



Apr. 26, 2019

DRAPER 3



UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, April 27th

Wednesday, May 1st

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Friday, May 3rd

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Saturday, May 4th

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Tuesday, May 7th

Wednesday, May 8th

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May 10th - May 11th

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Saturday, May 11th

Saturday School (7-10am)

H.S. Boys Soccer State Tournament

Builders Assembly and APA's Got Talent Assembly
(12:45-1:50pm)

AP Night (7-8pm)

Spirit Day

Mid-Term Late Work Deadline

7th Grade Masquerade Ball (3:30-6:30pm)

7th Grade Masquerade Ball (11:30am-2:30pm)

8th Grade Masquerade Ball & Dinner (3:30-9:30pm)

8th Grade Masquerade Ball & Dinner (3:45-9:30pm)

H.S. Boys Soccer State Tournament

Advanced Drama Showcase (7-8:30pm)

AP Testing Begins

9th Grade Make a Difference Day (11am-1:50pm)

Drama I and II Showcase (7-9pm)

H.S. Boys Soccer State Tournament

D3 Dance Concert (7-8pm)

Saturday School (7-10am)

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



Sing! Utah Vocal Competition

Do you have a passion for singing? Have fun, while putting your vocal skills to the test, at the 2019 “Sing! Utah” State Vocal Competition. There are 3 age divisions: ages 4-8, ages 9-13, and 14 and up. The final round will be a concert where the top singers will have the opportunity to sing with a live band, in front of an audience. The purpose of this competition is to teach students about the professional performing arts industries, as well as how to be supportive and encouraging of others in a competitive environment. Video auditions are due on Saturday, June 20th, 2019. [Click here for additional information.](#)

Fun Run - New Updates

Friday, May 17th, Andy Ballard Arena, 6-8pm (See flyers below)

REGISTRATION OPEN: www.irunutah.com/apa

Help us raise 20K for security fencing at D1 and D2, final furnishings for D3 auditorium and additional support for American Prep in Zambia!

Penny Wars, Duct Tape Game and Toys for Africa are still going! Please see attachments in the bulleted information below!

OFFICIAL HERO WEEK REGISTRATION BEGINS on MONDAY (4/29-5/3). During Hero Week, all student participants will be recognized in front of the whole school during morning announcements, get their name on the Hero Wall, and earn incentive reward levels! See attachment for all incentives!!!

REGISTRATION TIPS: There are TWO ways to participate. Choose one or CHOOSE BOTH!

OPTION #1: FUN RUN REGISTRATION & FUNDRAISING: www.irunutah.com/apa -OR- Register/Donate at the front office

[1K, 5K, T-Shirt, Swag, FM100.3, Food Trucks, Silent Auction, Race Medals for top finishers!]

Please Note: Registering automatically creates an INDIVIDUAL FUNDRAISING PAGE for you!

OPTION #2: Create an INDIVIDUAL FUNDRAISING PAGE ONLY and EARN ALSO EARN INCENTIVES! Visit: www.irunutah.com/apa and follow 5 easy steps to create your student’s personal fundraising page to share with friends and family!

- [To see the exciting incentives that are being offered for students that participate in the Fun Run fundraiser, click here.](#)
- [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!](#)

Event Review: La Fiesta

Maravilloso!!! La Fiesta was such a great time! The 8th grade students were able to practice their escorting and dancing skills, as well as brush up on their table manners and learn important information when thinking about their future. Several students received awards for their participation, positive attitudes, and willingness to learn new information! A big thank you to our amazing parent volunteers! We could not do these workshops without you!

Event Review: Spring Formal

Students came dressed in their best and it showed in their enthusiasm and actions! They made many memories and had fun! Picnic tables were set up and "fireflies" buzzed around! It truly was a magical evening put on by 11th and 12th grade SGL's! We are so proud of them! Thank you for all your support! We hope your students had an amazing time!!

- Reminders (repeat information from previous newsletter) -

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]



AMERICAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

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.](#)

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.



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.

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.