Dilworth News for the week of April 12, 2021

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Fri., April 30 . . . NO SCHOOL = non-student day

Principal's Message

I sure have enjoyed the good weather we have been having the past week. I hope you all have been as well. It seems that this year especially we all have an extra-large case of "Spring Fever" since last year was so hard on everyone. It is nice to relax and enjoy some time to recharge ourselves.

As spring weather is beginning, please continue to be mindful of our dress code. Crop tops showing midriffs, tank tops and halter tops are not allowed. Also, short shorts, running shorts, or miniskirts should be avoided (as a rule of measurement, short's hem should reach the fingertips when arms are held loosely at the side). No flip-flops or any shoe not safe for recess or PE. Thanks for your cooperation with this, parents!

HAPPENINGS AT SCHOOL

Wednesday, April 14—Ramadan Begins Thursday, April 15 - Earthquake Drill Friday, April 30 - NO SCHOOL - Non-Student Day Kind regards, Richard Squire, Principal Felicia Wood, Assistant Principal 801-481-4806

PTA NEWS

Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week - April 12-16

Please join us in celebrating our wonderful faculty and staff at Dilworth this upcoming week. We've included a list of ideas for how to celebrate them. Choose one or two (or several) ways to show your love. Many of them don't even cost a thing.

- * Draw a picture of your teacher and give it to them.
- * Send a video to your teacher telling what you've loved most about being in their class.
- * Bring them a gift card or send them an electronic gift card to a local shop or restaurant.
- * Make a card for them.
- * Bring them a copy of your favorite book
- * Bring them their favorite treat.
- * Bring them flowers.
- * Bring in needed classroom supplies.
- * Write your teacher a poem.

* Give a compliment to every staff member you walk by in the halls.

Join PTA Board

Are you interested on becoming more involved with the PTA? We are starting to plan for the next school year. Please let President Abbie Carter-Smith know if you are interested! There are positions on the PTA Board of Directors, as well as lots of fun jobs throughout the year. Dilworth is such an amazing school and community...a big part of what makes it so is parental/family support & involvement. Everyone is welcome and appreciated! Email ajbcartersmith@yahoo.com or call/text Abbie @ 801-232-3088 to get involved! Go Dragons!"

Yearbooks

Be sure to order a yearbook now because this is the last week to place an order! If you're wondering if you already ordered one earlier in the year, you did not! Ordering has only been open for a month and will be open until April 16th, so <u>everyone needs to go to</u>: yearbookcenter.com and enter Dilworth's Order Number: 11880. You'll need to add your student's full name and grade when checking out. Go online and ORDER BY APRIL 16th!!!"

LIBRARY NEWS

LEARNING in the LIBRARY with Mrs. Park ---- An Opportunity for All! Week of April 12th 2021 - This Month is:

- · Black Women's History Month
- · Keep America Beautiful Month
- · Mathematics Awareness Month
- · National Autism Awareness Month
- · National Garden Month
- · National Minority Health Month
- · National Pecan Month
- · National Safe Digging Month
- · Pets are Wonderful Month
- · School Library Month
- What a month to be learning something new!

Library Lessons This Week:

Second Grade will be with Mrs. Park in the Library this week. This week's Library lesson found on the student's Canvas-Dashboard will cover the following topics:

K-3rd - Poetry & Fake News

4th - Utah Animal Research and where to find "SAFE" pictures for your slideshow?

5th - State Research and Rough Draft Paragraphs for slides is due.

6th - Your topic for Research has been chosen! Use the time to GATHER Information on your topic and record info on your Graphic Organizer.

All 4th, 5th, and 6th students will be producing a Power Point with their research which will be due the end of April. Library Canvas lessons will continue the step-by-step research process with students.

Each time a new grade level comes to the Library, books are put out in a "Book Fair" likeness, for students to choose and check out books; however, if students want a specific title, please

- ·National Arab American Heritage Month
- · National Deaf History Month (March 13 to April 15)
- · National Humor Month

· Financial Literacy Month · Lawn and Garden Month

- National Month of Hope
- · National Poetry Month
- · National Soft Pretzel Month
- Stress Awareness Month
- · World Landscape Architecture Month

use Destiny Library inside your Canvas Library Page to put a Hold on the book. You will be notified when that book is available and out on the HOLD Cart.

Rachelle Park Library Tech Teacher Dilworth Elementary (801) 481 - 4806 ext. 109

COUNSELOR CORNER

Hi Dilworth families,

I hope you all are doing well. I wanted to let everyone know that in preparation for our sixthgrade students' transition to middle school, they will have the opportunity to work through the Botvin LifeSkills training program. Sixth graders will learn goal setting, decision making, friendship/relationship skills, emotion regulation and communication skills through the Botvin LifeSkills Training program. In addition to building pro-social skills, this program is a highly effective substance abuse and violence prevention program that has been proven to increase resistance to substances in multiple studies with evidence of longitudinal effects for up to 12 years after program completion. If you are interested in learning more about it, please reach out to me or go to https://www.lifeskillstraining.com

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Please remember that I am available to support you and your students as we continue the remainder of the school year. Everyone at Dilworth has experienced so many transitions this year and some of us have some big transitions on the horizon, so if this is something that you'd like support with, please don't hesitate to reach out to me! Take care,

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