

American Heritage

South Jordan

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Drop Off & Pick Up

We are seeing a lot of mistakes being made in our parking lot during drop off and pick up times. Please follow these guidelines:

- All cars that enter the parking lot during pick up and drop off times should follow the flow that was outlined in the instructions we included in your Back to School packet.
- Cars should move along the west side of the building and west along the sidewalk toward the playground.
- **Students are NOT to be dropped off or picked up on the south side of the building or while rounding the corner to the west side of the building.**
- **ALL parents and students must use the painted crosswalks.**
- **PLEASE wait to cross the crosswalk until teachers on duty have given a signal.**
- **Cell phones are not allowed in the parking lot during drop off and pick up times. PLEASE stay off the phone and help keep our students and staff safe.**
- **IF YOU NEED TO HELP A STUDENT OUT OF THE CAR, YOU MUST PARK.**

New Playground Equipment

Our new playground equipment has arrived! We need help with the installation. If you are experience in construction, concrete, or equipment installation, we could use you! Please let Mr. or Mrs. Yorgason know if you can help!



Upcoming Events

September 4

No School, Teacher Prep Day

September 7

No School, Labor Day

September 11

Welcome Back Activity, 6:30-8:30 pm, Grades 6-12

Lunch Trucks

We are so grateful for the yummy food trucks that come each week. Please help us support them!

- **Tuesdays: Papa Doug's Dogs**
(Kid's meal \$3.50, Regular Meal \$5.00)
- **Thursdays: CupBop**
(\$8.50 average)
- **Fridays: Chedda Burgers & Fries**
(Kid's meal \$6.50, Adult meal \$8.50 average)

Heritage Houses & Quidditch Club

We have created two teams: GryffinPuff and SlytherClaw. The teams will have practices and games on Mondays. The jerseys have been ordered and players will be able to wear their jerseys on game days (Mondays) and Fridays!

Also, our houses are well on their way to earning points! Check the glass jars in the office to watch our progress.

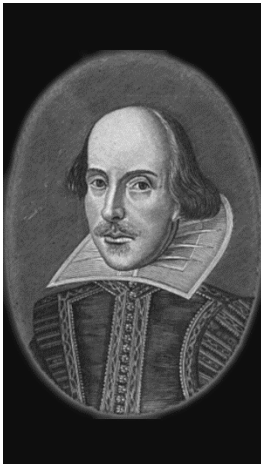


Heritage House Advisors

Mrs. Jones (Hufflepuff Advisor), Mrs. Newbold (Gryffindor Advisor), Ms. Beech, (Ravenclaw Advisor), Mr. White (Slytherin Advisor)

Theater Department

The theater department is very excited to be studying the acting techniques of Constantin Stanivlosky and works from William Shakespeare.



Picture Day

Picture Day is coming soon! Mark your calendar for Monday, September 28th. Students will need to be in Full-dress uniform. (This applies to students in grades 2 through 12 who are required to wear the white button-down shirt and tie.)

Packets will be coming home soon so watch your student's backpack so you don't miss the order forms.

Dance Department

Our dance classes are busy preparing for our upcoming Thriller performance. Mark your calendars and don't miss this annual tradition!!

October 30th at 1:00 PM.

Student Ambassadors

Remember Student Ambassador Applications are due Thursday, September 3rd. They can be turned up until 4:00 PM in the office.

National Honor Society & National Junior Honor Society

National Honor Society and National Junior Honor Society applications will be available on Tuesday, September 8th. If you would like to serve this year as an officer in one of these organizations, this is your chance!

Who You Gonna Call? GHOSTBUSTERS

This week we have the Retired Ghostbusters Spirit Sticks on sale



starting Tuesday (normally we start the new ones on Fridays). They're \$1 each and available in the office.

All of our Spirit Sticks are only available for a limited time, however, retired Spirit Sticks are SOLD OUT through the company and once ours are gone, they're

gone for good. Don't miss out on these collectibles!!!



Music Department

If you have not set up a Smart Music account for your band or orchestra student, they your student is falling behind! If you have set one up, make sure that your students are aware of it, and please give them access to the username and password you created for them. Please email Mr. Mickelsen if you need assistance at smickelsen@ahsjschool.org.

It's A Girl!!!

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Mickelsen (our music teachers)!!! Their baby girl, Annie, arrived Monday evening. Mrs. Mickelsen and Annie are doing well and we can't wait to see them both!

Celtic Day in 2nd Grade – SUCCESS!

Thank you to all of our parents who helped with Celtic Day! It was a huge success and the children had a great time!



Celtic Day - Mrs. Luck & Mrs. Wasden

Physical Education Department

The Fit for Life and Upper PE classes have started their project for the year! The goal of the project is to have students lead class for a day and introduce new and fun ways to get in everyday physical exercising. Preston Stepp did a great job with his Wubble Ball activity! Thanks for a fun class Preston!! We can't wait to see what the rest of the students come up with!

Art Department

Our art students have started research, concept and production of their individualized scrap/memory/life books. The books will be individualized and will show the character and personality of the students.



Science Department

- Earth science is studying our planet's shape, the layers of the earth, and what they are made of.
- Physical science is studying motion, speed, velocity, and acceleration.
- Fun with science started off with a potato launcher in the park, as we learned about combustion, gas expansion, and air pressure! Next, we will learn about conduction and convection.

ACT Tests

High school students should be registering to take the ACT test. You can apply online at <http://www.actstudent.org/> and track your progress at this site, as well. The dates for the test this year are:

- September 12
- October 24
- December 12
- February 6
- April 9
- June 11

International Trip, Spring of 2017

- Germany: Munich, Frankfurt, and Heidelberg
- Switzerland: Lucerne
- Italy: Venice
- France: Paris and Versailles

For information, visit www.eftours.com and our tour number is 1643524XZ. Sign up early for the best pricing!!!



Parent Web

Do you know that you can check your student's grades, missing assignments, upcoming assignments, and attendance just by logging into our Parent Web? This is a great way to make sure that your student is on task and keeping up.

Students in college classes will need to log into Canvas through Snow College to check grades, missing assignments, and upcoming assignments. This includes Mrs. Yorgason's Intro to Business class.

Business Department

Our students in Intro to Business 1010 have been assigned a Professional Spotlight. The students must interview a business owner and share the company's story. The students must complete a paper and Power Point presentation on their spotlight. If you or someone you know owns a business and are willing to share your story, please let us know:

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