

Dry Creek Elementary Panther Express

This Week @ DC - Mar. 12 - Mar. 16, 2018



COOK'S CORNER

This Friday, our 6th grade students and teachers visited Alta Sierra for our annual tour and rally. Students were given an opportunity to see for themselves what it is like to be on a Jr. High campus. Our Panthers now have a better understanding of what elective courses are available and how much fun Jr. High can be. Although we will be sad to see them leave on a new journey to Jr. High in June, we'll keep on reminding them they have 12 weeks of 6th grade remaining here at Dry Creek! If you are a 6th grade parent, don't forget to head over to the ASI gym on Tuesday @ 5:30 PM in the gym for their elementary parent night.

This past Wednesday we welcomed many new Kindergarten parents to Dry Creek as they registered our newest Panthers for school. I recognized many current parents in the line, but I was excited to welcome many new families to our amazing Dry Creek community!

Have you bought your ticket for April 20th's Evening For Education? Our Parent Club has continued to make this event better each and every. Plan on coming this year—I know you won't regret it!

Thank you for your continued support of Dry Creek!

Mr. Cook

- 3/19 DC @ Woods (make-up game)
- 3/20 6th Graders to Sonora
- 3/26-4/2 NO SCHOOL/SPRING BREAK
- 4/3 Kindergarten Awards
- 4/6 Garfield @ DC
- 4/9 Upper Grade Awards
- 4/10 PTC Meeting
- 4/12 District Championship Games
- 4/13 Cross Area Games
Kindergarten to CSUF Farm
- 4/16-20 Book Fair
- 4/17 Open House
- 4/20 Evening for Education
- 4/27 Dual Track Meet @ DC
- 5/1 Kindergarten Awards
- 5/4 Muffins with Mom
Area Participation Track Meet
- 5/8 PTC Meeting
- 5/10 Arts in the Park

MONDAY, 3/12	TUESDAY, 3/13	WEDNESDAY, 3/14	THURSDAY, 3/15	FRIDAY, 3/16
<p>Club Picture Day 11:30</p>  <p>Sports Practice 3:15-4:20</p> 	 <p>Kindergarten Awards 11:45 Blacktop</p> <p>4th Graders Fieldtrip to Scout Island 8:30-2:30</p>  <p>Make-up Game DC @ Century B & C Teams 2:00 A Baseball 2:45 A Softball 2:45 A Volleyball 3:00</p> <p>PTC Meeting 7:00 LMC</p> <p>6th Gr. Parent Night @ ASI 5:30 PM in Gym</p>	 <p>Character Counts Day</p> <p>Early Release AM K 8:15-10:55 PM K 11:05-1:45 Gr. 1-6 8:25-1:45</p>  <p>1.45 010 imir R</p>	<p>6th Grade ASI Registration 8:30</p>  <p>Sports Practice Track Practice 3:15-4:20</p>	 <p>DC @ Cole B & C Teams 2:00 A Baseball 2:45 A Softball 2:45 A Volleyball 3:00</p>  <p>Father/Daughter Dance 6:30-8:00 MPR</p>
Beef Taquitos Soft Pretzel	Chicken Alfredo Chicken Tenders	Beef/Bean Burrito Chicken Patty Sandwich	Deli Sandwich Corn Dog	Cheeseburger Cheese-filled Breadsticks

2017-18 YEARBOOK ORDER

It's time to order the 2017-18 DC yearbook. Go to www.community.pictavo.com and follow the instructions to place your order. Yearbooks will be available online only through April 6th. Yearbooks will not be sold at Dry Creek. The cost is \$25.00. So don't miss out and preorder yours ONLINE today.

ATTENTION 6TH GRADE PARENTS

If you have not done so already, please turn in your student's Meds at School form & all medications for the upcoming Sonora trip. The form and all meds were due last Friday, March 9th. Please call the Health Office @ 327-6577 with any questions.

NEED TO REPORT AN ABSENCE

Did you know you can report an absence any time of day or night? The information comes straight to our attendance desk. Go to the Dry Creek website at

<http://drycreek.cusd.com/>

Go to Parents/Report an Absence

SPRING PICTURES

Please return payment and/or Spring Pictures by Thursday, March 16th.



EVENING FOR EDUCATION

"Evening for Education"

PTC's Adult Fundraiser

Friday April 20th

Wolf Lakes Park

6-11 pm

\$45 per person or \$360 per table of eight.

Purchase tickets online until April 5th at

<https://squareup.com/store/DCSPA>

Contact Lindsay @ 800-0525 or

SPORTS AND RECREATION

Spring Girls Softball League

Girls 4yrs. thru 14 yrs.

Where: All practice/games played at Clovis Schools

Cost: \$160.00 per player

When: Practice begins week of March 12th, 2018

Games begin week of April 2nd, 2018

Divisions: 6U (Mon. & Sat.) 8U (Tues. & Sat.)

10U (Wed. & Sat.) 2U (Thur. & Sat.)

14U (Mon. & Sat.)

Spring Boy's Baseball League

Boys 4 yrs. thru 8 yrs.

Where: All practice/games played at Clovis Schools

Cost: \$160.00 per player

When: Practice begins week of March 12th, 2018

Games begin week of April 2nd, 2018

Divisions: 5U (Mon. & Sat.) 6U (Tues. & Sat.)

7U (Wed. & Sat.) 8U (Thurs. & Sat.)

2018 Spring T-Ball League

Boys & Girls 3 to 6 yrs.

When: Week of April 9th, 2018

Option 1

Option 2

Cost \$75.00

Cost \$95.00

(\$95.00 after March 31st) (\$115.00 after March 31st.)

Jefferson Elem.

Dry Creek Elem.

Tues. or Thurs.

Mon., Tues., Wed., OR Thurs.

OR

All games are on 6 Saturdays

Maple Creek Elem.

following practice night

Mon. or Wed.

between 8:00am & 12:00pm

Clovis Rugby Camp

Boys & Girls 6-12 yrs.

Where: Maple Creek Elementary

Cost: \$95.00

When: Rookie Division

Minors Division

6-9 yrs.

10-12 yrs.

Tues. 6pm to 7pm

Thurs. 6pm-7pm

& Sat. 8am-9am

& Sat. 9:15am-10:15am

Register and pay online at www.clovisrec.com. Find under Spring Sports. If you have any further questions please call 327-9225.

NO STUDENTS ON CAMPUS BEFORE 8:00

More and more students are being dropped off in the morning before 8:00. For their safety, please do not bring your children to school before 8:00 in the morning. There is no adult supervision until that time. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!

IMPORTANT ATTENDANCE INFORMATION

Many assume that schools receive state funding for "sick" days rather than "vacation" days. In reality our school receives state funding ONLY when students are in their seats during a school day or an Independent Study Contract is completed and turned in. Student(s) must miss at least five, not more than 10 days of school before an Independent Study Contract can be completed. If you must take your student(s) out of school for vacation, at least one week prior to leaving, you can request an Independent Study contract. The completed packet must be turned in the day your child returns to school to receive full credit. For optimal learning please plan vacations during regular school vacation time.