# CRA NEWSLETTER, 1-23-2017

#### Message from the Principal

I hope that all of you were able to read my email from last Friday. My eventual departure does not come without much consideration, thought and concern.

Again, I want you to please know how sincerely honored I am to have been a part of your lives and a part of your children's education for this 2016-2017 school year.

It has been such an incredible joy to work with the bright and talented student of CRA! Behind these wonderful kids are amazing parents that play such a significant role in our children's success, growth, development and happiness.

Please know that I am available for questions and concerns from parents, and am committed to continue to lead this school for the duration of my tenure, and to be a resource for each and every stakeholder, with a focus on every single child's success.

Best wishes as we move into a beautiful, although wintry month of February.

Sincerely, Tiernan Dunmeyer

### **SAGE Testing in the Spring**

Parents, SAGE testing is scheduled for the last two weeks in April and the first three weeks in May. SAGE testing involves 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade students. We ask that parents plan accordingly and make sure that travel plans and appointments are planned around this time. Each class will have its' own schedule of testing times, and teachers will let you know as soon as those schedules are in place. Our students do better on the tests when they take the test with their class rather than taking a make-up test on their own, so we encourage attendance each day during testing.

## **Books & Breakfast**

3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Graders...Books & Breakfast for next month will be held on Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 8:00-8:30 a.m. in the multipurpose room. Sign up starts on Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup> outside the library.

#### **Smiths Community Rewards**

Last week in the newsletter we mentioned that you need to sign up/re-enroll every year in order to participate in the Smiths Community Rewards program. I received communication from Smiths over the weekend that stated a change in the way they handle this program. Good news...There is no need to re-enroll each year. At the present time, all organizations and their participants are rolled over at the start of each year. So if you've already signed up, you are participating in donating to our school. Thank you!

If you haven't done so, please enroll in the program by going to <a href="https://www.smithscommunityrewards.com">www.smithscommunityrewards.com</a>. If you shop at Smiths, it's an easy way to add donations to our school without even having to put in any effort. :)

## CANYON PREP ACADEMY PRESCHOOL

Preschool Registration is this Friday! If you have a 4 year old next fall and would like a fabulous preschool for him/her to attend, Canyon Prep Preschool's Registration Open House is this week, Friday, January 27, 2017 in Room 3 at Canyon Rim Academy. Registration begins at 8:15 a.m. and will end at 10:00 a.m. (Acceptance into the preschool program is on a first come, first served basis, and is not a part of the regular CRA lottery process.) There is a registration fee of \$35.00. CPA Preschool is a 4 day preschool program that meets Monday-Thursday, 8:30-11:15 a.m. Tuition is \$225.00 per month.