

Draper 2 - School Calendar

March 1, 2018

Friday, March 2	<i>NO SCHOOL - Parent Teacher Conferences 8:00 am - 12:00 pm by appointment</i>
Monday, March 5	<i>District Spelling Bee at the Draper 1 Campus CHANGE!!</i>
Friday, March 9	5th grade Galaxy Quest Ambassador Event 12:45-3:25 pm All 5 th grade students are required to attend this fun event.
Friday, March 16	6th grade Galaxy Quest Ambassador Event 12:45-3:25 pm All 6 th grade students are required to attend this fun event.
Saturday, March 17	Spring Book Fair 10:00 am - 8:00 pm Barnes & Noble Book Store South Towne location 10180 So. State Street Sandy, UT 84070
Monday, March 20	<i>Early Release Day - For ALL Elementary students. PM Kindergarten attends - No AM Kindergarten this day</i> 12:15- Purple/Pink/Blue/Orange 12:30 - Green/Yellow 12:45 - Tan/Grey
Thursday, March 23	Builder of the Year Assemblies 1:00 & 2:00 pm

***For further information about activities and events, please visit our website
<http://draper2.americanprep.org/>***

Builder Theme for March - "I am a Builder When I am Willing to Try and Believe in My Ability to Succeed"

"WHEN GIVEN THE CHOICE BETWEEN BEING RIGHT OR BEING KIND, CHOOSE KIND." ~WAYNE DYER (AND IN THE MOVIE "WONDER"). WE TALKED THAT WHEN BEFRIENDING OTHERS, ONE THING WE COULD DO IS TO ASK THEM QUESTIONS AND THEN LISTEN TO GET TO KNOW THEM BETTER. AS WE DO SO, WE MAY FIND WE HAVE A DIFFERENT OPINION OR BELIEF AND THAT'S OKAY. WE DON'T NEED TO ARGUE ABOUT WHO'S RIGHT OR WRONG. WE NEED TO TRY TO UNDERSTAND AND THEN BE KIND.

GIRLS ON THE RUN

WE NEED GIRLS!! IF YOU ARE A GIRL 3RD THROUGH 6TH GRADE AND YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A MEANINGFUL PROGRAM TO SIGN UP FOR, THIS IS THE PROGRAM FOR YOU. PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED FLYER TO LEARN MORE. THEN TO SIGN UP FOR THIS AMAZING PROGRAM, PLEASE GO TO THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE AND GET REGISTERED.

[HTTP://WWW.GIRLSONTHERUNUTAH.ORG/](http://www.girlsontherunutah.org/)

WE NEED COACHES! If you are a parent, teacher, sibling, aunt, uncle, grandparent, friend (in 9th grade or above) and you want to be part of an amazing program that will change your life, then please visit the website to become a volunteer coach! The more coaches we have the more girls that will get to participate!

<https://www.raceplanner.com/siteapplication/signup/Girls-on-the-Run-Utah-Volunteer-Application>

CONGRATULATIONS SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS!!

The following students are advancing on in their Science Fair "careers", their hard work really paid off -

1st place: Grace Warner 'Potty Problems: A study of hand washing habits'

2nd place: Saathvik Pai 'Acceleration of Melting Ice'

3rd place: Krithika Parsowar 'Spice it Up! Or Not?'

Also advancing: Cynthia Benuzillo 'Which Truss to Trust'

American Prep Book Fair!!

Save the Date for Saturday, March 17th 10:00 am -8:00 pm!! Stop by and support our APA campuses at the spring book fair which is located at:

Barnes & Noble South Towne location
10180 So. State Street Sandy, UT

This is a great opportunity to get a head start by purchasing your summer reading books!!

The book fair is a great way to get in any needed VOLUNTEER HOURS!! We would love to have your help!! Visit <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0f44a5aa28a0f85-apaspring> to sign up.

American Preparatory Summer Reading Lists 2018-2019

Remember – The grades listed are the grades your student(s) will be going into next school year and not the grade your student(s) just completed.

Second Grade

"The Little Engine That Could"

Third Grade

"My Father's Dragon"

Fourth Grade

This book will come through the school

Fifth Grade

"Holes"

Sixth Grade

"The Cay"

Secondary Summer Reading list on last page.

Visit <http://aparu.weebly.com> for an updated Reading University list to find fun new books to read, add to the classroom, or give as a gift!

If you aren't able to stop by, PLEASE support us on-line from 03/17/18 to 03/22/18. Visit bn.com/bookfairs and enter Bookfair ID# 12316386 at checkout. Spread the word to your friends and family!

Please use the East Front Door!!

With everything that has gone on in our world the past little while, we would like to remind you that when you come to school, you MUST enter through the front east doors. Proceed to the office, signing in and getting a badge. That will help our school to be a much safer place to be.

Thank you so much for helping us keep our students safe.

APA FUN RUN VOLUNTEER HELP NEEDED

On Friday, May 18th 5-7pm at the Andy Ballard Arena in Draper, American Preparatory Academy will be holding it's first Utah District Fun Run. The purpose of this event is to raise \$20,000 for our sister school in Zambia, Africa. The school currently does not have any toilets and, because of a cholera outbreak, the school was shut down and cannot open until they have toilets built. By raising \$20,000, we can dig latrines, install toilets and the necessary plumbing to allow the school to reopen. We need all hands on deck to reach this huge goal and help our school community in Africa. Please help with this amazing cause and sign up to volunteer in any capacity at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0548a5ad23a5fd0-funrun>. I will set up an initial meeting per sign up category once we get enough volunteers. If you have any questions or suggestions, please email Jill Welch at kjillwelch@gmail.com. Thank you!

Lost and Found Items

Our Lost and Found is growing!!

The Lost and Found items will be “on display” during Parent Teacher Conferences, PLEASE stop by to see if we have anything that belongs to you.

Any left-over items will be donated to charity. We want you to pick up any items that could be yours before we continue on with our process.

Thank you!!

CARPOOL CORNER!!

It is very important to NOT turn left either coming in or going out of our driveway from Lone Peak Parkway during our peak carpool times of 7:30-8:15 am and 2-3/3-4 pm. Recently there have been accidents that happened when drivers are turning left during these times. Please for the safety of everyone, make different route arrangements. For all of those drivers that have already made these adjustments and are cooperating with these protocols, THANK YOU! If you are frustrated by other drivers and want to aide in the solution to this on-going challenge, please contact Mr. McVicar at kmcvicar@apamail.org

Ballroom Blast Clinic for 5th and 6th Graders

Students--Come explore Ballroom Dance! We'll jive to the swing, we'll sway to the waltz, and we'll show off your hard work with an exciting Cha Cha routine as guest performers in the Ballroom Dance Company's end-of-year concert! (All boys who sign up will receive a bag of Takis or a king-size candy bar the first day of class!)

Parents—help your student develop coordination and rhythm, while also learning respect for others, focus, teamwork, and social confidence.

The clinic will run for 7 weeks: Thursdays from 2:45-3:30 pm in the D2 cafeteria, from Mar. 22 to May 10th (no class Apr. 5th) with performances on May 11th and 12th. The \$60 fee includes 7 lessons and the costume rental for the shows. Please see the flyer for more registration details.

The instructor, Joy Price, has 14+ years of coaching experience working at a competitive dance studio and as a faculty member at BYU-Idaho. She is also an accomplished performer with titles from a wide variety of national/international competitions and has been a featured artist at Walt Disney World.

2018-2019 School Calendar-Draft

Attached to the last newsletter dated 02.16.18, was draft calendar for the 2018-2019 school year. If you did not see it, please look on our website, under the Draper 2 campus and access the Resources tab then, on to the newsletter.

From Character Development

**If you have a 5th or 6th grade student, check out the appropriate link below to sign up to help at our Galaxy Quest events in March:

FIFTH GRADE:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0444afae29abfc1-galaxy>

SIXTH GRADE:

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0444AFAE29ABFC1-galaxy1

**BUILDER PINS... If you have ever won a Builder Pin as a student at APA, we'd love to see you wearing it in class. Ms. Jackson and Mrs. Brown are on the lookout for students wearing their pins. How many will there be???

**Our new builder theme for the month will be announced on Tuesday March 6th and Wednesday March 7th at our morning assemblies. Are you excited to see who our guest is this month? We are! (Parents are always welcome to join in at our morning assemblies to hear from our mystery guests.)

Sixth Grade Book Challenge

The 6th grade completed their Reading University Book of the Year challenge! Each student who read at least two of the six books on the list was invited to a pizza party where the books were discussed and a vote was taken. There were 72 students who qualified. The winner chosen was *Framed* by James Ponti. Congratulations to more than 20 students who read all six books and qualified for book prizes! Thanks to the 6th grade teachers and Mr. Andersen, our great P.E. teacher who also read all of the books and participated in the party.

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!

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.

Yearbook Pricing – After 2/26/18 & 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

Shake, Rattle and Roll Your Way To A “You and Me” Sock Hop

Invite someone to spend time just ‘You and Me.’ Dads bring your daughters, moms bring your sons, aunts bring your nephews, big brothers bring your little sisters, grandparents bring your grandkids, or have a grown-ups only night out! All you need is someone to make memories with.

Presented as a fundraiser for our very own high school Ballroom Dance Company, this sparkling evening will include dance instruction, a performance by the ballroom company, root beer floats, and of course, time on the floor to strut your stuff!

When: Friday Mar. 16th 6:30-8:30 pm

Where: D2 Gymnasium

Ages: 7 and up

Tickets: \$5 per person at the door, cash only

Dress: 50's attire or semi-formal wear that follows APA dress code

Your ticket includes a root beer float, but additional concessions will be available. All proceeds will go toward our costume fund! See you at the hop.

APA Sports!!

Cheerleading Assistant Coach Job Opening

APA Draper 3 is currently accepting applications for a High school and Jr.

High cheerleading assistant coach. Interested applicants should contact Director of Athletics, Bryan Durst, via email at bdurst@apamail.org, as soon as possible.

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

High School Spring Tryout/Meeting Dates And Times

GIRLS SOCCER-

TRYOUTS- Wednesday March 7th, 2:30-4:30pm, D3 field.

We will form a high school and a middle school team so grades 6th-12th are invited.

Love & Logic Tip of the Week

"Never Let Them See You Sweat"

I watched a child giving his mother fits in a store. When Mom noticed the boy's behavior was drawing attention, she lost what control she had and screamed, "That does it! I've had it with you! Now I'm not buying you anything!" In a feeble attempt to emphasize her power, she added, "And I mean it!" Sensing that his mom was now at the end of her rope, he looked right into her eyes and yelled, "I hate you and you're not going to tell me what to do."

As I watched, I was filled with sadness for both the child and his mother. I managed to get next to this mother in the checkout line. I handed her my card with a note on the back to send it to the Love and Logic Institute for a free copy of one of my audios. I received a wonderful letter a few months later telling me all about the success she was having with her son.

After listening to ***Love Me Enough to Set Some Limits***, Mom created a plan for dealing with Zachary and his acting out at the store. The very next day they went shopping. True to form, Zachary started begging for things. In her calm, rehearsed voice, Mom said, "Not a good idea, Zachary. I have to shop without listening to that."

"All the other kids get stuff when they go to the store!" he yelled. He then grabbed two toys off the shelf and threw them into her cart.

Mom whispered, "That was a really bad decision, Zachary. I'm going to have to do something about that, but not here in the store. Try not to worry about it now."

A concept Mom learned from *Love Me Enough to Set Some Limits*:

**Warning kids of a consequence reduces
the power of the consequence.**

This idea helped her while she implemented the rest of the plan. She phoned a friend who could serve as a rather boring... yet humane babysitter. Mom did not tell Zachary what was going to happen.

At 10 a.m., her friend came to the door. Mom said, "Zachary, I'm going to finish my shopping. It's going to be a great day. This is so sad. I don't have the energy to listen to begging and arguing. That's why you'll be staying with Jenny. You will need to decide how you are going to pay her for her time. I know you don't have any money, so you will need to bargain to see which toys she'll accept for payment."

Mom had a wonderful time shopping, making sure that she was eating an ice cream bar as she walked in the door. "Hi Zachary. How did it go?"

"She made me pay with my remote control car and it's new!"

A few days later, Zachary started throwing a fit about not getting a Happy Meal in the restaurant. Mom looked at him and sang, "Uh, oh, Zachary. Do you think that might be a bad decision?" Zachary's eyes got very wide. He became unusually quiet and stopped complaining.

Mom ended her letter by saying, "Thanks for making my life a whole lot easier!"

Thanks for reading! Our goal is to help as many families as possible. If this is a benefit, forward it to a friend.

Jim Fay

Secondary Summer Reading List -

Secondary students can choose one book from the list of choices. AP English classes will have different summer reading assignments. That information will be in the summer packet.

Seventh Grade

The Outsiders S.E. Hinton

Percy Jackson (any book from series) Rick Riordan

Hiding Place Corrie Ten Boom

Bronze Bow Elizabeth George Speare

Hatchet Gary Paulsen

Tuck Everlasting Natalie Babbitt

Eighth Grade

Rendezvous with Rama Arthur C. Clarke

Sherlock Holmes Arthur Conan Doyle

The Little Prince Antoine de Saint-Exupéry

Walk Two Moons Sharon Creech

Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy Douglas Addams

Any collection of poems by Mary Oliver

Okay for Now Gary D. Schmidt

Ninth Grade

Importance of Being Earnest Oscar Wilde

Dandelion Wine Ray Bradbury

Dune Frank Herbert

Any collection of poems by Elizabeth Bishop

Peter Pan (book) J.M. Barrie

The Secret Life of Bees Sue Monk Kidd

Tenth Grade

Absolutely True Diary of a Part-time Indian Sherman Alexie

They Called Themselves the KKK Susan Campbell Bartoletti

Eragon Christopher Paolini
Ender's Game Orson Scott Card
American Born Chinese Gene Luen Yang
Any collection of poems by Billy Collins
Grimm's Fairy Tales Brothers Grimm

Eleventh Grade

Any collection of poems by Emily Dickenson
Any collection of poems by Robert Frost
Killer Angels Michael Shaara
Bless the Beasts and Children Glendon Swarthout
Slaughterhouse-Five Kurt Vonnegut
5 Short Stories by H.P. Lovecraft
5 Short Stories by Edgar Allan Poe

Twelfth Grade

The Illustrated Man Ray Bradbury
I, Robot Phillip K. Dick
Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep? Phillip K. Dick
Foundation Isaac Asimov
Gulliver's Travels Jonathan Swift
The Martian Chronicles Ray Bradbury
Player Piano Kurt Vonnegut