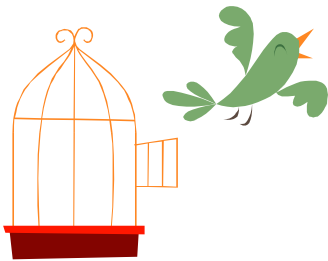


S.A.T. Testing Spring BBQ

May 2011



Oh, the places you'll go . . .

Congratulations! Today is your day. You're off to great places – you're off and away!

You have brains in your head.

You have feet in your shoes.

You can steer yourself any direction you choose.

You're on your own. And you know what you know.

And YOU are the guy who'll decide where to go.

And will you succeed? Yes! You will, indeed!

(98 and $\frac{3}{4}$ percent guaranteed.)

-Dr. Seuss

As this year ends, we know our students will go to great places – and how we'll miss them over the summer!

We look forward to seeing them back here in the Fall – again making Ivy Hall a great place.

Calendar:

May	4	Spring Program, 6:30 p.m. arrival @ Timpview High School
	11	Drama Club Assembly
	17-20	SAT Testing (1 st -8 th grades)
	23	Spring BBQ 5:00-7:00 p.m.
	24	Music Talent Assembly
	25	5K Run
	26	7-Peaks Day (Gr. 3-8) – Free dress
	27	Yearbook Signing Dismiss at 10:30 a.m. Progress Reports home Have a wonderful summer!
June	13-17	Science Camp

New Math Program

As our students have been progressing through the comprehensive and challenging Saxon Curriculum, it is vital that we maintain positive ability grouping. This ensures that each child works at the level that will appropriately challenge them, without creating holes in their learning.

Beginning Fall 2011, we will be implementing Saxon's newest editions of upper level mathematics curriculum. This new curriculum will affect 5th-8th grades. Each year, students will be placed in the proper class based on testing and teacher recommendation. Students will no longer be placed automatically by grade, rather by current ability level, in order to maximize their learning, strengthen their current level and build confidence.

This new curriculum will ensure continued excellence in math, as well as allowing students to transition (smoothly?) as they move through Ivy Hall and onto additional schooling.

The following is a list of each class, along with the teacher that will be teaching each course:

- Course 2: New 5th Grade Teacher
- Course 3: Mrs. Shumway
- Algebra 1 and 2: Mrs. Simpson

Science Camp: June 13-17

Camp Invention offers a complete week of Science Activities focusing on problem solving for students who will be in 1st-6th grades in the fall. This is an all-day hands-on program which is fun, as well as challenging, for children. The cost is \$215 and it's worth every penny. ALL children are welcome. We are the only host school in the Provo/Orem area. We need 35 students to hold the program and we currently need a few more to enroll. Mrs. Shumway is the Camp Director and this will be a highlight of the summer. Enroll today at: www.campinvention.org or call 800-968-4332.

See you there!

Are You Enrolled?

As this school year comes to an end, we remind you to enroll your students for the fall. Without a deposit, no student is guaranteed a spot. Classes are filling, so act now.

May Tuition

Please check with Mrs. Bingham before paying your May tuition. Your deposit for last fall is applied, in full, to your May tuition.

Accounts Current

In order to release grades, SAT results, and class photos, accounts must be current. If not, the mentioned items will be held until all fees have been paid. Please check that tuition fees, lunches and missing textbook fees are caught up prior to the last day of school.

Hybrid High School

After many requests, we are able to offer a hybrid high school experience. Instruction will be on-line using the PK-12 Keystone program. Students may be at individual levels and will have a Learning Coach to increase focus and help with questions and concerns. K-12 is accredited. Students will benefit from a small, safe environment which will include breaks, lunch and assemblies. Eschools allow flexibility but getting up, dressed, and having set hours makes all the difference!

Family Spring BBQ: Monday May 23rd

Come spend a family night together with all the Ivy Hall families. This BBQ gives students time to play together on the inflatables while parents have time to visit with other parents. It's a great night to come and socialize! Circle your calendar and join us. More information will follow.

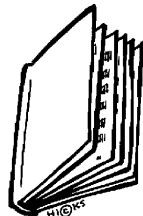
Used Uniform Sale

Send in the uniform items that your children have outgrown. Pin your name and the sale amount on each item. This is a great savings for the buyers and a useful way for the sellers to clean out their closets.

Items will be available the last week of school and all summer.

Yearbooks

Yearbooks will be handed out to students on the 27th. If your student is not here that day, please drop in and pick up your copy. Copies will not be sent out in the mail.



SAT Results

Students in Grades 1-8 will take the Stanford Achievement Test from May 17th to the 20th. Tests will be sent to the Psychological Corporation for grading. Results will be mailed out in July.

Thanks for the Memories

As we send out this last e-mail newsletter for the school year, let us thank you for the experiences we have shared with you and your children. Each child is a "real person" with individual needs, with a personality all their own, and inner sense of who they are – and who they can become. We hope that we have been a positive influence in the life of each child. We look forward to being a part of your lives again next year – and for many years to come.

