



# AMERICAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

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*\* The asterisk throughout the newsletter indicates information that is new.*

## School Calendar – Salem Campus

May 27, 2021

Fri., May 28	Missing Work Deadline
Fri., May 28	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade End-of-Year Show What You Know, 6:00 pm
Mon., May 31	NO SCHOOL, Memorial Day
Tues., June 1	NOON DISMISSAL, Lunches Served to Elementary Only
Wed., June 2	NOON DISMISSAL, No Lunches Served
Wed., June 2	Field Day
Thurs., June 3	NOON DISMISSAL, No Lunches Served, Last Day of School

You will find all events, updates, and extracurricular activity schedules on our campus calendar at [www.salem.americanprep.org](http://www.salem.americanprep.org).

### \*May Builders Theme: I Am a Builder When I Respect My Body and Mind

It is an exciting time of the year when school is winding down and we are looking forward to a nice long break, followed by a brand-new school year. A break from school should not mean a break from learning. There are so many reasons that learning is a great pursuit, no matter what age we are.

Daily learners:

- Expand their perspectives. They can better understand things with which they have not had direct experience.
- Better handle any situation that may come their way.
- Become problem solvers.
- Improve their creativity.
- Increase their understanding of people, history, and the world around them.
- Deepen their character.
- Inspire others.
- Gain more confidence.

Please take advantage of your time away from school, whatever stage of life you are in, to learn of new things that interest you. Keep a journal of what you learn, bring it to school at the end of summer, and astound your teachers.

### Bus Request Form

Bus request forms are due May 31<sup>st</sup>. If your child needs bus services next school year, please ask the elementary or secondary secretary for a bus request form. Returning bus students will receive priority in offering spots on the bus.



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## **\*Ambassadors**

We wanted to thank you for all of the support that we have received for this school year. We cannot run our program without the support from our parent volunteers. We were able to pull off all of our events without modifying with the exception of the Capitol Trip. Our campus can brag that we were the only campus who started out this year with all of our events and were able to complete all of our events. Our students were eating it up all year long. The events gave them the opportunity to interact in a playful way and learn lessons. They wanted more, and we wanted to continue to give them more; so, we did. Our 9<sup>th</sup> graders had a winter dinner and dance. It was our first ever, and it was so much fun for the kids, staff, and parents. The highlight of everyone's year was the culminating balls. We held them at our Draper campuses as well as La Caille.

We are also looking forward to our upcoming school year. We will be starting the year off next year with an event the second week of school. It is our White Ribbon Week which is all about internet and social media safety. We will need helpers on Monday and Friday of that week. So, if you are one of those who plans ahead, please put that down on your calendar.

If you have any questions regarding our Ambassador program and service opportunities, please contact Mrs. Denning at [ldenning@apamail.org](mailto:ldenning@apamail.org).

## **Free Dress on Field Day**

Students that return or pay for all curriculum items/fees and nametags assigned to them will qualify for free dress day on field day.

## **\*What Your Grader Needs to Know Books**

If your child will not be returning to APA next year and you would like to donate your "What Your Grader Needs to Know" book, please send that to school with your student next week.

## **Lost and Found**

Our Lost and Found is located in front of the elementary office. Please encourage your students to check for lost items in this area. All items will be donated or discarded on the last day of the school year, June 3, 2021.

## **2021-2022 School Year Fee Schedule**

The APA Governing Board has approved the Fee Schedule for the 2021-2022 School Year.

Please take some time to review the fee schedule. You can find the approved fees specific to your school on the Fee Schedule at:

<https://salem.americanprep.org/school-fees/>

Printed versions of the fee schedule and spend plans will be available upon request.



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## **\*3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Fun Run**

On behalf of APA and American Preparatory Education Foundation, thank you for making our Fun Run a great success. Between our race participants, sponsors, pledges, and silent auction, we raised more than \$34,000! Wow! Thank you for supporting our schools, our Foundation, and the Hardship Fund.

Thank you, also, to our incredible sponsors and silent auction donors: Western OB/GYN Clinic, Kevin Tschetter, Homes by Prakash (Equity Real Estate), Lance Paulson Insurance Agency, MotoXperts, Tammi Leppla with Matilda Jane Clothing, Karl Malone Toyota, Chelsey Reynolds Photography, Swan Smiles and Orthodontics, Prescott Services LLC, Ken Garff Volkswagen of Orem, Cupbop, Clark Giving Fund, FM100.3, Big Rock Engraving, Canyon Sports and Spine Medicine, Fabric Mill, Eterra, Gamer Planet, Lindsey Harman, Jet Blue, Longhorn Steakhouse, Michelle Goudge with Mary Kay, Quick Quack Car Wash, University of Utah, Utah Valley University, Brigham Young University, and Woody's Diner.

Again, thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising efforts! We are so grateful for you!

## **Summer Meals**

Did you know there are free activities and meals available in your community for your kids and teens this summer? Follow this link to find a site near you: <https://www.fns.usda.gov/meals4kids>

## **\*Teachers for Next Year**

As we are getting closer to the end of the school year, many of you are asking about requesting teachers for next year. Please understand that no matter who your child's homeroom teacher will be, your child will have many different teachers for different subjects and will have the opportunity to learn from the very excellent programs we offer at American Preparatory Academy. As we create new class lists for this upcoming school year, it is important to us that we consider each child individually and give them the best placement possible. We love your students and we desire success and happiness for each one of them. We will go over the class lists with a "fine-tooth comb," making sure that each student is in the best place possible for him/her. Thank you for your support!