

CRA & PTO Newsletter, 9-28-2020

****Calendar change for October 14th****

We have made one more change to our school calendar. Wednesday, October 14th was originally an early dismissal day. Now October 14th is a teacher workday with no students in attendance.

Monday, October 12th will be an "A" group hybrid schedule day and

Tuesday, October 13th will be a "B" group hybrid day.

Both days will dismiss at 3:15 as usual.

Hybrid Schedule

I want to thank everyone as we have completed our first week of the hybrid schedule. Teachers are putting in lots of time and energy to make this work. Parents are also putting in time and effort in order to understand the technology and the lessons. Students are being patient in adjusting to the new schedule and being in school that looks a little different than the usual year.

Remember this is a work in progress and we are refining our system. If you have questions or suggestions in your correspondence with teachers remember that a calm approach is productive and appreciated.

Kent Fuller, Principal

Hello Everyone,

We sent this information out earlier in an email, but wish to send it again.

We need to inform you that we have had our first positive cases of Covid-19 at school. We found out that two students, who are also siblings, tested positive for Covid-19 late Sunday.

These cases originated outside of school. These students were asymptomatic when attending school last week, and are now isolating at home per health department guidelines.

There was one case in 1st grade and one case in 4th grade. Parents in those classes have been notified and there are a few students in each of those classes that will have to quarantine outside of school for 14 days for possible exposure. I have also contacted the parents of those that need to be quarantined. Those classrooms were cleaned and sanitized a couple of times before the start of school today.

I know how quickly information can spread and want to remind you that information such as names of those being quarantined or isolated due to Covid-19 is protected and should not be discussed or speculated about. Thank you for respecting their privacy.

Sincerely,

Kent Fuller, Principal

Canyon Rim Academy

LOTTERY OPEN HOUSE

Don't forget to invite your family and friends to our annual Lottery Open House on Thursday, Oct. 8, 4:00-7:00 p.m. This is the first opportunity to fill out an application for enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year. Social distancing protocols will be in place so visitors can feel comfortable coming in for a tour and to meet out Board & Administration.

SERVE ON THE BOARD!

In the spring our parent election was interrupted by the Covid-19 pandemic. We are now collecting applications to fill our parent elected position to serve on the Board of Trustees for this school year.

If you are interested in volunteering, please click on the link below and submit your application or send the link to someone you think should apply. The elected individual will begin their service immediately following the election through the end of this school year. Applications will be accepted until Thursday, September 24th, 2020.

Link to Application: <https://forms.gle/f8nmFFrskH8JpCRS9>

CRA Website and Aspire

Some parents have recently expressed frustration that they can't get into the Aspire program or the class websites from the CRA website. Because these things are working for most and not for some, we believe the trouble may be originating with certain browsers. So if you're having trouble, please try using another browser. Aspire is not opening up well on cell phone browsers currently.

If you're not familiar with the Aspire program, watch for an email this week that will explain the program.

CALENDAR

Thursday, Oct. 8:	Lottery Open House, 4-7 p.m.
Monday, Oct. 12:	'A' Hybrid Day
Tuesday, Oct. 13:	'B' Hybrid Day
Wednesday, Oct. 14:	NO SCHOOL, Teacher Planning Day
Thurs&Fri, Oct. 15&16:	NO SCHOOL, Fall Break

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As a PTO we want to express our gratitude for the teachers and staff at CRA. We know that things are challenging and we appreciate all that you are doing to make our kids feel confident and loved during this time. We also want to remind everyone that now more than ever kindness and understanding is so appreciated. We are all learning and trying to navigate the challenges that come with distance learning and the hybrid learning. Please be patient with each other and the teachers and staff. Together we can make this work!

Room Parents:

If you signed up to be a room parent, you should have received a recorded message from the PTO. If you have not had a chance to watch this, please do. If you are a room parent and did not receive an email with the recorded message, please email us.

Purchased Items:

IF you still have items that were purchased from back to school night, they are still inside the front entrance of the school in black bins on the benches under the bulletin board. They are in alphabetical order to make pick up easy. If you would still like to purchase a Wasatch Savings Book or an extra CRA mask, you can do so through the AtoZ app.

The AtoZ app is now accessible on the CRA website in the Quicklinks section!

Thank you to everyone for helping to make this year successful. We appreciate all that you do!

Canyon Rim PTO

