OREM ELEMENTAR SCHOOL



Calendar

AUGUST

- **6** PTA Meeting, 9:30 a.m.
- **13** Class/Teacher Assignments available on Skyward
- 14 Back-to-School Night for Grades 1-6, 3-5 p.m. Faculty Room
- **19** First Day of School (Early Birds, 8 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.; Later Gators, 9:15 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.)
- 25 Early-Out Monday 1:15 p.m. Early Birds 2:30 p.m. Later Gators Kindergarten Back-to-School Night, 3 to 5 p.m.
- 26 First day of Kindergarten

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Labor Day (No School)
- **3** PTA Meeting, 9:30 a.m.
- **4** PTA Room-Parent Brunch, 9:30 a.m.
- 8 Early-Out Monday1:15 p.m. Early Birds2:30 p.m. Later Gators
- 15 Early-Out Monday
- **16** School Community Council, 10:45 a.m.
- 22 Early-Out Monday OES Carnival, 4 to 7 p.m.
- 23 School Pictures
- 29 Early-Out Monday



Welcome Back, OES Cubs!

We hope you all had a great summer! The 2014-2015 school year will be an exciting one. The PTA has some exciting events planned, including the OES Carnival, Moms and Muffins, Dads and Doughnuts, Movie Nights, Skate Nights, and holiday and end-ofyear activities. Please join us. Here are PTA Officers for this year:

Jill Judd - President Adria Howse - President-Elect Secretary - Paige Gibson Treasurer - Katie Romrell Room-Parent Coord. - Mimi Petty

Thank you all for serving us!

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In the new school year:

Back-to-School Nights

We're looking forward to seeing all of you at Back-to-School Night for Grades 1-6 on Thursday, Aug. 14, from 3 to 5 p.m. You can meet your child's teachers, find out where the classroom is and also order a yearbook, T-shirts, spirit sleeves and sign up for volunteer opportunities at the school.

Kindergarten Back-to-School Night will be Monday, Aug. 25, from 3 to 5 p.m.

PTA Mission Statement

The PTA at Orem Elementary School will help every child realize his/her full potential and will: **Advocate** - Support and speak on behalf of children and youth. **Involve** - Encourage positive involvement in all facets of a child's life. **Develop** - Assist in developing skills to raise and protect children and youth.



Class Placement & Track Assignments

Class Placement (Assigned Teacher) and Track Assignments (Early Bird/Later Gator) information for students will be available on Wednesday, August 13, through <u>Skyward</u>.

Weekly E-mails & Monthly Newsletter

We will be continuing the Weekly e-mails and monthly newsletters this year. They will be sent to the e-mail listed on <u>Skyward</u>. If you know of any friends, neighbors, etc. that should be receiving the weekly e-mails and newsletter but are not receiving them, please have them contact the front office at (801) 227-8727. You can also go to Skyward and update your email information through your student's ID.

WATCH D.O.G.S.

We will continue the Watch D.O.G.S. program this year. More information will be available when school starts. Dads, if you have any questions or already know your schedule and want to volunteer your time, please send an e-mail to this address: <u>oeswatchdog@gmail.com</u>.



School Community Council

The School Community Council (SCC) is a group of parents, staff, and school employees whose main objective is to improve the school academically by setting goals, and evaluating progress based on data.

The SCC is also in charge of organizing FLEX (if parents would like to volunteer to come and help with that, we'd LOVE to hear from you). If you have any questions, please contact Anna Steadman at <u>anna-steadman@sbcglobal.net</u>.

Starting in September, SCC meetings will be on the third Tuesday of each month. If you'd like to join SCC, please either come to the meet-ings or contact Anna.

Kids On The Move

Are you the parent of a child under 3? Kids On The Move provides FREE developmental evaluations for children who are under age three and reside in Alpine School District. Most early-intervention services are provided at little or no cost. Visit <u>kotm.org</u> for more information.



The Jazz are in for a tough year. Can Mr. H. hang in?