

January 26, 2017

Dear parent/guardian!

Congratulations to our Rube Goldberg Club who won 2nd place in the recent competition and also earned the Sparkle Award! Way to go team and advisors Ms. Barrow and Ms. Adams!

The FIRST Robotics season is officially on! The challenge looks very fun this year and so the team will be meeting very often! Mr. Grijalva is our fearless leader so check with him for your schedule! Robotics is looking for some milk crates! They should be 11 in height x 19 in. length x 13 in. width! Please email Mr. G at cgrijalva@dsdmail.net if you have some!

National Honor Society! If you have a 3.5 cumulative GPA, and no N's or U's, you qualify to join the NUAMES National Honor Society! Pick up an application in the office and return it by February 3 at 3 pm! The induction will be held on February 15 at 6 pm. in the D-3 ballroom!

Looking for a fun service activity? The Kaysville Rotary is sponsoring a "Days for Girls" event on Saturday, January 28th from 9:00-3:00 PM at Davis High School. They will be assembling hygiene kits for girls in Africa. You can come for as little or as long as you like!

Boys State and Girls State applications are now available! Junior parents have received a separate email about this! One point of clarification on the Boys State: when you go to www.weber.edu/boysstate, click on "register". Then where it asks for log-in information, click "Create Account". Your boy will create a new account just for Boys State.

VEX Tournament February 11th at Davis High School. Free admission! We are planning to have 4 robots compete in the competition. Please come and support your NUAMES teams!

Congratulations to the Model United Nations club who had a conference at USU this past weekend! At that conference, three students received recognition. Juniors Makayla Fiske and Sonja Stevenson received Superior Distinction in their role as delegates from Japan to the United Nation's Womens Council, and newcomer Junior Annalise Shaw received a Distinguished Distinction in her role as the delegate from Japan on the Disarmament and International Security Committee. We're looking forward to our next two conferences, Regionals at Weber State, and State at the University of Utah.

There are 3 spots available for the European Tour (not sponsored by NUAMES) with Ms. Bass. We will visit London, Paris, Florence, and Rome in late July. If you are interested, e-mail Ms. Bass: dbass@dsdmail.net or visit her in D-13, room 123.

Robotics T-shirt contest!!! The Robotics team is holding a competition for the Robotics logo on their T-shirts!

Sophomores interested in an engaging and interactive US History course during their Jr. year might consider CE 1700 with Ms. Bass. This is a semester class that offers 3 Weber State credits while simultaneously fulfilling the US History requirement with NUAMES. If you have questions, e-mail Ms. Bass: dbass@dsdmail.net or visit her in D-13, room 123. Seniors for the 2017-2018 academic year are also welcome to enroll in the course. Students can enroll when registration materials are administered by the counselors.

Yearbooks! Order yours now at \$50...the price increases to \$60 on February 1. Holly has posted the list of those who have purchased a yearbook.

Utah State University Engineering State is June 5-8, 2017. It's a great opportunity to spend 3 days on the USU campus and learn about the programs and degrees offered by USU! The cost is \$150 and covers lodging, meals and materials! Go to <http://www.engineering.usu.edu/about/e-state> to register. The deadline is March 17, 2017

SAVE THE DATE! She-Tech Conference for all high school girls will be held at the WSU Ogden Campus on March 31, 2017. Registration is sadly still not open...but when it is, go to www.shetechexplorer.com and select the Weber option.

Some dates for your calendar:

- January 26- TSA meets in D-13 room 124 at 2:50 pm.
- January 27- Early out for Teacher Collaboration at 12:35 pm. We will have lunch that day.
- January 31 and February 2- VEX Robotics meets with Mr. Cook in D-13 room 114 at 2:45 pm.
- January 31- Card Club meets with Mr. Baggaley in D-3 room 337 from 2:45-4pm
- February 1- Chess Club meets in Mr. Weaver's room, D-2 room 222 at 2:50 pm. This is a change of location! Come play...or learn to play!!
- February 3- NHS Applications due at 3 pm. in the office.
- February 6- Suicide Prevention Training at 7 pm in the D-3 ballroom. This is for parents and students to attend. You may invite friends and neighbors as well.
- February 11- VEX Tournament at Davis High School, 325 Main Street, Kaysville. Free! The events start at 9:30 am and typically runs to about 5 pm.
- February 15- Junior Seminar at 3 pm; Senior seminar at 4 pm-D3 Ballroom
- February 16-Senior seminar at 3 pm; Junior seminar at 4 pm- D3 Ballroom
- February 17- Preference dance—Save the date!!!
- February 24- Parent Teacher Conferences from 3-7 pm.
- February 28- ACT test for all JUNIORS! No classes for Sophomores or Seniors! The counselors will register your student. Free!!
- March 9- NHS Bowling Party at the Davis Lanes at 3 pm. \$3 for 2 games and shoe rental.

Mother Nature has certainly provided us with enough service opportunities to shovel snow!
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