

Dry Creek Elementary Panther Express

This Week @ DC – Mar. 5 - Mar. 9, 2018



COOK'S CORNER

This Wednesday is Kindergarten registration across the district! We are excited to welcome our newest Panthers to Dry Creek and many new families to our community. Once again, if you know if a family in your neighborhood that has a child that is ready for school, encourage them to stop by the school to pick up a registration packet and return it this Wednesday anytime between 8:00 and 11:00 AM in the Old MPR.

In addition to Kindergarten registration, Dry Creek 6th graders are in the process of working with Alta Sierra to register and select elective courses for the 18-19 school year! ASI counselors will be on site this week to go over their online registration information and process with students. Sixth grade parents are invited to attend one of two parent nights (5:30 PM—March 13th @ ASI Gym or 5:30 PM—March 15th @ Tarpey MPR).

Most importantly, parents received an email this week inviting you to participate in the SART Survey. This survey provides the district and our school feedback on how we are serving our community and students. The constructive information we receive is vital in determining how and where we allocate our resources. I highly encourage you to complete the survey and let us know how we are doing. As always, if there is a pressing matter that needs to be address at any point in the school year, please do not hesitate to reach out to me for an immediate response and collaborative resolution.

Have a great week and GO PANTHERS!

Mr. Cook

- 3/12 Club Picture Day
- 3/13 Kindergarten Awards
4th Grade to Scout Island
PTC Meeting
- 3/16 DC @ Cole
Father/Daughter Dance
- 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

MONDAY, 3/5	TUESDAY, 3/6	WEDNESDAY, 3/7	THURSDAY, 3/8	FRIDAY, 3/9
<p>Primary Awards</p> <p>1st 8:40 2nd 9:10 3rd 9:40</p> <p>Sports Practice 3:15-4:20</p> <p>PTC Chipotle Fundraiser For Fuge Family 4-8 PM</p>	<p>Sports Practice 3:15-4:20</p> <p>Pre-Season Track Tues. & Thurs. only 3:15-4:20</p>	<p>Registration 8:00-11:00 am Old MPR</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 Old MPR</p>	<p>History Day Students Meet 12:30-1:35 LMC Lab</p> <p>Sports Practice Track Practice 3:15-4:20</p>	<p>6th Graders to ASI Recruitment Rally 8:45-12:30</p> <p>Tarpey @ DC B & C Teams 2:00 A Baseball 2:45 A Softball 2:45 A Volleyball 3:00</p> <p>Saturday 3/10 Chess Tournament Farmersville</p>
<p>French Toast Sticks Sausage Breakfast Pizza</p>	<p>Orange Chicken Rice Bowl Corn Dog</p>	<p>Pepperoni Calzonettes Chicken Patty Sandwich</p>	<p>Turkey Gravy Crispy Chicken Drumstick</p>	<p>Chicken Tenders Bean/Cheese Burrito</p>

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.

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

SPORTS AND RECREATION

Spring Girls Softball League

Girls 4yrs. thru 14 yrs.

Where: All practice/games played at Clovis Schools

Cost: \$140.00 per player(\$160.00 after February 10, 2018)

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: \$140.00 per player(\$160.00 after February 10, 2018)

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: \$75.00 (\$95.00 after March 3, 2018)

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.

2018-19 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

It's time to register for the 2018-19 Kindergarten class.

Wed., March 7th between 8:00-11:00 am

Please bring originals and copies of the following documents

Child's Birth Certificate

Current/up-to-date immunizations record

Proof of Residency (PG&E Bill or rental agreement)

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 are due no later than Friday, March 9th. Please call the Health Office @ 327-6577 with any questions.

FATHER DAUGHTER DANCE

Dry Creek Dad's, get your dancing shoes ready & get your tickets today for the

Dry Creek annual Father/Daughter Dance

The theme this year is 1950's Sock Hop



Friday, March 16th at 6:30

Photos by Larson Bros. for \$5 at 6:00

Purchase tickets for \$12 per family online at

[HTTPS://PERMISSION.CLICK/1156](https://permission.click/1156)

Call Lindsay with questions @ 800-0525

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.