

Stargazer News

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Middle School ELP Parent Meeting – October 24th at 6pm at the Salt Lake City District Office. Come learn about neighborhood and magnet ELP programs for the 2017-18 school year at all district middle schools.

Everyone is invited to the Halloween Parade Friday, October 27 at 9am.

Children are encouraged to wear a costume.
No weapons are allowed (real or fake).
No masks.



Picture retakes Wednesday 11/01

Students who need to have their picture retaken may choose not to wear uniform. District dress code is mandatory.

Science Fair Information! It may feel early, but it is time for fourth, fifth and sixth graders to get started on a Science Fair project. Here are some important rules and regulations you should be aware of before pulling out the goggles and lab coats. First, before experimenting, **you MUST complete a registration form and get prior approval.** These forms are from the University of Utah Science and Engineering Fair (USEF), but are required to participate at the school and district level. You can research, outline your procedure and even gather materials, but you cannot begin the experiment until it is approved. This is for the safety of the child and anyone helping them with their project. Here is a list of other critical items required participation in the Science:



- Mold, bacteria and other pathogens cannot be grown at home! Arrangements can be made to go to West High, so please contact Mrs. Lane if your child is interested in these topics.
- A Science Fair Notebook is REQUIRED! The new rules for USEF request that it be in a composition notebook (pages cannot easily tear out) and that students write in PEN. It is helpful to judges if students number their pages with a detailed table of contents on the first two pages.
- Research is also a requirement. The district usually recommends that students read from at least 5 different sources (books, articles from the web or magazines, encyclopedia, etc.). Students must site their sources in a bibliography format.
- Projects cannot be demonstrations (for example a volcano).
- Registration forms are due by November 21st and students should consider having their experiment complete and data collected by December 22nd. When they return from winter break, they would complete data analysis and prepare their display boards. Students should be ready to present by the week of January 22nd.

If you have questions or would like the registration forms, please contact Mrs. Lane at kim.lane@slcschools.org.

No district employee or student shall be subjected to discrimination in employment or any district program or activity on the basis of age, color, disability, gender, gender identity, genetic information, national origin, pregnancy, race, religion, sexual orientation, or veteran status. The district is committed to providing equal access and equal opportunity in its programs, services and employment including its policies, complaint processes, program accessibility, district facility use, accommodations and other Equal Employment Opportunity matters. The district also provides equal access to district facilities for all youth groups listed in Title 36 of the United States Code, including scouting groups. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries and complaints regarding unlawful discrimination, harassment, and retaliation: Whitney Banks, Compliance and Investigations, 440 East 100 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, (801) 578-8388. You may also contact the Office for Civil Rights, Denver, CO, (303) 844-5695.

10/24/2017 Upcoming Events



Tuesday 10/24 – Thursday 10/26 is Red Ribbon Week! Red Ribbons will be handed out on Tuesday. Wear your red shirts on Wednesday!

Friday 10/27, Halloween Parade at 9:00am

Wednesday 11/01, Picture Retakes

Friday 11/03, Flu Shot Clinic at 10am –
Permission Slips are in the office!

Monday 11/13, District Food Bank

Friday 11/17, End of Trimester

Tuesday 11/21, Science Fair Registration
Forms are due!

Wednesday 11/22, Non Student Day

Thursday 11/23-11/24, Thanksgiving Break

Monday 11/27, Report Cards go home

Monday 12/11, District Food Bank

12/25 – 01/05, Winter Recess

Monday 01/08, District Food Bank

Monday 01/15, MLK Day, No School

Tuesday 01/16, DIBELS Testing

Thursday 01/25, Early Dismissal – 12:30pm

Friday 01/26, Non Student Day

Monday 02/12, District Food Bank

Friday 02/16, Non Student Day

Monday 02/19, Presidents Day, No School



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