

Pirate's Post



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PARENT PORTAL UPDATES

IMPORTANT: EVERY PARENT NEEDS A PARENT PORTAL ACCOUNT

To get setup please visit [duncanps.org](#) (Click on the Parents tab to download/complete the authorization form and return it to school). You can also call Charla Grimes at 252-6804 or visit her at the 9th Street Family Education Center if needed.
TO MAKE CHANGES: Please login to your Parent Portal account and update your Household and/or Family Information anytime the need arises. Parent portal updates to our infinite campus system at school.
We go by the information provided for family information and/or pickup information.

IMPORTANT: Click on Demographics to change names of authorized persons that can pick up your child from school. THIS IS THE LIST WE WILL GO BY WHEN PEOPLE COME TO PICK UP YOUR CHILD FROM SCHOOL. WE CANNOT SEND YOUR CHILD HOME WITH ANYONE THAT IS NOT AUTHORIZED BY YOU VIA PARENT PORTAL. Thank you!!

OUR SCHOOL DAY

7:45am	Doors Open	11:00am	K/1 Lunch
7:55-8:15am	Breakfast	11:45am	2/3 Lunch
8:15am	Rise & Shine in Gym	12:30pm	4/5 Lunch
8:30am	Class Begins	3:30-3:45pm	Dismissal

THIRSTY THURSDAYS

Kona Ice Snow Cones will join us again this year on Thursdays during recess.
IMPORTANT: Please send money in an envelope with your child's name, the amount inside, and KONA ICE written on the outside. Correct change is appreciated so students don't have to keep up with extra money. Each child will give their envelope directly to the driver and they will get their snow cone from the vendor. Students will be reminded to take their money to recess with them. The sizing is the same as last year.
SMALL - \$3.00
MEDIUM with Lei - \$4.00
MEDIUM with Refill Cup - \$5.00
(Return refill cups weekly and pay only \$3.00 for a snowcone!!)

BEAUTIFUL DAY CELEBRATION

Once a month the Beautiful Day Foundation volunteers come to celebrate our students. This Thursday they will celebrate all students that have July & Aug birthdays. They will receive a special pizza lunch and their class will be celebrated with cupcakes. YAY!!

SK8 NIGHT @ SK8 Express

This fundraiser is once per month from 6-8pm for \$5.00. A portion of the proceeds comes back to the school to fund great projects we do!! The class with the highest attendance wins a pizza party!! GO SK8 on Thursday!



WOW: respect
It means allowing myself and others to do our personal best.
Quotes:
-Do unto others as you would have them do unto you. ~Golden Rule
-I must respect the opinions of others even if I disagree with them. ~ Herbert Henry Lehman
-If you have some respect for people as they are, you can be more effective in helping them to become better than they are. ~John W Garner
-Every man is entitled to be valued by his best moments. ~Ralph Waldo Emerson
-This above all; to thine own self be true. ~William Shakespeare
-When others speak, be attentive yourself. ~George Washington
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Important Dates

Dates Subject to Change

EVERY TUESDAY IS
PIRATE PRIDE TUESDAY

wear your Plato Pirate shirt or blue
ALSO please post on social media what your child LOVED about his/her school day
#lovmyschoolday

EVERY FRIDAY IS

FANS WEAR RED FRIDAY #FWRD

Wear you Duncan Demons shirt or red
Aug 31 - Thirsty Thursday - KONA ICE
Aug 31 - Beautiful Day Celebration
Aug 31 - SK8 Night from 6-8pm \$5.00
Sept 1 - POP & POPCORN (\$1.00 per item)
Sept 4 - NO SCHOOL - Labor Day
Sept 6-13 - BOOK FAIR
Sept 6 - SAFE & HEALTHY SCHOOL MEETING @ 7:45am
Sept 7 - K-2 Grandparent's Day
Sept 8 - 3-5 Grandparent's Day
Sept 11 - LATE START MONDAY
Sept 11 - Book Fair Family Night
Sept 15 - Picture Day
Sept 15 - Observe Constitution Day
Sept 18 - LATE START MONDAY
Sept 22 - Mrs. Morris' Rise & Shine
Sept 25 - LATE START MONDAY
Sept 28 - Beautiful Day Celebration
Sept 29 - Mrs. Tanaka's Rise & Shine
Oct 2 - LATE START MONDAY
Oct 6 - Ms. McCaslin's Rise & Shine

IMPORTANT REMINDER: Late Start Monday begins on Sept 11 (every Monday) at 9:15 in the gym. Classes are from 8:15-9:15. If your child does not attend LATE START programming please do not bring him/her before 9:15. Thank you for your help and cooperation.

Late Start Monday Participation Form

PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. Thank you for your cooperation as we get organized and ready. The 1st late start day is Sept 11. (On late start Mondays buses will run on schedule, our doors will open at 7:45, breakfast will be from 7:55-8:15, and rotations/classes will be from 8:15-9:15.)

Student Name _____ Teacher _____

Parents of K-3 students: Your child will rotate between 4 class options (1 per week) throughout the year that will consist of MUSIC with Mrs. Stephens, GAMES with Mrs. Latimer, TECHNOLOGY with Mrs. Hildebrand, and a MAKERSPACE with Mrs. Brant.

_____ My child **WILL NOT** attend Late Start Programming from 8:15-9:15 each Monday beginning Sept 11th. **My child will not come to school early but will be dropped off at 9:15 each Monday.**

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Parents of 4-5 students: Your child will have a choice of what class they would like to enroll in for the 17-18 school year. Mr. Harris will be teaching archery and taking students to archery competitions this year. This will be extra time for them to learn and practice. Every 4-5 student will also have archery during their regularly scheduled PE time. Mrs. Greening will be teaching our STEM class and teaching units that will lead students to a deeper understanding of science, technology, engineering and mathematics. Both classes will be engaging but take a strong commitment from the students that are participating. Students will need to be mature, focused, responsible, and ready to learn as they will be working with high level tools.

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_____ My child would like to enroll in the STEM Club.

_____ My child would like to enroll in the Archery Club.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

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