

Oct. 25th, 2019

DRAPER 3



UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, October 30th Senior Sunrise (7am-12pm)

Wednesday, October 30th PSAT/NMSQT Testing: 8th-11th Grade (8am-12pm)

Wednesday, October 30th 7th Grade Rising Stars Event (8am-11am)

Wednesday, October 30th NOON DISMISSAL

Wednesday, October 30th 9th Grade Mystery Dinner (12-2:30pm)

Thursday, October 31st NOON DISMISSAL

Wednesday, November 6th

November 8th - November 9th

Friday, November 8th

Friday, November 1st NO SCHOOL - Professional Development
November 1st - November 2nd HS Girls Volleyball State Tournament

HS Girls Volleyball State Tournament Builders Assembly (12:45-1:45pm)

Spirit Wear Day

Annual Holiday Boutique

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

Mark Your Calendars for Upcoming Parent Empowerment Night

We have our next Parent Empowerment Night coming up on **Thursday, November 14th, at 7:00 P.M.** It will take place in the Draper 3 Choir Room. Renaissance Ranch will be presenting on mental health and suicide awareness. Parents, make sure to mark your calendars for this important informational night.



EAGLES Track and Field Training Camp

Coach Brown will be offering a preseason camp for all 7th-12th graders that want to improve their fitness for the upcoming track season. <u>Click here to view the flyer with additional information.</u>

Fitness Classes (PUSH)

PUSH Fitness Classes will take place on Saturday mornings at the Draper APA HS. These fitness classes will be taught by our Track and XC coach Donald Brown for all adults and older students (16-18 with permission from parents). Click here to view the flyer with additional information.

Looking for an Accountant

APEF is in search of an accountant. If you are a CPA with experience working with non-profits, please email APEF Executive Director, Michelle Goudge, at mgoudge@americanprepfoundation.org. Feel free to pass this information on to your friends and family members as well.

APEF Board of Directors

The APEF Board is looking for energetic leaders to fill vacancies on the Board. More details to come soon. If you have an interest in applying for one of these positions, please contact APEF Executive Director, Michelle Goudge, at mgoudge@americanprepfoundation.org.

Shop with Scrip

Turn your everyday shopping into earnings for Builders Club and contribute to our teacher and staff bonuses. At Shop with Scrip you buy gift cards at face value (e-gift cards to use right away or physical gift cards to be delivered to APA and then distributed to you) and APEF earns rebates up to 20% of the value of the gift cards. With more than 750 companies participating (Target, WalMart, Chipotle, Wendy's, Starbucks, etc.), the rebates can add up quickly with your participation. Go to www.shopwithscrip and use enrollment code 3BC6A91D65L66. Thank you for your support of our teachers and staff!

Event Review: WORK Party

The last Friday before our Fall Break some of our 8th grade students had the opportunity to complete some of our WORK Party service projects in the community. Our WORK Party stands for Wonderful Opportunities to Render Kindness. We want to provide opportunities for our students to give back to the community and help keep our great state looking beautiful. We had 36 students help out at four locations. We were able to volunteer at Historic Wheeler Farm and help clean the grounds and get the land ready for the Fall festivities that they provide for our community. Another group of students went to Draper City Cycle Park and helped to maintain the paths and clean up vegetation. The other two groups went to Herriman City Hall and Bluffdale City Hall to help beautify the grounds by pulling weeds. This is truly a wonderful opportunity for our students to see the hard work that goes into maintaining our parks and facilities. We are so grateful for the time and energy put in by our parent volunteer, John Rowkowski and our staff members, Mr. Jones, Mr. Sheneman, and Mr. Buroker to help make this service project possible!!



- Reminders (repeat information from previous newsletter) -

Winterim Course Selections

It is time for students to make their selections for which Winterim courses they are most interested in taking. Winterim request forms were given out to students during their 4th period class, and should be returned after the break. The winterim catalog link will be emailed out to students and parents. If you are not yet familiar with Winterim, it is a two-week term that immediately follows Winter break. Secondary students will have the opportunity to choose three elective courses. Course options include learning opportunities in the Arts, Humanities, Science and Technology, History and Culture, and Fitness and Life Skills. In addition to the skills and knowledge gained, 7th-12th grade students who successfully complete a course with a "Pass" grade will receive elective credits.

SLCC 2019 High School Workshop Day

There is an upcoming High School Workshop Day happening on Friday, Nov. 8th. <u>View the event flyer here</u>. The Salt Lake Community College 2019 High School Workshop Day gives 9th-12th grade students the opportunity to visit the SLCC Center for Arts & Media and participate in exciting workshops led by distinguished faculty. With topics covering everything from painting and photography to digital media and more, there's a class for everyone! Registration for the event is now <u>open online</u>.

Threads App: What Parents Need to Know

Instagram has developed a new app called Threads. Please read the following interesting article regarding this new app:

https://www.cybersafetycop.com/instagram-threads-app-review/?mc_cid=4aed7f8feb&mc_eid=b194a97f 5d

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Your purchases at Staples can benefit APA. When making a purchase at Staples stores or on <u>Staples.com</u>, use rewards number 3448724538 and Staples will give APEF a percentage back on your purchases.



Annual Holiday Boutique Update

APA's 4th Annual Holiday Boutique will be held **Friday, November 8th and Saturday, November 9th**, at the Draper 3 Campus. We are in need of many volunteers to make this fundraiser a success. If you are able to help with the planning of the event, please come to this meeting. We still need people to help with advertising, graphic design, vendor outreach, decorating, and more.

If you would like to be a vendor at the boutique, please join our Facebook group at https://www.facebook.com/groups/apaboutiquevendors/. We are also looking for APA students who would like to sign up for a booth. The cost for a student booth is \$10. The student vendor application can be found on our Facebook pages.

Parents can email volunteer hours to: D3volunteer@apamail.org