

Draper 2 - School Calendar

February 2, 2018

Monday, February 5	Legislative Game Night 6:00-7:30 pm Draper 2 Multi-Purpose Room
Tuesday, February 6	4 th – 6 th grade Spelling Bee 1:30-3:00 pm
Wednesday, February 7	1 st – 3 rd grade Spelling Bee 12:30-2:00 pm
Friday, February 9	4 th – 6 th grade Field Trips Groups Late Work Due TODAY!! Reading University Due TODAY!!
Mon., Feb. 12 – Fri., Feb. 16	Staff Appreciation Week
Monday, February 12	Home Room Late Work Due TODAY!!
Wednesday, February 14	Early Release Day - For ALL Elementary students. AM Kindergarten attends – No PM Kindergarten this day 12:15- Purple/Pink/Blue/Orange 12:30 – Green/Yellow 12:45 – Tan/Grey
Friday, February 16	Sibling Enrollment due – See Item below 1 st – 3 rd grade Field Trips End of Term 3
Mon., Feb. 19 – Fri., Feb. 23	NO SCHOOL Mid-Winter Break

For further information about activities and events, please visit our website

<http://draper2.americanprep.org/>

Builder Theme for February “I am a Builder When I Befriend Others”

The word *befriend* is an old world that literally means *be a friend to someone by offering help or support*. There are some specific skills needed to truly befriend others such as empathy, respect, and tolerance. Yet one of the most important traits is plain old-fashioned kindness.

This definition goes hand in hand with what it means to be a Bucket Filler. "**Bucket fillers**" are those who help without being asked, give hugs and compliments, and generally spread their love and good feelings to others.

Everyone has an invisible bucket that they carry around with him or her all day. This bucket holds all their feelings. Someone who spreads encouragement to others, spreads love and happiness throughout the world, someone who does good, is a bucket filler. They fill other people's buckets with good feelings and they also fill their own bucket because they feel good filling someone else's bucket.

Examples: *today I helped my teacher at the blackboard, and she gave me a sticker. My teacher is a bucket filler.*

My mommy gave me a hug. She filled my bucket and her bucket.

How can you befriend someone and fill their bucket this week?

Family Legislative Game Night – Monday, February 5th 6:00-7:30 pm

Come and learn to play a fun new game. Catherine Findlay, our Executive Director of Character Development, will be at our campus Monday, February 5th to teach us how to play.

- Invite your family and friends-Students must come with families.
- The game takes about 30-40 min. to learn and play
- People can come and go as needed

- Game instructions will be given on each 1/2 hour mark
- Free popcorn and water will be provided!!

Come join the fun!!

December Builders – I am a Builder When I Look for Ways to Serve Others” Kigatsuku

Mrs. Martir – Lucy Lybbert	Mrs. Elliot - Claire Mason
Mrs. Hooton-AMK – Holland DeGraaff	Ms. Guziak - Lucy Tippetts
Mrs. Bailey-AMK – Sonia Bleazard	Mrs. Hyer - Daniela Booth
Mrs. Hooton-PMK – Kaleb Falatea	Mrs. Lawrence - Jose Aguilar
Mrs. Bailey-PMK – MaKyla Warner	Mrs. Sandhu - Irvin Rivera-Perez
Ms. Bodtcher – Neeharika Agrawal	Mrs. Bodily – Rachel Parke
Ms. Callister – Mariano Tovar	Ms. Chappell - Kyle Bergquist
Mrs. Dayberry – Ember Goff	Mrs. Erickson - Ashtyn Garn
Mrs. Henry – Brooklyn Estes	Ms. Gray - Eran Gordon
Mrs. Davis – Brynlee Canning	Mrs. Hall – Ryan Pemberton
Mrs. Foster – Melanie Smith	Ms. McGrath - Kevin Morales
Mrs. Glad – Aisha Puri	Ms. Beal - Talia Brown
Ms. Robinson – Marcus Malupo	Mrs. Clayton - John Cisneros
Mrs. Stanford – Anant Gill	Mrs. Cox - Wes Reeves
Mrs. Gow – Edward Kwak	Mr. Henderson - Ava Nelson-Rogers
Ms. Bohls – Saijal Kaur	Ms. Larsen - Natalie Dickison
Mrs. Herrera – Brynlee Baker	Upper Staff Builder - Lianna Arabyan
Mrs. Madsen – Alicia Challis	
Mrs. Strong – Sushmita Venkatesh	
Mrs. Wanner – Jordan Espinoza	
Lower Staff Builder – Mrs. Dayberry	

December Reading University -

Mrs. Martir – Zoe Parrish	Mrs. Elliot - Diego Moreno
Mrs. Hooton-AMK – Erica Smith	Ms. Guziak - Gaurika Sudha
Mrs. Bailey-AMK – Risam Thapa	Mrs. Hyer - Ashlynn Hill
Mrs. Hooton-PMK – Tait Adamson	Mrs. Lawrence - Abbi Gorringer
Mrs. Bailey-PMK – Whitney Dumas	Mrs. Sandhu - Annika Ludwig
Ms. Bodtcher – Britain Ahlstrom	Ms. Bodily - Parker Hatch
Ms. Callister – Anabelle Quintana	Ms. Chappell - Lillie Phillips
Mrs. Dayberry – Denzzel Franco	Mrs. Erickson - Eiden Kwak
Mrs. Henry – Ayden Klebic	Ms. Gray - Shritha Sudhini
Mrs. Davis – Lyla McLelland	Mrs. Hall – Keanna Borjon
Mrs. Foster – Claire Olafsson	Ms. McGrath - Jackson Friedli
Mrs. Glad – Magy Rodriguez	Ms. Beal - Hailey Bressard
Ms. Robinson – Mila Bleazard	Mrs. Clayton - Evie Rasmussen
Mrs. Stanford – Mia Warner	Mrs. Cox - Hayden Monsen
Mrs. Gow – Jane Smith	Mr. Henderson - Manav Singh
Ms. Bohls – Thiago Taquemasa	Ms. Larsen - Alex Neibaur
Mrs. Herrera – Keegan Timmins	
Mrs. Madsen – Jorge Rodriguez-Vega	
Mrs. Strong – Amartya Sreenivas	
Mrs. Wanner – Michael Lindstrom	

Field Trip Donations

This year we would like for our students to ride busses for their field trips. Our elementary students, grades 1st through 6th, take 2 field trips per year. They are coming up very quickly!!

Lower field trips – Friday, February 16th and Friday, May 18th.

Upper field trips - Friday, February 9th and Friday, May 11th.

Kindergarten will go to the zoo for their end of year field trip. This trip has not yet been scheduled, we will let you know as soon as it is.

In order to be able to provide busses, we will need your kind donation of \$11.00 per field trip or, \$22.00 per year. This service will provide a safety factor that we have not been able to provide in the past.

Friends of APA (American Preparatory Education Foundation), is graciously heading up this campaign.

Go to the link below to make your online donation –

<https://www.americanprepfoundation.org/programs>

If you would prefer to send in a check, make it out to APEF.

Also, if you are able to donate a little bit more, for our families who may not be able to afford this extra cost in their budget, please feel free to do so.

Chores For Rory Campaign

We are excited to announce a special campaign as part of our Week of Caring and Sharing coming in February. “Chores for Rory” is a fundraising event for the elementary students to honor their classmate Rory Moore, who passed away last fall. Our goal is for every elementary student to earn one dollar to contribute to our “Chores for Rory” fund. With the money the students raise, we are going to purchase a special playground bench in her honor. This is a great way for our elementary students to get involved and we are asking parents to help your children find simple chores they can do to earn a quarter per job. We are going to start collecting the money on Monday, February 5 and will accept donations through Friday, February 16. We encourage you to provide chores so that your children can participate. There will be collection jars in the main office and in the office at the top of the stairs. Students may put money into the jars before and after school and during recess.

Celebration/Re-enrollment Meetings

It's that time of year to make a choice about your children's school. At American Prep we first fill our seats for the upcoming year with our current students. If your students are planning on attending American Prep for the 2018-2019 school year you must attend one of these meetings. We have scheduled 12 meetings and are publishing these early so each family has plenty of opportunity to arrange schedules to attend. Thank you for jumping in and attending early. ☺

Please sign up at the link below, to attend one of our meetings. We want to make sure that we have the space and your enrollment information ready for you.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a45aea828aafc1-celebration>

Please note – if you will have students attending the Draper 3 campus, you will need to attend a meeting at their campus.

Monday, March 5th - Annual Celebration/Re-Enrollment Meeting - 6:30 pm MP room

Tuesday, March 6th – Annual Celebration/Re-Enrollment Meeting - 2:30 pm & Gym & 6:30 pm MP room

Wednesday, March 7th - Annual Celebration/Re-Enrollment Meeting - 1:30 pm Gym & 6:30 pm MP room

Thursday, March 8th - Annual Celebration/Re-Enrollment Meeting - **12:00 pm Upstairs MP room. Come eat your lunch with us and if you have extra time, volunteer until your students are out of school.**

Friday, March 9th - Annual Celebration/Re-Enrollment Meeting - **8:15 am Choir room**

Tuesday, March 13th - Annual Celebration/Re-Enrollment Meeting - **2:30 pm Gym & 6:30 pm MP room**

Wednesday, March 14th - Annual Celebration/Re-Enrollment Meeting - **1:30 pm Gym & 6:30 pm MP room**

Thursday, March 15th - Annual Celebration/Re-Enrollment Meeting **12:00 pm Upstairs MP room. Come and eat your lunch with us and if you have extra time, volunteer until your students are out of school.**

Chess Tournament

Attached to the electronic form of this newsletter is information about a chess tournament to be held Saturday, February 10th at Mountainville Academy. If this is something you are interested in, please take the opportunity to sign up. This is not an APA sponsored activity, we will not be taking care of the sign-ups or transportation. This is an additional opportunity for your student who is interested in playing chess.

Be A Hero For Our Students

Are you passionate about your child's after school programs and activities? Do you want to institute a new staff appreciation initiative? Are you concerned about APA families who are experiencing hardships? Have you dreamed of establishing a scholarship? Do you have innovative ideas about how to fundraise? Is your business looking for a sponsorship opportunity? Do you enjoy working with creative, capable individuals? Are you curious about who we are and what we do?

If you are looking for a way to contribute to APA, this is the time. ***Friends of APA*** is looking for volunteers with a variety of imaginative ideas, talents, and skills. We provide financial support and resources to enhance the learning environment of our students and our organization is evolving right now!

Think about the last time you contributed your time and talents to an important endeavor. How did you feel - confident, compassionate, connected? Those heroic feelings result in greater energy, less depression, and increased self-worth.

Be a hero for our students by giving just a few hours a month! Are you passionate about marketing, organizing, writing, photography, web design, event planning, social media, program development, donor recognition, or community outreach? ***Sign up, ask questions, or provide feedback by contacting Whitney Haselden whaselden@apamail.org***

Volunteer Opportunity!!

We love and need our APA volunteers! If you have not been in to help this year (or you have and want to be more involved) please come into the school and volunteer! There are jobs in your students' classrooms, in the office, and all throughout the school that we need our volunteers to help us with!

There are lots of ways to help:

1. Stop by the school and we will put you to work!
2. Email your students teacher and find out how you can help.
3. Email the elementary director, lindsay.campbell@apamail.org, to head up a specific task.

There are opportunities for EVERYONE to volunteer! See you at school!

Sibling Enrollment

It is time to begin enrolling our siblings for the upcoming 2018/2019 school year. If your student(s) have a ***sibling*** that will turn 5 before September 1st, or if you would like an older sibling to come to APA, please go to the link below and register your sibling. ***This application is for SIBLINGS ONLY of students currently attending one of our American Prep schools. Not, cousins, neighbors etc.*** <https://goo.gl/forms/GtxugbiplHkvHCEf2>

The deadline for this application is Friday, February 16th.

FSO Happenings

Staff Appreciation Week

We are proud to announce the theme for our 2018 Staff Appreciation Week. It is "**Once Upon a Time.....**" and coincides with Valentine week so there will be much love and many hearts to go with the fairy tales. We've been grateful for the outpouring of so many volunteers to help so far this year. We've added a new sign up and added to the others so take a look and see what's new. We'd love each and every family to find a way to make this a special week for our "storybook" staff!

Mailbox Treat Sign Up:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a45abac23a1ff2-staff2>

Daily Snacks for Break Room Sign Up:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a45abac23a1ff2-staff3>

Staff Luncheon Sign Up:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f054aaca72ba2ff2-sawluncheon>

Got Hours??

Check out the FSO Bulletin Board just outside the Multi-Purpose Room. We love recognizing our amazing parent volunteers! Submit your hours to volunteerdraper2@apamail.org. We would love to see your name there too!

Carpool Corner

The safest way for your student to get in your car is by using the pick-up zones. We have had an increase in the amount of pedestrian traffic into our parking lots during afternoon pick-up. This pedestrian traffic in the parking lot during afternoon pick-up creates a significant safety hazard and the best way to pick-up your student is through the regular queue and pick up zones. Thanks for your cooperation.

Also, please alternate at the end of our driveway before merging onto Lone Peak and **always** turn right during our peak carpool times. Although this can be inconvenient, it is important for safety reasons and to keep our carpool flow moving. We are allowed to use the inner lane by the curb to merge onto Lone Peak and then you can zipper in to traffic after the light. Thanks again for your cooperation.

Want to Form a Carpool?

Looking for a carpool group? Click here to see our family directory and connect with your friends and neighbors! <https://www.zeemaps.com/map?group=1567746>

This information is ALWAYS on the APA website on our Draper 2 campus page under the "Resources" tab.

From Your Character Development Team

Galaxy Quest for 5th Grade is March 9th. Galaxy Quest for 6th Grade is March 16th. More info to come.

OUR NAPKIN PYRAMID CHALLENGE has officially started! Bring in those napkins now until February 14th. The top class in EACH grade will earn a cookie decorating party on February 14th! Good luck! And thank you! (*napkins to be turned in at the front lobby during lunch time!)

THANK YOU to our sponsor **Mask Costumes** in Salt Lake City. They've helped us get our special visitors (like Tiana) to our school. Check them out the next time you have a costume need, they are amazing. www.maskcostumes.com

Curious about who is coming to visit our school next? It's a visitor who rocks at "befriending others." On February 6th and 7th at our morning assemblies, our next visitor will appear. It's a LOT of fun, and parents are welcome, and encouraged to come join in the magic! It is so awesome to feel the excitement and enthusiasm of our students when one of our special Character Development guests come to visit us.

YEARBOOK 2017/2018!!

We are pleased to announce that we will have a 2017/2018 yearbook!! Our wonderful Yearbook committee, Marion Minson, Jori Thomas and Mandy Brown are diligently working toward making a beautiful book to hold all of this year's memories for our students.

Our yearbook is planned to include all color pages and a sturdy soft cover. If you would like to order a hard cover, there will be a minimal additional cost.

Standard Yearbook Pricing - Before 2/16/18

Soft Cover - \$12.00

Hard Cover - \$16.00

Yearbook Pricing - After 2/16/18 & before 4/16/18 (Last date orders will be accepted.)

Soft Cover - \$15.00

Hard Cover - \$20.00

Order online at YBPay.lifetouch.com with the Yearbook ID code: 13453318

Pictures For The Yearbook

Do you have pictures you would like to have considered for our Yearbook? If so, please send them to the following email address and our Yearbook committee will look at them to possibly add to our Yearbook. d2yearbook@apamail.org

Love and Logic

"Practice-Skill Building for High Intensity Situations"

To read the Love and Logic tip of the week, please go to the following website. -

<https://www.loveandlogic.com/>

SPORTS

Race Cats Elite Spring Track Registration is OPEN!

Practices will be held March 12th-June 9th Mondays and Wednesdays from 4:45pm-6:15pm at Corner Canyon High School. Optional Friday trail runs starting April.

In order to use the same jersey for both seasons, our spring track team will carry the same name as our elite fall cross country team, Race Cats Elite.

Get more information and find the registration link at <http://racecats.org/home-page-2/elite-spring-track-field/>

Looking forward to a great season!

Coach Nan

Spring Sports are just about here!

Keep an eye out to sign up for all of the following activities and more -

High school- Girls Golf, Boys Soccer, Track and Field and Boys Tennis.

Middle School and elementary- Girls Soccer, Track and Field and Golf.

We will also be doing an 8th - 12th grade Girls Soccer league this Spring to get us ready for next year's High School season.

