



# AMERICAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

Aug. 23rd, 2019

DRAPER 3



## UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, August 27<sup>th</sup>

6th-12th Grade Cheerleading Parent and Student Information Meeting (6:30-7:30pm)

Wednesday, August 28<sup>th</sup>

10th Grade Minute to Win It (10am-12:45pm)

**Monday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**NO SCHOOL - Labor Day**

Wednesday, September 4<sup>th</sup>

Builders Assembly and Council Intro (12:45-1:45pm)

September 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>

6th-12th Grade Cheerleading Tryouts (4-6pm)

Thursday, September 5<sup>th</sup>

9th Grade Unity Hike (8am-1:50pm)

Thursday, September 5<sup>th</sup>

Parent Empowerment “Pornography is Changing” Event (6:30-7:30pm & 8-9pm)

Friday, September 6<sup>th</sup>

Spirit Wear Day

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

### **“Pornography is Changing” Event**

APA will be hosting a “Pornography is Changing” event on **Thursday, September 5th**. In order to accommodate more parents, there will be two sessions offered, one from **6:30-7:30 P.M.** and another from **8:00-9:00 P.M.** The event will take place in the Draper 3 Multipurpose Room, on the 3rd floor of the building. This presentation will help us all to know what our children are being exposed to, how they are being affected, and how to best protect them! Additionally, a five-week course, regarding talking to your kids about sex at every stage of their life, will be offered for any interested parents. Come join us for an enlightening and hope-giving event. [For additional information, please click here to view the flyer.](#)



## 10th Grade Minute to Win It

Attention parents and students! We are so excited to kick off this year with our 10th grade “Minute to Win It” activity! On **Thursday, September 5th**, 10th graders will be bussed to Lone Peak Park to participate in a series of relay games and races designed to build strong friendships and camaraderie. The event will take place during school hours (**10:00 A.M. – 12:45 P.M.**). Parents who would like to volunteer at this event, please email Garret Moyle at [gmoyle@apamail.org](mailto:gmoyle@apamail.org), or volunteer online by visiting [apaambassadors.org](http://apaambassadors.org) and clicking on the “Volunteer Online” tab.

## 9th Grade Unity Hike

We are ready to celebrate being back at school with the 9th Grade Unity Hike, on **Wednesday September 11th**. This is an all-day activity that focuses on unifying our students and building teamwork skills. Students will take a short hike up to Ensign Peak, in Salt Lake City. We will also spend time at Riverside Park playing team-building games. We will depart right at **8:00 am** and won't be returning until 1:50 pm. We want every student to attend and they must be on time so they don't miss the bus! We will be providing lunch and some supplemental water, but please send your student with a water bottle. Students should come dressed in polo shirts, long jeans, and comfortable walking shoes.

## Fall Festival

Don't miss out on one of the most fun events of the year! Our APA Fall Festival is on **September 13th from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M.** If you have not yet purchased your wristbands, you can do so online: <https://www.americanprepfoundation.org/donate/>. When it asks for the teacher's name, D3 students will put the name of their 4th period teacher.

## Cheerleading Tryouts and Parent Meeting

Cheerleading tryouts for the 2019-2020 school year are right around the corner. We are excited to have Kristen Smith join us as the Head Coach for our cheer team! Please plan on coming to meet her and hearing all about this year's program at the upcoming Parent and Student Information Meeting on **August 27th, at 6:30 P.M.**, in the D3 HS Choir Room (3rd floor). Boys and girls in grades 6 - 12 are welcome. Tryouts will take place on **September 4th-6th, from 4-6 P.M.** each of those days. If you have questions or are unable to attend the meeting, please contact the coach, at [kristen.smith@apamail.org](mailto:kristen.smith@apamail.org), as soon as possible.

## Event Review: 12th Grade United Way Day of Caring

This past week, the Seniors participated in the Day of Caring service project. Students put together science textbooks and bracelets for the students of African Preparatory Academy. The Seniors seemed to appreciate the opportunity and happily participated in the project.



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### **4-H University at Utah State**

Hello 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Graders!! Come learn all about the first steps to attending postsecondary education, and potential careers related to your current interests and skills.. Register now to attend 4-H University at Utah State University! [Click here to view the flyer.](#)

WHO: Youth grades 6-8

WHERE: Utah State University, Logan Campus

WHEN: October 4-5, 2019

Adult Preconference half-day on October 3

Registration: August 5 – August 30, 2019: 4H Online

Cost: Youth - \$65\*