

PTO Newsletter, 3-8-2019

We are happy to announce this year's Falcon Legacy Award Winner!

Annie Westenskow's piece titled, *United*, received the most votes from our CRA faculty and staff.

It's a very thoughtful and inspiring piece (see attached image) which demonstrates well the values and mission of CRA. We value learning, respect, safety, love, peace, and joy, and our mission is to cultivate an environment centered on maximum potential for each student.

Annie's artist statement says,

"I want my artwork to show that hope for our world to become more united. Everyone of every race, belief, and religion should be friends and work together in harmony and peace."

Annie's work will be displayed at the school for another week, after which it will be purchased by the school, framed, and permanently installed. Mr Fuller is working to create an art space where the winning pieces will be displayed.

Congrats Annie!!

And thank you again to everyone who participated in this year's Perspectives Contest. The art projects were amazing!

Our local artists who judged the entries were very impressed with your creativity and skill. Please note that when works were returned to students, judging feedback was attached to each piece. Our judges are all well-known Salt Lake artists, who have been so generous with their time to support our art contest. Take a moment to read what they said and consider how you can continue to develop your art talent!

Thank you!

Catherine Arveseth and Saydi Shumway

Teacher Appreciation Week

A special thank you to Camille Farnsworth for all of her hard work organizing Teacher Appreciation Week. We are so lucky to have such wonderful teachers at CRA! We hope our teachers felt appreciated and loved this week. As a PTO we want our teachers to know how much we appreciate all of you!!

Girls On The Run

Calling all 3rd-6th grade girls! It's that time of year again for Girls On The Run to begin! CRA's official start date for Girls On The Run will be Friday, March 15th right after school 1:30-3:30. We will continue every Friday that we have school until May 31st and then the official 5K race day is on June 1st at Sugar House Park!

I hear from a lot of parents that say "I want my daughter to do GOTR, but she's scared of the running". It's not just about running. Every week they are learning life lessons around the running skills and at the end of the program they will see they can accomplish hard

things and complete a 5K! Click on this link to register for Girls On The Run or to learn more info.

<https://www.girlsontherunutah.org/>

<https://www.raceplanner.com/register/index/GOTR-Utah-Spring-2019-Program-Registration?sid=7fab6b4b5f434c0b9fc141ab14d46a1d&fh=0>

This will be my last year coaching Girls On The Run at Canyon Rim with my daughter graduating 6th grade. I am looking for a new parent to take over the program. Please reach out to me if you're interested in leading Girls On The Run at Canyon Rim in the future!

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Maturation

Maturation is scheduled for Thursday April 4th @ 2pm for all 5th and 6th graders and their parents. More details to come as we get closer to the date.

Art Night

We are all looking forward to Art Night which is scheduled for Monday, April 15th. It going to be such a fun night so mark your calendars! We are looking for donations to help with some of the projects. We are looking for any scrapbook paper that you are no longer in need of.

If you have extra please place it in the bin across from the office. We are also looking for volunteers to help with crowd control and with some of the fun art projects. If you are available to help please go to

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f044aa4a92ea5f49-artnight1> to sign up.

Art Night Volunteers

Come help make Art Night happen! It will be April 15th.

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