January 2020

ROADRUNNER BEEPS

SCHOOL HOURS:

Mon-Thurs 8:40-3:20, Friday 8:40-1:30

AM Kindergarten Mon-Thurs 8:40-11:40 Friday 8:40-10:45

PM Kindergarten Mon-Thurs 12:20-3:20 Friday 11:25-1:30

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome to a New Year and a New Decade!! I've been reading more and more about predicted changes during the next decade: from self-driving cars flooding the market to blockchain technology completely changing economics, business, and the internet. It can feel exciting yet unsettling at the same time. What can we really put our trust in remaining constant amidst all the change?

Among other things, I continue to believe in the goodness of people and the resiliance of children. The genuine curiosity that our students bring to our classrooms makes me hopeful and excited about the future that they will help to create. They are preparing to lead confidently in an uncertain world, and I know they will succeed.

Happy New Year!

-Principal Seth Hansen

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

There is still some availability in the new session of After School Classes starting in January.

The list of After School classes is available here: https://rockcanyon.provo.edu/schoolinformation/before-after-school-program/

If your child is already enrolled in a class and would like to continue, there is no need to enroll again. You only need to register for new classes your child is not already attending.

Contact Angela Colton at angelac@provo.edu with questions.

CHESS CLUB

Chess Club will now meet on the second and fourth Wednesdays from 3:20-4:00 pm in the Kiva. We need parent volunteers! Please sign up on the google doc. If you have a child in Chess Club and did not receive the link, or if you have any questions, please contact Chelsea Haddock at 801-680-1914 or haddock.chelsea@gmail.com.

PARENTS AND PASTRIES

The Parents and Pastries school event is on Thursday, January 23, from 6:00 to 7:30pm. This activity is being given a makeover from years past. Instead of meeting in the library to read, we will be meeting in the school gym to listen to a storyteller from the Provo City Library. This is an open house event—you can come for the whole time or drop in for one story. Of course, we will still have pastries for all who come! Parents and kids, we hope you can join us.

MATURATION

Maturation will be held Wednesday, January 29, for all 5th and 6th grade students and their parents. Boys meet in the Kiva and Girls meet in the Faculty Lounge. The 5th Grade will meet at 1:00 pm and the 6th Grade at 2:15 pm. Permission slips will be sent home about one week prior to the presentation.

If parents are interested in previewing the district-produced PowerPoint that will be presented, please contact the school.

LIBRARY CORNER

This week we're hosting the aualifying Geography Bees for students in 4th-6th grades. Our final Geography Bee will be held January 14 at 8:45 in the kiva. See more about the Bee on our Instagram account @rcmediacenter.

And a reminder that overdue notices are sent via email at the end of the month. Please assist your child in locating and returning their books. Payments for lost or damaged books must be made before your child can check out new books. —Mrs.Meibos

Rock Canyon Elementary School **JANUARY 2020**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
] Christmas Break No School	2 Christmas Break No School	3 Christmas Break No School
6	7 Kindness Club	8	9 Jr. Hope Squad	10 Early Out
13	14 Geography Bee Leadership Team	15 Chess Club	16 Jr. Hope Squad Community Council	l 7 Early Out
20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day No School	21 Teacher PD Day No School	22 PTA Meeting 10 am in the faculty lounge. Children are welcome	23 Jr. Hope Squad Storyteller Night (Parents and Pastries)	24 Early Out 100th Day of School STEM Fair
27	28	29 Maturation, 5th Grade (1:00) and 6th Grade (2:15) Chess Club	30 Jr Hope Squad 5th Grade Wax Museum, Parent Night	31 Early Out 5th Grade Wax Museum



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