



Jan. 11, 2019

DRAPER 3



UPCOMING EVENTS

January 14th - 18th

Friday, January 18th

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Monday, January 21st

Tuesday, January 22nd

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Wednesday, January 23rd

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Thursday, January 24th

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Saturday, January 26th

Spirit Week

Winterim Spirit Assembly

End of Winterim (Term 3)

NOON DISMISSAL

NO SCHOOL - Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Beginning of Term 4

Jr. High Geography Bee First Round (in class)

Jr. High Geography Bee Assembly (12:30 -1:50pm)

Vision Screenings (12:30 -1:50pm)

Jr. High Ambassador Council Training (2-7:15pm)

Science Fair (5:30-6:30pm)

10th-12th Grade Dance (7-8:30pm)

For updates, additional event information, and athletic events, please visit our campus website at

<http://www.draper3.americanprep.org>.

Volunteers Needed

We are looking for people to serve on our teacher appreciation committee and Geography Bee please sign up if you would like to join us.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090E4BABA28A6FB6-fsocommittee>



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Driving School

Driving school will be held at the D3 campus January 22 - Feb.1. It will take place right after school. The cost is \$250, which includes the class course, as well as the state required road driving and road observations. Please sign up with Mrs. Hammond, in the High School office. If you have any questions, please contact Wright Driving School, 801-209-2328.

Event Review: Legislative Day

Students had an amazing and very educational experience this past Thursday. Some of the things they learned about were the Legislative Process, their city governments and how bills are passed. We are excited to have well informed students and citizens as they move into adulthood! We could not have done this without our amazing teachers! A big thanks to them!

- Reminders (repeat information from previous newsletter) -

Geography Bee - Coming Soon!

All 7th and 8th graders will get the opportunity to participate in the qualifying round of the school Geography Bee on **Tuesday, January 22nd**. Do not miss this day of school, because it will be the only opportunity to qualify to participate in the school finals at our Geography Bee Assembly, which will take place on **January 23rd**. Practice information can be found at the following website:

nationalgeographic.org/bee

Volunteers are needed for both days, January 22nd and 23rd. If you would be willing to help out on either day, please email Kelly Bible at kbible@apamail.org.

Spelling Bee Practice Words

7th and 8th graders, the school-wide spelling bee will take place in February, but you should start practicing your spelling bee words now. Click on the following link to view the study words: [Complete Set of Study Words for Grades 1-8](#) (eight-page PDF)

2019-2020 School Calendar

For your information, you can find the 2019-2020 calendar [here](#). Hopefully with this information you can plan vacations accordingly to minimize school absences.

Parent Empowerment Night

APA is hosting a Parent Empowerment Night on **Tuesday, January 29th**, at 6pm, in the Draper 3 Choir Room. Our guest speaker will be from The Renaissance Ranch and the topic is covering addiction of all kinds (drugs/alcohol, technology & gaming). Mark your calendars! This night will be very informative and open to all D2 & D3 parents.



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SheTech 2019

SheTech 2019 will be held is **April 9th** at the Mountain America Expo Center in Sandy, Utah.

SheTech is a STEM activation and engagement platform for girls. Girls gain exposure to technology, individually create using technology, meet mentors, learn about careers in STEM fields, receive a certification and gain access to internships and scholarships.

SheTech Explorer Days are industry-centered, hands-on interactive STEM exploration days held across the country for 9th through 12th grade high school girls. These day-long events are focused on hands-on activities in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM). Girls spend the morning in hands-on sessions and the afternoon solving a technology challenge, pitching their solution and competing.

Sign up here: <http://shetechexplorer.com/>

Expanding your Horizons at UVU

Utah Valley University Conferences is pleased to offer the annual Expanding Your Horizons on **February 2, 2019**. Expanding Your Horizons is a math, science, and technology-focused career conference for 5th - 12th grade girls. Conference participants may choose from 30 hands-on, interactive workshops led by professional women in STEM, explore fun concepts in the Zone and listen to great speakers.

<https://www.uvu.edu/conferences/expanding-your-horizons/>

Spirit Week - January 14-18th

One of the things we are trying to build at American Preparatory Academy is tradition. Which is why we are so excited for Spirit Week. We hope this will bring students together, help them develop new friendships and most importantly have fun! Spirit week goes from **January 14th through the 18th**. We have many fun activities planned for the week. One we want you as parents and guardians to be aware of is that each day the students can wear different themed clothes. We are attaching to this newsletter the different themes and guidelines for those days. Will you please make sure they choose outfits that are appropriate and will not make anyone feel uncomfortable. We will also send home a hardcopy of the guidelines! We are excited and know with your help this can be a fun experience for all!! [Click here for more information.](#)

"GLOW BIG OR GO HOME" - Girls Pref. Casual Dance

Calling all 10-12 grade students, get ready for the BIGGEST dance of the year! It's Girls Pref. until January 12! After that, it's anybody ask! Students are welcome to come individually, with dates, or with a big group of friends. 11-12th grade can invite an outside guest. So, grab a date or go with friends, and plan your outfits together! The brighter, the better! Make a day of it! This Glow dance is sure to be fun! GLOW BIG OR GO HOME!

What: Glow in the dark dance with black lights, glow sticks and face painting

When: January 26th, from 7-9pm

Where: D3 Multi Purpose Room

Attire: Casual, white or bright clothing

Cost: \$3/ticket, \$5/couple, \$10/couple with outside guest



Examples of Builders

We are looking for examples of Builders in our school, community and world. If you or anyone you know (student, friend, neighbor, etc.) has done anything that has helped their school, community or world in any way, please let us know. We would love to highlight them for the students to see positive examples on ways to serve others to make their world a better place. We are hoping to have a rotation of positive examples to show the kids every other week. Thank you for your help!

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