



Orem Elementary

PTA Newsletter December 2012

Orem Elementary School - 450 W. 400 S. Orem UT 84058 - 801-227-8727

CALENDAR

DECEMBER (Early out every Monday)

- 4 PTA Meeting @ 9:30am
- 11 SCC Meeting @ 10:45am
- 19 AM Common Day
Grades 1-6; 8:00- 2:15
PM Kindergarten; 8-10:45
AM Kindergarten; 11:30-2:15
- 19 Christmas Sing-along @ 1:30pm
- 20-Jan 2 Christmas Break

JANUARY (Early out every Monday)

- 3 School Resumes
- 8 PTA Meeting @ 9:30am
- 8 SCC Meeting @ 10:45am
- 21 No School—Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- 23-24 Book Fair
- 24 Parent/Teacher Conferences



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Orem Elementary PTA

OES Newsletter & lunch menu can be found at:

oremelementarypta.blogspot.com

School Website:

<http://orem.alpineschools.org/>

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Please call or text Amy Chariton at 801-472-1921 or send an email to amychariton@hotmail.com if you're interested and we'll find the perfect fit for you!

OES NEEDS FLEX VOLUNTEERS!

We need parent volunteers with something special to teach our students during our enrichment FLEX activities. Do you have a special skill, talent, or hobby that you could share? The possibilities are endless! We also have donated scrapbook paper and need someone to help students make cards. FLEX is every Tuesday through Friday for only an hour (1:10 – 2:10). You can volunteer once, twice, or however often you would like. This is a wonderful opportunity to spend time with your child(ren) at Orem Elementary. FLEX is going on now and will be for the entire school year. If you can't start right away also let me know because OES would love to have you serve any time this year. **Mindy Harmon - OES FLEX coordinator** 801-765-4819 (call or text) harmonites@aol.com

*Parenting with Love & Logic coming in January!
Class begins Jan. 15, 2013. Look for more info in weekly emails and January PTA newsletter.*

SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL (SCC)

SCC meetings will be held on the second Tuesday of each month at 10:45 a.m. Please contact Angela Seegmiller (801) 802-9513 or angela.seegmiller@gmail.com with questions.

WATCHD.O.G.S.

Thank you to all of you that have come in to be a Watchdog! We have had tremendous support from so many different dads! The dads are loving it, the teachers are loving it, and the students are loving it! If you (or a dad in your life) are interested in becoming a Watchdog, please email oeswatchdog@gmail.com. Thanks again!

SKI/SNOWBOARD SCHOOL

Even though there is not snow on the ground it is time to start thinking about ski/snowboarding lessons. The lessons will be on Mondays; January 7, 14, 28 and Feb 4. They start at 1:00 so your child(ren) will need to be checked out around 12:00. The ages are 7 for skiing and 8 for snowboard. The lessons are taught by Sundance instructors and are from beginners to advanced students. There is an hour of free ski after lessons from 3:30-4:30 and there is no organized adult supervision during this time. Students carpool to and from Sundance with parents of the kids who are taking lessons. The price will be \$170 for lessons and passes (\$40 cheaper if you have a season pass), plus rentals if you need them. This is a great opportunity for your child(ren) to learn or advance their ski/snowboarding skills. Please email or call Melissa Clayton with any questions or to sign up; misser68@gmail.com or 801-318-9799.

FLU SHOTS/IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

The Health Department is having a Flu Clinic in the OES Gym on **Thursday, December 6** from 3:30pm – 5:30pm. Flyers with pricing and details will be sent home or you can go to the following link: [Flu Shots](#). The Vaccination Clinic is completely optional.

Dear Principal Bolingbroke,

November 20, 2012

Thank you for hosting a Careovan/Project Sole Shoe-Drive with us this year. Your school has collected 118 pairs of shoes, and because of your efforts people in underprivileged communities will enjoy proper footwear as a barrier to infection and disease. Your shoes will provide a practical and economical solution to a basic necessity.

Please thank your Student Council and PTA for all the work they put into advertising and donating, it has been a successful shoe drive! The Utah County region of Careovan has been able to collect a total of 860 pairs of shoes that we will be donating to Project Sole this year.

We look forward to working with you again in the future!

Thanks again for your participation,

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