



Apr. 19, 2019

DRAPER 3



UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, April 20 th	District Art Show (9am-12pm)
Saturday, April 20 th	Spring Formal (7-9pm)
Monday, April 22 nd	End of Year Testing Begins
April 22 nd & April 23 rd	APA's Got Talent Auditions (3-5pm)
Tuesday, April 23 rd	Ambassador Essay Due
Wednesday, April 24 th	8th Grade Viva La Fiesta Event (12:40-3:30pm)
Saturday, April 27 th	Saturday School (7-10am)
Wednesday, May 1 st	H.S. Boys Soccer State Tournament
Wednesday, May 1 st	Builders Assembly and APA's Got Talent Assembly (12:45-1:50pm)
Wednesday, May 1 st	AP Night (7-8pm)
Friday, May 3 rd	Spirit Day
Friday, May 3 rd	Mid-Term Late Work Deadline
Friday, May 3 rd	7th Grade Masquerade Ball (3:30-6:30pm)
Saturday, May 4 th	7th Grade Masquerade Ball (11:30am-2:30pm)
Saturday, May 4 th	8th Grade Masquerade Ball & Dinner (3:30-9:30pm)
Saturday, May 4 th	8th Grade Masquerade Ball & Dinner (3:45-9:30pm)
Saturday, May 4 th	H.S. Boys Soccer State Tournament

For updates, additional event information, and athletic events, please visit our campus website at <http://www.draper3.americanprep.org>.



7th Grade Masquerade Ball

The 7th Grade Masquerade Ball is a culminating event for the ambassador class. The Ball will be held at the Utah Cultural Celebration Center, located at 1355 W. 3100 S., West Valley City. The Ball is designed to provide a professional atmosphere that is safe for students to put into practice the social graces that have been taught throughout the year. These skills include: meeting and greeting, introducing one's self to guests, and properly navigating a refreshment line.

There are two different 7th Grade Masquerade Ball events. (Look for their official ball invite in the mail to see which ball your student is assigned to. The invitation will tell you where to drop off and pick up your student. If you do not get one, please email aeschler@apamail.org)

- BALL 1: **Friday, May 3rd from 3:30-6:30 pm**
- BALL 2: **Saturday, May 4th from 11:30am-2:30 pm**

8th Grade Masquerade Ball and Dinner

The 8th Grade Masquerade Ball and Dinner is a culminating event for the ambassador class. The Ball will be held at the Utah Cultural Celebration Center, located at 1355 W. 3100 S., West Valley City. The Ball is designed to provide a professional atmosphere that is safe for students to put into practice the social graces that have been taught throughout the year. These skills include: meeting and greeting, introducing one's self to guests, and properly navigating a refreshment line.

In 8th grade, the event is two-fold. In addition to the Ball, 8th grade students will participate in a five-course instructional dinner, which will take place at the APA West Valley 1 campus. During the dinner, students will practice appropriate professional etiquette at the table, with conversation, following the instructions and cues of the host and hostess.

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- BALL 1: **Saturday, May 4th from 3:30-9:30 pm** [Ball First at Utah Cultural Celebration Center]
- BALL 2: **Saturday, May 4th from 3:45-9:30 pm** [Dinner first at West Valley 1]

Fun Run Updates

The 2nd Annual Super Hero Fun Run is getting closer!

- [Click here to learn more about Fun Run fundraiser games we will be playing at D3.](#)
- Laura Campbell is going to Africa this summer. [Click here to learn more about how we are hoping to collect student incentives for their teachers over there!](#)

Pre-Launch Registration is now open! www.irunutah.com/apa (Official Hero Week Registration is 4/29-5/3.) During Hero Week, all student participants will be recognized during morning announcements, get their name on the Hero Wall, and there are incentive rewards! At the event, get excited for our 1K, 5K, food trucks, silent auction, awards for students/adults and of course Rusty Keys from FM100.3! (All fundraising proceeds will go towards security fencing at D1 and D2, furnishings for D3 auditorium and financial support for our Zambia, Africa campus.)



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Driver's Training

The next Driver's Training course will be held **May 6th-May 16th**. It will be held at the school from 3:30-5:00. Cost is \$275.00. You may sign up in the High School office. If you have any questions please contact Wright Driving School - 801-209-2328.

Saturday School (Updated Dates)

The end of the school year is fast approaching. It is imperative that students who owe time for Saturday School get that taken care of so their report cards don't reflect a NG (No Grade). We will be holding Saturday School on the following dates:

- **April 27th**
- **May 11th**
- **May 18th**

Please keep in mind that if your student owes more than 3 hours they will need to attend on more than one date. Cost is \$10 an hour and must be paid before the date they are attending. Please call the JH or HS office with any questions.

Coed Youth Skills Basketball Camp

Our High School Lady Eagles Basketball coach (Coach Dan Baldwin) is holding a summer basketball camp for all APA boys and girls, grades 1st through 8th. Coach Dan recently won Region Coach of the Year, so you won't want to miss this exciting camp! [Please click here for additional details.](#)

- Reminders (repeat information from previous newsletter) -

"Midnight in the Meadow" Spring Formal - Save the Date!

The Tux's, flowers, and gowns, Oh My! D3's High School Spring Formal is coming up on **Saturday, April 20th from 7-9pm**. 10th-12th grade is invited. Grab your friends and make it a night to remember! Tickets go on sale next week.

District Art Show

The APA District Art Show is coming up! Come stroll through the small gym at WV2 between **4-8pm on Friday, April 19th, and 9am-noon on Saturday, April 20th**. We will be announcing the winners and handing out prizes at the reception on Friday April 19th at 6:30pm. Please come and support our artists! (Check with your student if they have art in the show- they should have received an invitation if their art was selected.)



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APA's Got Talent Auditions

We know that APA's got talent, so do you have what it takes to showcase that talent in front of the entire school? Come to the APA's Got Talent Auditions, on **April 22nd and 23rd (3-5pm)**, in the D3 Multipurpose/Dance Room, and show us what you can do!

8th Grade La Fiesta Event

Arriba, arriba! 8th grade students, get ready for La Fiesta, on **Wednesday, April 24th**. During this event, students will learn the importance of their GPA, respecting other cultures, ways to befriend others, and so much more! There will also be tasty foods such as chips and salsa and a delicious soup. Mark your calendars, clear your schedules, and get ready to have a blast! Any parents who want to volunteer at this event please look at the email from Ms. Eschler. There is a link to the sign up sheet! THANK YOU!!!!

Fun Run Volunteer Help Needed

Interested in volunteering? We need your help with: Trail Marshals, T-Shirt Distribution, Sponsors and Swag, Donations, Silent Auction, Hero Week (April 29-May 3), Awards, Set Up and Clean Up. (**TRAIL MARSHALS GET A FREE EVENT T-SHIRT!) Please sign up at

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0548a5ad23a5fd0-apasuper> -OR- Please email Jill Welch @ jwelch@apamail.org.

Dance Concert - Purchase Tickets Now

Come celebrate a night "ON BROADWAY" at APA Dance Department's concert, on **Friday, May 10th and Saturday, May 11th, at 7:00 p.m.**, in the D3 Gym. It will be an extravaganza of dance and movement featuring our very own Dance Company, Ballroom Dance Company, Ballroom Blast dancers, and other exciting guest performers. Purchase tickets online at: apadance.yapsody.com
Tickets are \$8 for reserved premier seats, or \$5 for general admission. A 10% discount will be given for groups of 5 or more. Ages 3 and up require a ticket. D3 students may present their APA student ID at the door for a FREE general admission seat for themselves. All proceeds will benefit the APA Dance Department. Concessions will be available that evening for cash/check only. Tickets sold at the door will be cash/check only.

Hope 4 Utah Parent Newsletter

[Click here to view this month's Hope 4 Utah parent newsletter.](#) You will find information about recognizing emotional struggles in your child, sexting and difficult digital situations, promoting brain development, and more.

Parent Advisory Committee Elections

We are in the process of creating our Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) for the 2019-20 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.



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We have 1 parent PAC position to fill at APA-Draper 3. 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 2019-20 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 3 will be on Wednesday, September 11th, at 10:00 AM.
- 2nd Meeting at Draper 3 will be on Wednesday, March 4th, at 10:00 AM.
- 3rd Meeting (Annual School Planning Meeting) This meeting will most likely be held in August, after we get State Testing results back.

If you are interested, please contact Katie Fuller, landtrust@apamail.org, no later than **Friday, May 3, 2019**, 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 10th newsletter. Each family may vote for three candidates, as we have three positions open. Ballots must be returned to the school before 4pm on May 17th. The candidates who receive the most votes will be posted in the May 31th newsletter.

Volunteer hours: Please email your hours to heatherlabarreallen@gmail.com.