

CRA NEWSLETTER, 1-30-2017

Air Quality Check

One more reminder about the air quality checks at CRA...we check air quality levels daily through the Utah Department of Environmental Quality website. There are two ways they report air quality to the public: 1) by the Particulate Matter levels in the air and 2) by giving the day a color assignment to indicate the level of safety. The following is an index showing the levels that are used to determine air safety. This is taken directly from the Utah Department of Environmental Quality website.

Air Quality Index (AQI)	PM 2.5	Ozone
Good	0 - 12.0 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	0 - 0.054 ppm
Moderate	12.1 - 35.4 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	0.055 - 0.070 ppm
Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups	35.5 - 55.4 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	0.071 - 0.085 ppm
Unhealthy	55.5 - 150.4 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	0.086 - 0.105 ppm
Very Unhealthy	150.5 - 250.4 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	0.106 - 0.200 ppm
Hazardous	Above 250.5 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Above 0.201 ppm

Based on a 24-hour average. Based on an 8-hour average.

Be assured that we will keep students in from recess based on this index. Today has been an Orange Day with a Particulate Matter currently at 46.9. (That number typically fluctuates throughout the day.) Students with asthma or breathing issues have stayed in from recess today. All students will be kept in from recess when air quality is in the Red range or above.

We also find that because we are located closer to the mountains, our air quality here may not always be as severe as the other areas of Salt Lake County. We may also use other monitoring systems to get the best and most current information possible.

Bank Day

Washington Federal will be here on Wednesday, February 1st this week for Bank Day. Students may bring money to deposit or open up a new account during the lunch hour with the representative from Washington Federal.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent Teacher Conferences are coming up on February 22 & 23. Be watching for an email coming later this week about scheduling Parent Teachers Conferences through the online PTC Scheduler.

Lost & Found

Please check out the Lost and Found this week. There are many items that have lost their owners, and we'd love for them to be reunited! At the end of this week, any items left in the collection will be donated to charity.

CALENDAR

- Thursday, February 2: 5th & 6th Grade Maturation Program, 2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
2nd Grade Immigration Day & Evening Program, 5:00 p.m.
- Friday, February 3: Books & Breakfast for 3rd & 4th Grade, 8:00-8:30 a.m.
Perspectives Art Entries Due before school begins
PTO SCIENCE NIGHT, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, February 14: Valentine's Day – Classroom Parties
- Thursday, February 16: 3:15 Dismissal, Term 2 Ends
- Friday, February 17: NO SCHOOL for students, Teacher Work Day
- Monday, February 20: NO SCHOOL – Washington/Lincoln Day
- February 21-24: Early Dismissal all week at 1:15 p.m.
- Wed., February 22: Parent Teacher Conferences, 2:00 – 7:20 p.m.
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