

# Roadrunner BEEPS

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Absence Line:812-8675

TDD (District Office): 374-4815

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3  <b>Labor Day No School</b>	4 <b>Vision Screening 9am-11am</b>  🎵 Concert Choir Rehearsal at 7:30am! Any 4th, 5th or 6th graders are welcome to participate. No audition required.	5  <b>Chess Club 3:20pm</b>	6      Concert Choir 7:30am	7  <b>Early Dismissal 1:30pm</b>
10  <b>Bike to school week</b>	11 <b>Bike to school week</b>   Concert Choir 7:30am	12 <b>Bike to school week</b>   <b>Chess Club 3:20pm</b>	13 <b>Bike to school week</b>   Concert Choir 7:30am	14 <b>Early Dismissal 1:30pm</b>  <b>Bike to school week</b>
17	18   Concert Choir 7:30am	19   <b>Chess Club 3:20pm</b>	20 <b>Picture Day!</b>  Concert Choir 7:30am	21 <b>Early Dismissal 1:30pm</b>
24	25   Concert Choir 7:30am	26 <b>PTA Meeting- Everyone is invited! 10am faculty lounge</b>  <b>Chess Club 3:20pm</b>	27   Concert Choir 7:30am	28 <b>Early Dismissal 1:30 p.m.</b>  <b>REFLECTIONS DUE</b>

**\*Please call the office if your child is going to be late or absent! Numbers are listed above on the calendar!\***

## PTA MESSAGE

We are just thrilled for the new school year, there is an excitement in the air this time of year! Thank you for attending back to school night and we hope it's been a great transition to a new year. We are lucky to have such great teachers and staff members here, and such great families attending and volunteering too. Thanks to all who have volunteered to help with various PTA activities, and thanks for coming to our Family Hoedown as well. We are so grateful for all who have donated money to PTA this year, we really could not do these and other great PTA sponsored initiatives without your generous support. Join us for our next PTA meeting Wed Sept 26 at 10am in the teacher lounge; we've invited our lovely librarian Letty Meibos to share some children's book suggestions with parents. Wishing you a fantastic September! Lily Mott—PTA President

**REFLECTIONS** Get your creative juices flowing—it's Reflections time again! This year's theme is Heroes Around Me. Students can submit one entry in each of six categories: Dance, Film, Literature, Music, Photography, and Visual Arts (2D 3D). Student Entry Forms and a summary of rules are available in the main office. Specific rules can be found at [utahpta.org/reflections](http://utahpta.org/reflections). More information coming home with your student soon. If you have any questions, please contact Katherine Barrus 801-356-7240. Entries **due September 28**.

**Please make sure your email address is updated with the school. This BEEPS newsletter is going *digital* starting in January!**

## BOX TOPS

Thank you for helping Rock Canyon Elementary collect box tops totaling \$1,585 last year. The money earned goes straight back into our school, funding many events that benefit our staff and students.



Each Box Top turned in is 10 cents towards the school. This year our goal is to collect 20,000 Box Tops, totaling \$2000.

Find Box Tops on various foods and products. Cut the Box Tops off, put in a bag and have your child bring them to their teacher.

**Our first Box Tops collection is Friday, October 5<sup>th</sup>.** Send them in anytime. Thank you for your help!



**Amazon smile** is an easy and free way to support our PTA. Amazon will automatically donate 0.5% of your eligible purchases to our PTA. It's easy and free!

1. Go to [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com), login using the same Amazon account you already have.
2. Select "PTA Utah Congress Rock Canyon Elementary PTA" as your charity.
3. You must always go to [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) in order to be eligible for a contribution.

**Label EVERYTHING: lunchbags, jackets, backpacks, gloves, waterbottles, etc. so lost items return to their owners.**

## KINDNESS CLUB

Join the Kindness Club! Applications available this month. The application must be completed and signed by both parent and student to be a club member and attend meetings. The meetings will be during the school day at your child's lunch recess time. It will not take your child out of class! We will have meetings bi-weekly or monthly throughout the school year. We hope you encourage your child to be part of making Rock Canyon a safe, welcoming and KIND environment. **Remember: KINDNESS is contagious!**

## BIKE TO SCHOOL

September 10-14th is Bike to School Week! Ride your bike to school every day that week to enter to win some great biking prizes. Pick up your raffle ticket and a snack each day **near** either of the bike racks **before** school. Double raffle tickets given to riders who are wearing helmets! If you don't have a bike, ride a scooter and you can still be entered in the drawing. Please be safe, obey traffic laws and always wear a helmet. We can't wait to see you all on your bikes!

**UPSTART** Interested in FREE online Preschool?? Go to [www.waterfordupstart.org](http://www.waterfordupstart.org)

We love seeing our students return ready to read. This year we will emphasize the Joy of Reading, you should hear the question "**What are you reading?**" frequently as we share book choices with one another. Mrs. MaryAnn Howard will be assisting in the library along with Miss Linn this year. Did you know we have Friday circulation times? Mrs. Howard is here before and after school for 30 mins. See you in the library!—Mrs. Meibos---

**Remember Rock Canyon school spirit day is every Friday! Wear your school shirt or our school colors (blue and yellow) every Friday.**

**CHESS CLUB** This is a parent-sponsored club where all students (K-6) and all chess levels (beginner to advanced) are welcome to play chess. Chess Club meets Wednesdays 3:20-4:00p.m. in the cafeteria, beginning September 5th. Chess Club will not be held on early-out days or on Halloween. Annual dues are \$10. Chess club t-shirts available for an additional \$5. Registration forms available in the office or at chess club meetings. For more information, please contact Chelsea Haddock: [haddock.chelsea@gmail.com](mailto:haddock.chelsea@gmail.com) or 801-680-1914.



**Thanks to Shannel Tingey & Andrea Blad for the Teacher Luncheon and to all who helped at back to school night and at the Hoedown!**



