

May 29, 2018

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Around Willow Canyon

We have completed all of the SAGE testing and DIBELS benchmark testing for the year. We are proud of every student for the work they have completed during the school year and the great growth we are seeing. Thank you for your support at home, it makes a difference!

Our **Festival of the Arts Fundraiser** is this **Thursday, May 31st from 5:30 PM until 8:00 PM**. The theme this year is **Art Around the World**. **All proceeds will go toward a mobile chrome book lab**. The cost of the lab is \$6,408.70 so every little bit helps! We will be having an art auction with collaborative art pieces from each classroom based on a country of their choosing. The activities and different items for sale are listed below.

- A family pass for \$25 for unlimited games
- Desserts from around the world for \$2 each
- Shaved ice from Hokulia Ice \$3 each
- Face painting \$3 per person
- There will also be a donation box if you would like to make a donation

The auction will be done by grade level starting at approximately 7:10 PM. The spring choir performance will follow the auction at 7:30 PM.

PTA and SCC News

PTA newsletter

<https://willowcanyon.canyonsdistrict.org/index.php/pta>

Meeting dates for School Community Council (SCC) are below, all meeting are in the conference room.

- October 5th at 6:00 PM – the minutes are attached to the SCC page on our website.
- November 9th at 6:00 PM- the minutes are attached to the SCC page on our website.
- January 11th at 6:00 PM- this meeting has been canceled, we plan to meet on Feb. 8th
- February 8th at 6:00 PM – the minutes are attached to the SCC page on our website.
- March 15th at 4:00 PM – the minutes are attached to the SCC page on our website.
- April 12th at 6:00 PM – this is the last meeting for the year. We will reconvene in the fall and determine meeting dates for the 2018/19 school year. Thank you to our SCC for the great support!

Have a great week!

Marilyn Williams

Important Dates

Save the date!

- Our annual Festival of the Arts will be on Thursday, May 31st from 5:30 PM until 7:30 PM more information to come!

Please register to be a volunteer before helping with a field trip or in classrooms.

Volunteer link <https://foundation.canyonsdistrict.org/index.php/volunteer>

We have started SAGE testing. Helping your child get plenty of rest and eat breakfast is the best way to help your child. They have worked hard all year long, we just want them to feel confident and do their best on the tests. We will complete the SAGE testing this week.

- DIBELS reading and math testing has been completed.

Marathon May-Playworks Recess!

Parents, during the month of May, we are encouraging your children to get out and run/walk during their lunch recess. Those students who want to participate have formed teams of 4 students to run a Marathon. They have 22 school days in May to accomplish the Marathon as a team. During lunch recess participating students are encouraged to run/walk 3 laps around the playground track every school day. They can choose to run/walk as much or as little as they want each day, as long as the team totals about 240 laps by the end of May. Please have your students **wear good playground shoes** to school. This will help keep them safe, protect their feet and have them be successful in completing the Marathon. Each Team/Student who completes the Marathon by May 31 will receive a Blue Ribbon. We want to have a fun and healthy end of the school year!

Please see the following note from Mrs. Jolley, our Librarian.

Parents and Guardians,

All library books are due by Friday, May 25th. Any lost or damaged books need to be paid for before the end of the year. Library fines stay with your student from year to year, and school to school with the district. We want your kids to be able to check out books next year!!!

Mrs. Jolley

It's spirit week Tuesday, May 29th to June 1st, watch for more information!!

Wednesday, May 30 – Dress like your favorite super hero

Thursday, May 31 – Wear your pajamas day

Friday, June 1 – Patriotic day, wear red, white, and blue

Tuesday, May 29

- **Orchestra Concert 6:00 PM, not 6:30 PM, this is a change!**
- Mrs. Hardy Smith's class field trip to Buttercup Park

Wednesday, May 30

- Mrs. Jensen's third grade class field trip to Buttercup Park

Thursday, May 31

- Annual Festival of the Arts! Starts at 5:30 PM and goes until 7:30 PM. This is our annual fundraiser for the school. All proceeds go toward purchasing a chrome book lab for the school.

Friday, June 1

- Last full school day of attendance for kindergarten students. Students will have individual appointments to take the KEEP test with their teachers through the last week of school.
- Kindergarten Program, students should arrive at 11:15 AM. The program will start 11:30 AM. Kindergarten students will meet their teacher for next year after the program at 12:00 noon.
- Choir Assembly at 9:30 AM

Monday, June 4

- Mrs. Blanchat's class field trip to Buttercup Park
- Mrs. Winter's class field trip to Wildflower Park
- Miss Hunsaker's class field trip to McDonalds

Tuesday June 5

- Fifth Grade Graduation at 8:45 AM
- Miss Hunsaker's class graduation 10:30 AM
- First Grade walking field trip to the Sandy City Fire Station
- **Last day lunch money can be taken. Please make sure there isn't a balance owing on lunch accounts. Also, please pay for June 6th in advance.**

Wednesday, June 6

- PTA meeting in the conference room at 10:00 AM
- Last day lunch is served. Lunch money can't be turned in this day. **Any lunch money turned in after June 5th will have to be taken to Canyons District Office at 9361 South 300 East.** The phone number to the Nutrition Department is 801-826-5381.
- Mrs. Comer's class field trip to Wildflower Park
- Mrs. Pedersen's class class field trip to Buttercup Park
- First grade field day, games here at the school
- Willow Canyon's annual Meet Your Teacher for first grade through fourth grade at 2:35 PM. Students will meet next year's teacher! Parents are invited to attend.

Thursday, June 7

- Last day of school, the time is 8:15 AM until 12:20 PM. Neither breakfast nor lunch will be served.

Daily School Schedule

First grade through Fifth Grade Schedule:

- The first bell rings at 8:15 a.m. and the tardy bell rings at 8:20 a.m., school gets out at 2:55 p.m. Monday through Thursday.
- The schedule for Friday is from 8:20 a.m. until 1:15 p.m.
- **Supplemental Kindergarten** follows the school's schedule for first grade through fifth grade.

Kindergarten Schedule:

- The AM session is 8:20 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. Monday through Thursday. The schedule for Friday is 8:20 a.m. until 10:20 a.m.
- The PM session is 12:15 p.m. until 2:55 p.m. Monday through Thursday. The schedule for Friday is 11:15 a.m. until 1:15 p.m.