
Draper 2 - School Calendar

April 13, 2018

Friday, April 13	District Art Show 5:00-7:00 pm WV-2 Campus, 3636 W. 3100 So., WVC, Utah 84119
Saturday, April 14	District Art Show 9:00 am - 12:00 pm WV-2 Campus, 3636 W. 3100 So., WVC, Utah 84119
Monday, April 16	Last day to order your Yearbook!!
Mon., Apr. 16 – Fri., Apr. 20	Classroom Speech Festivals
Tuesday, April 17	6 th grade field trip to Hale Theatre
Wednesday, April 18	6 th grade transition meeting at D-3 1:00-2:00 pm More info to come through 6 th grade teachers.
Friday, April 20	1 st Grade Field Trip
Saturday, April 21	Comcast Cares Day 8:00 am – 12:00 pm WV-1 campus 1255 W. Crystal Ave. (2590 So.), WVC, UT 84119
Mon., Apr. 23 – Fri., April 27	4-6 Grade SAGE testing
Mon., Apr. 30 – Fri., May 4	3 rd Grade SAGE testing
Wednesday, May 2 (Date change)	K-3 rd grade Speech Festival – Gym 12:30-1:30 pm
Thursday, May 3 (Date change)	4-6 grade Speech Festival – Gym 1:00-2:00 pm

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

Builder Theme for April - "I am a Builder When I use Kind and Courteous Words"

Have you ever thrown a rock or pebble into a pond or lake and noticed the little waves that ripple away from the center in circles? Courteous and kind words have that rippling effect on others that can result in good things.

Mother Teresa said, "Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless." Echoes are like ripples; they go on and on.

Take the time to be courteous and kind this week by honoring someone's accomplishment, expressing gratitude for something they say or do, offering a hug or a smile, or taking time to listen.

One of my favorite examples of kindness is having students hold the door open for me at school. Remember, courtesy and kindness don't just enhance the lives of others, they create ripples in your life as well by strengthening your relationships, building trust, and spreading good cheer.

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

Mrs. Martir – Analia Hall
Mrs. Hooton-AMK – Aidan Madison
Mrs. Bailey-AMK – Risam Thapa
Mrs. Hooton-PMK – Emma Walles
Mrs. Bailey-PMK – Jaquelin Orduna
Ms. Bodtcher – Griffin Dresser
Ms. Callister – Audrina Ochoa
Mrs. Dayberry – Rishi Vikar
Mrs. Henry – Tanner Sorenson

Mrs. Elliot - Ally Antonio
Ms. Guziak - Hailey Shewell
Mrs. Hyer - Ashlynn Hill
Mrs. Lawrence - Nixmary Gil-Nunez
Mrs. Sandhu - Chloe DenBleyker
Mrs. Bodily – Ava Bauman
Ms. Chappell - Alyvia Christensen
Mrs. Erickson - Amogh Nevada
Ms. Gray - Anya Patel

Mrs. Davis – Scarlett Shumway
 Mrs. Foster – Marko Jovanovic
 Mrs. Glad – Emily Edward
 Ms. Robinson – Kaisha Brinkerhoff
 Mrs. Stanford – Dexter O’Dell
 Mrs. Gow – Astoria Fitzgerald
 Ms. Bohls – Kira Johnson
 Mrs. Herrera – Om Sanghvi
 Mrs. Madsen – Jaden Lee
 Mrs. Strong – Angel Torres
 Mrs. Wanner – Ava Withers
 Lower Staff Builder – Ms. Bohls

Mrs. Hall – Manan Chadda
 Ms. McGrath - Mylie Baker
 Ms. Beal - Ava Armstrong
 Mrs. Clayton - Kailyce Holland
 Mrs. Cox - Kate Muir
 Mr. Henderson - Krithika Parsawar
 Ms. Larsen - Emily Woolley
 Upper Staff Builder – Mrs. Adamson

Art Show

The District Art Show is this Friday, April 13th from 5:00 to 7:30 pm and on Saturday April 14th from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm at the West Valley 2 campus located at 3636 West 3100 South, WVC, UT, 84119. The following list of students have been chosen from Draper 2 to participate. Awards will be given at 6:30 pm sharp.

First Grade

Griffin Dresser
 Jade Bedolla-Guerrera
 Audrina Ochoa
 Britain Ahlstrom
 Jocelyn Neff
 Breese Davies
 Daniel Namgur
 Darine Safeudien
 Arie Holmes
 Zoe Li

Second Grade

Lily Adamson
 Tanvi Ankireddipalli
 Kaisha Brinkerhoff
 Hudson Fox
 Charlotte Larsen
 Claire Olafsson
 Esteban Rodriguez-Hamon
 Ejoo Song
 Manasvi Talasila
 Jieun Yoo

Third Grade

Alicia Challis
 Katherine Christensen
 DaLilah Hanson
 Luka Jovanovic
 Marley Olive
 Leila Sosa
 Morganne Strong
 Yerin Suk
 Keegan Timmins
 Sushmita Venkatesh

Fourth Grade

Jeffrey Dumas
 Yeleny Gomez
 Abbi Gorringer
 Tate Johnson
 Presley Markham

Fifth Grade

Emily Dailey
 Isaac Hardy
 Lily Goff
 Hailey Lawrence
 Kathrine Leonard

Sixth Grade

Tiffany Hong
 Logan Bazan
 Vishwa Murugappan
 Brooklyn Bond
 John Shafovaloff

Fourth Grade cont.

Naimeh Michael
 David Namgur
 Kennedy Sorenson
 Andrew Struyk
 Emma Wolfe

Fifth Grade cont.

Samantha Milar
 Sophia Muir
 Jennifer Parke
 Destany Sessions
 Makenzie Wagner

Sixth Grade cont.

Vickie Chen
 Sean Baker
 Tiger Anderson
 Hyrum Lambert
 Evan Fessenden

Congratulations to all of these students who will be representing our Draper 2 campus.

YEARBOOK 2017/2018!!

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

Parent Advisory Committee Elections

We are in the process of creating our Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) for the 2018-19 school year. PAC participates with the administration in developing the Annual School Plan, in deciding how the Land Trust monies will be spent, and other matters important to our students at American Preparatory Academy.

We have **1 parent PAC position** to fill at APA-Draper 2. Parents of students who are employed 6 or more hours per week at the school are disqualified from participating as an elected parent. The PAC generally meets 3-4 times per year. Members of the PAC will be expected to participate in all of these meetings so that a quorum may be present to conduct business. There are no term limits, so long as an elected parent has students enrolled in the school, is actively participating, and wishes to continue to do so.

These are the anticipated meeting dates, times, and places for the 2018-19 school year. **It is vital that you attend all three meetings if you are a member of the PAC. We must have a quorum in order to hold a meeting.** Failure to do so may result in the loss of your seat on the Committee.

- 1st Meeting at Draper 2 will be on Friday, September 7, 2018 at 2:00pm.
- 2nd Meeting at Draper 2 will be on Friday, March 1, 2019 at 2:00pm.
- 3rd Meeting (Annual School Planning Meeting) This meeting will most likely be held in August, 2019, after we get State Testing results back.

If you are interested, please contact Kim Dudley, landtrust@apamail.org no later than Friday, May 4, 2018 at 4pm. Please include your name, the campus you are running for, a little campaign blurb, your students name and grade, your phone number and email address.

- We are holding elections at more than one campus, so it will be very important that you note in your email for which campus' PAC you are running. The ballot will go home as the last page of the May 11th newsletter. Each family may vote for 1 candidate, since we have 1 opening. Ballots must be returned to the school by 4pm on May 15. The candidate who receives the most votes will be posted in the May 18th newsletter. Candidates will be notified by email on May 16th.

Best of State

Each year, The Best of State organization names winners, by category, for many Utah businesses and organizations. You may have seen their signs and billboards - restaurants will often display their awards, too. Well, there is an education division, and last year (2017) American Prep won the Charter School Best in State award.

This year (2018) award winners were announced just this week. We are very excited to announce that we have 2 members of our American Prep team that have won awards!

Carolyn Sharette - Best of State 2018 - Administrator

Craig Peterson - Best of State 2018 - Principal

Craig is currently the Secondary Director at our West Valley 2 campus, and has worked in the past as Director at Draper and Director at WV1.

Carolyn is the author of the original charter and was the Director at Draper for 7 years before opening WV1, WV2 and the rest of the schools. She is essentially the Superintendent of American Prep schools.

We are very happy for these two amazing leaders. We are also very grateful that they are receiving the recognition they deserve for all that they do for our students, staff and the families they serve. We encourage you to extend your congratulations to them!

Grade Level Culminating Events

4 th Grade	Thursday, May 10 th	6:00 pm
6 th Grade	Tuesday, May 15 th	6:00 pm
5 th Grade	Thursday, May 17 th	6:00 pm
2 nd Grade	Monday, May 21 st	6:00 pm
3 rd Grade	Tuesday, May 29 th	6:00 pm
1 st Grade	Wednesday, May 30 th	6:00 pm

Spring Field Trips are coming up!

This is a great way to get in your volunteer hours.

1 st grade	Friday, April 20 th
4 th - 6 th grade	Friday, May 11 th
2 nd & 3 rd grade	Friday, May 18 th

CARPOOL CORNER!!

This week we practiced a "Shelter in Place" scenario at the school where our campus goes into a heightened security status. These are situations where there is an outside threat in the vicinity of the school. In these and other emergency situations, we will ask to see your carpool tag to identify your car and allow access to our campus. Increasingly in our modern world, we must be prepared for these situations, so please be prepared by having your carpool tag visibly displayed in the front windshield when coming onto campus. Thank you for your cooperation.

From Character Development

Last month we sent a "17 Kind Things" challenge to all of our students, and we only gave them a few days to complete it. We are SO impressed with the papers we got back!

We are happy to report that more than **760** kind things were reported to us. We love seeing our BUILDER students smile, wave, say hello, help, encourage, serve, be unselfish, make new friends, notice others, comfort, apologize, be nice, and BUILD UP in so many different ways. Our bulletin board in the 6th grade hall has all 760 kind things that were reported to us... check it out!

Also, many of your students may come home with a "WALK UP" sticker that they may wear at school if they participated in the challenge. Please let your student's teacher know if your student participated but did not receive a sticker (we did have several "no name" papers returned to us.) THANK YOU for supporting Utah's Month of Kindness in April.

Our new visitor is VERY excited to come to our assemblies on Tuesday, April 17th and Wednesday, April 18th... parents are always welcome to come and see who is going to teach us to be a Builder by USING KIND AND COURTEOUS WORDS.

Finally, we had a great time today as Moana visited our school again. She so happy to see so many students being builders by BEING WILLING TO TRY AND BELIEVING IN HIS/HER ABILITY TO SUCCEED.

Ballroom & Dance Company Spring Concert

COME ALIVE: Join us for the high school Ballroom and Dance Companies' exciting spring concert! (And come support our very own 5th and 6th graders who will be featured.)

When: Fri. May 11th and Sat. May 12th at 7:00 pm in the D3 Gym

Who: High School Ballroom Company, High School Dance Company, Winterim Swing Team, 7th/8th Grade and 5th/6th Grade Ballroom Blast classes, plus guest performers!

What: An evening of showmanship, fancy footwork, and even some dorks and divas--you have to see it to believe it!

Admission: Free admission, but this is our way of earning money for our costume fund so we will gratefully accept donations at the door.

New School Lunch Policies

Ordering Lunches for April and May

We are making some changes in how school lunches are ordered. In the past, you could order anytime.

Now you will only be able to order during the following weeks:

If you do not place your order during the ordering week, we cannot guarantee your child a lunch.

- April 16 - 20
 - Order lunches for May
 - April 20 - last day to place orders for May

<https://www.americanprep.org/school-lunch-program/>

Absences

It is very helpful if you can let the lunch staff know if your child will be absent, especially if it will be for more than one or two days. Please contact your school lunch manager.

Cancellations

Any lunches cancelled with at least 48 hours notice can be credited to your school lunch account. No cash or credit/debit refunds.

Our lunches are made 24 hours in advance, so we cannot cancel with our vendor unless we have at least 48 hours. Cancellations must be confirmed via email to the school lunch manager.

Heroes for Zambia

"HERO WEEK" FUN RUN FUNDRAISER: Monday, April 30th - Friday May 4th

For *ONE WEEK ONLY*: students, faculty and friends can *REGISTER FOR THE RACE* and FUNDRAISER electronically online for our sister school in Zambia. Our Utah APA District goal is to raise \$20,000 to build latrines so that our Zambian campus does not have to shut down for months during cholera and other epidemic disease outbreaks! More information to come on all of the exciting individual incentive level rewards including free spirit wear t-shirts, homework passes, full casual dress days and much more!

FUN RUN (5K and 1K): Friday, May 18th, 6:00-8:00pm, Andy Ballard Arena, 1600 Highland Drive, Draper, UT 84020

All race registrants will receive a Fun Run T-Shirt and contribute to our Zambian Fundraiser Goal. There will be rewards for top finishers, FM100.3, Food Trucks and a Silent Auction! It will be epic, so mark your calendars!

VOLUNTEER: We are in desperate need for more Trail Marshals to help direct runners and keep them safe. Please email Jill Welch at kjillwelch@gmail.com if you are interested in helping.

COMCAST CARES DAY

SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 21st. Thank you to all of you who have signed up to help at our Comcast Cares Day—day of service! We have 339 people signed up—over half of our goal of having 600 of our staff and families participating in this great event! Here are some frequently asked questions—and answers!

Q. If I don't sign up ahead of time, can I still show up to help?

A. Of course! We will say yes to all offers to help. BUT...if you turn in a registration form by March 31, it will help. A T-shirt will be ordered for you and Comcast will be able to better anticipate how many people they will be feeding on that day (donuts and pizza!) and how many supplies to have on hand.

Q. What is the age limit?

A. No age limit—every age is welcome!

Q. Does this count towards my 20 volunteer hours?

A. Absolutely. Every person you bring—family or friends—will count toward your family's hours.

Q. What day and time is it?

A. Saturday, April 21st. Check in will happen from 7:00-8:00 am. Projects will begin at 8:00 am. Wrap up and lunch will happen by noon—earlier if we are fast finishers!

Q. Truthfully, will this be fun?

A. What could be more fun than working side-by-side with people you enjoy, meeting new friends and doing great things for the school your children attend? Throw in a DJ, great music and pizza and it's a sure fire fun day!

Q. When do you want the registration forms turned in?

A. We are hoping to have our 600 turned in by March 31st so we're sure to have T-shirts for all those people, but we will continue to take them until the day of Comcast Cares.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

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!

APA Sports!!

Club V Academy Draper is holding spring and summer volleyball and all sports training at American Preparatory Academy!

Club V offers year-round Volleyball and All Sports training in a structured and fun environment. We have been training athletes in our character-based program since 2007 and have the highest numbers of college players in the state of Utah.

FINAL VOLLEYBALL SPRING SESSION

April 10 - May 17

SUMMER VOLLEYBALL CAMPS AND CLASSES

2-Skill Tuesdays

Session 1 June 5-29

Session 2 July 3-31

Volleyball Skills Camps

Session 1 June 12-14

Session 2 June 26-28

Session 3 July 10-12

***NEW:* All Sports Academy**

Session 1 June 12-14

Session 2 June 26-28

Session 3 July 10-12

CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFO: www.clubvvolleyball.com/youth-development/draper-academy

Love & Logic Tips of the Week

“Why are They Mean to Younger Siblings?”

Mom had been preparing two-year-old Jamie for the arrival of the new baby. “Oh, Jamie, it’ll be so nice to have a little brother. You’ll have someone to play with. I know you’ll just love being a big brother.” Jaime was all smiles.

How long do you suppose it was before Jaime’s smile was gone and he was not thrilled with the intrusion into his life? You’re right. He soon found out that he was no longer the center of attention. His constant acting out just added to the rigors of taking care of a new baby.

“I don’t know why he has to be so mean to little Jeffrey. I have to watch him every minute for fear that he will hurt the little one,” bemoaned Mom.

A Solution to This Age-Old Problem

Jaime probably feels a loss of love and control. He’s trying to get it back the only way he knows how.

Sample Dialogue

“Jaime, we are going to have a new baby, and that’s hard for everyone. Babies cry a lot and they take up a lot of our time. It won’t be fun for a while. You might feel left out sometimes.”

Teaching How to Get Love and Time on the Parent’s Terms

“When you feel left out, come to me and pull on my shirt.” (Practice this several times to lock in the training.) “That will tell me that you need some of Mommy’s love and time.”

You will find that giving the older child some control like this does a good job of eliminating his/her trying to get the attention in negative ways. As one mother told me, "Now that I've done that, he no longer bites the baby's toes. I thought he was just being mean, but now I know differently."

Thanks for reading about one of the roots of sibling rivalry. You can learn a lot more in our CD, **Sibling Rivalry: Strategies for Teaching Your Kids How to Get Along**.

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

Jim Fay

Will Love and Logic Work With Autistic Children?

I'm often asked if Love and Logic applies to children with autism. For years, we've been hearing success stories from parents and professionals indicating the answer to this question:

Yes. While it doesn't solve all of the child's problems, Love and Logic really helps.

In honor of National Autism Awareness Month, I'd like to share a relevant and much unexpected experience I had bicycling home from work one day. While I was peddling down a peaceful pedestrian-only path, a woman in a minivan jumped the curb, screeched to a halt in front of me, and screamed, "I've lost my child! He's autistic and he ran away from us at the pool! Have you seen him?"

Of course, I agreed to help her look for the boy. As I did, she warned, "He's 13; he's really big, and you won't be able to get him to come with you."

About two miles down the path, there he was. Yes, he was very big, and very agitated! I decided to use one of my favorite Love and Logic techniques, The One Sentence Intervention.

I said to him, "Look at that watch." He suddenly stopped and raised his arm to show me his Batman time piece. I countered with, "And I noticed that your shirt has a motorcycle on it." He looked at his shirt. "And I noticed that you like to swim," I continued. He stared at me with a combination smile and "what-planet-are-you-from?" look.

In our book, **Teaching with Love and Logic**, we teach that relationships are the key to reaching kids. The one-Sentence Intervention involves noticing unique and special things about children.

After noticing these small things about the boy, I said, "Just follow me. I'll take care of you." To my amazement, he followed me all the way back to his mother.

This boy gave me a great gift. He reminded me that kids are human beings not diagnoses. He also reminded me that each of them has the fundamental human need to feel noticed and valued.

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

Dr. Charles Fay