



INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS

7-9 ATHLETICS: Athletic Director: Coach J. Dooley: jdooley@northdavisprep.org

Boy's Basketball



The JV and Varsity Boys Basketball teams are looking awesome, if you have missed any of the games now's the time to come cheer them on to victory. They will play next Tuesday, the 16th of February, in our "Lion's Den" (a.k.a. the gym) against Monticello Preparatory Academy. JV @ 4:30, Varsity @ 5:30. Our Basketball team will also be playing Feb 18 @ American Preparatory Academy in Draper, JV @ 4:30 and Varsity @ 5:30. Come and support our LIONS Team.

1st ANNUAL FUTURE CHEERLEADERS OF NDPA

NDPA Cheerleaders are holding clinics for students Kindergarten through 6th grade who would like to be a part of the 1st Annual "Future NDPA Cheerleader Squad". This squad will perform at the Faculty vs. the Jr. High Basketball Team in a final game held on March 17th. (Time to announced). Any student wishing to be a part of the 1st Annual Future Cheer Squad will need to sign up and have their **\$30.00 fee paid by February 12th** in either building offices. Clinics will be held on Tuesdays, March 2nd, 9th and 16th and on Wednesdays, March 3rd and 10th and Thursdays March 4th and 11th. With the performance on March 17th. All participants will receive a T-shirt and a set of "Cheer Poms". Any questions please call Mrs. Smart 801-336-3601



INTRAMURAL SPORTS

Watch for upcoming announcements for other sport opportunities throughout the year. Contact Coach Dooley for information or to give your input and suggestions.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS:

ECO GEEKS TO PARTICIPATE IN BALD EAGLE DAY

YOU TOO CAN HELP US SAVE OUR EARTH!

Volunteers for recycling paper are still needed. Eco Geeks are having an EcoGeeks logo contest to design a simple logo for possible school sweatshirts and/or patches for the school sweatshirts. Our next meeting is February 19th, after school for 30 minutes.



VIVA EL ESPANOL! SPANISH CLUB

The Spanish Resource Center at BYU has announced the Sixth Annual Spanish Literary Contest "Cuentistas". This contest, honoring the *Día del Libro*, April 23rd, is made possible by the Utah / Spain educational partnership. This year's topic will be **free** and the only requirement is that students are encouraged to further their writing skills and their knowledge of Spanish language by writing in Spanish a short story (fiction or non-fiction). A panel of Spanish professors and teachers will evaluate the writings.

Prizes will be awarded in the month of April for each of the sections. The students and their teachers will be notified of the exact date.

There will be three winners in each category and each of the winners will get a Spanish Learning Package and possibly a published booklet with the winner's stories. The winners will be announced in March.



The following students were selected to represent NPDA in the two categories to participate in the contest.

Native Spanish speaking students: (350-450 words) Samantha F., Daniel F., Luciano S., Kimberly D., Inela V., Andrea M., and Jose Z.

Intermediate level students of Other Native Languages: (150-200 words) Elizabeth B., Amber N., Nolan D., Tanisha

P., Ethan B., Kylee

L., Ashlee S., Alexa S., Kristen D., Ethan C., Haylee H., Maddie A.

7-9 ARTS at NDPA

Band, Orchestra, & Choir Announce Musical

Music director: Mr. Len Allen



The NDPA Jr. High Chorus will be presenting a newly edited version of the British musical comedy operetta, "Gilbert & Sullivan's HMS Pinafore", on February 24, 25, 26. It's a story of social rank and position with political satire thrown in. Everything gets turned upside down and suddenly everyone secretly loving another in a different social class is equalized and ends up happy in the end - much like a Shakespeare comedy, only a whole lot more fun and with great music.

HMS stands for Her Majesty's Ship (in this case it's Queen Victoria) and Pinafore is a white over-the-shoulder apron frequently worn by children and young ladies. The entire story takes place aboard ship which is always docked in the harbor of Portsmouth, England.

The cast includes Melyssa G. as Josephine, the ship captain's daughter, Shade D. as Captain Corcoran, Zachary B. as Sir Joseph Porter, first Lord of the Admiralty and Josephine's intended. Dillon E. is Ralph (Rafe) Rackstraw, a lowly sailor aboard Corcoran's ship and is secretly in love with Josephine, Kristen D. is Little Buttercup, a chore woman/peddler secretly in love with Captain Corcoran, Vauna Sabine is Cousin Hebe, leader of Sir Joseph's entourage of sisters and cousins and aunts, and his first cousin. Jose' Z. plays the villain Dick Deadeye, a pirate type sailor, who is thrown into the mix to foil everyone's secret plans and Ian B. completes the crew as the Boat-swain.



Additional sailors include Mason A., Jon C., CoriAnn C., Ethan C., Baylee H., Maighan H., Taylor P., Ashton S. and Robbie V.

Sir Joseph's bevy of sisters, cousins and aunts include Ashley A., Jenny A., Natasha A., Lexie B., Kim D., Ellie F., Abby H., Tanalie H., Delaney H., Maren H., Alex L., Ariana M., Chaesity M., Sandi M., Gretchen T. and Valerie W.

This version of the play has been recently edited and rescored especially for this production by the director, Mr. Allen. A small student pit orchestra will also help accompany the show.

The fun sets sail in late-February.