



## Vista View volume 143 / March 30, 2018

## Principal's Message

Parents and students,

As we come to the last few months of school, I encourage you to look to the future. Are there activities in which you would like to participate? Is your GPA what it should be? Is there a new skill you want to learn? Look for school audition times and dates. Start rehearsing and improving your grades. These dates are right around the corner.

Sam Gibbs Principal/Director





**Check out our Website** www.vistautah.com

Watch the Calendar Calendar Link

#### SCHOOL HOURS

Monday - Thursday 8:25am - 3:05pm Early out Friday 8:25am - 12:55pm

## A/B Schedule

Mondays and Wednesdays = A Day Tuesdays and Thursdays = B Day Fridays = A or B Day

Check the school calendar to know whether a Friday is an A or B Day

#### Kindergarten Hours:

- M-TH: AM 8:25-11:10am \* PM 12:20 3:05pm
- Friday: 8:25 12:55 AM-A Days \* PM-B Days

The doors to Vista School will open at 8:15 am each morning. Please do not drop off students before that time

# 1st, 2nd and 3rd grade Curriculum Concert



Our younger students delighted their audiences this week! Thank you to our hardworking teachers Mrs. Carlson, Ms. Dixon, and Mrs. Nielsen.

## Yearbooks

Don't miss your chance to order a 2017-2018 yearbook. PURCHASING AND PERSONALIZATION MUST BE COMPLETE BY FRIDAY APRIL 20! (If you purchase after this date, your book(s) will be shipped to your home and are not guaranteed to arrive by yearbook signing day). Vista will not have extra books available for sale all books must be pre-ordered by the Friday April 20. Click here for more information: www.vistautah.com/yearbook.

## **Talent Show Auditions**

Auditions will be held on Mon Apr 9, 3:15-5:30pm for all grades. Look for the signup table outside the front office. Share your talents!

# Sage End-of-Level Testing

Writing continues next week.



# Vista Conservatory Classes

Class payment is now due and may be made online atwww.vistautah.com/payments or by cash or check to Vista School's front office.

Registration is still available at www.vistautah.com/after-school-programs. Look for new classes such as Intro to Filmmaking and Intro to Digital Photography.



**PTO Vista Color Fun Run** is scheduled for Fri April 13 from 5:00-8:00pm at Vista. Plan on an evening of great fun: 5K Run, bike races, color throws and more! More info coming.

# Stay in the know with the PTO:

Website: <a href="https://www.vistautah.com/pto">https://www.vistautah.com/pto</a>

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/groups/vistapto

Email: pto@vistautah.com

## **Calendar Change**

In a change from the magnet calendar, Fri April 27 will be a B Day.

#### **Easter Break**

There will be no school on Fri Mar 30 and Mon Apr 2.

## 2018-2019 School Year Dates

First Day of School: Mon Aug 13

New Parent Orientation: Thurs Aug 9, 5:00-6:00pm
Back to School Night: Thurs Aug 9, 6:00-8:00pm

## **Uniform Code**

Please use the following link to review the uniform policy. We are a uniform school. Please help your student to be in uniform every day. Be aware of the length of dresses, skirts and shorts, no holes in pants, sweatshirts must be Vista approved.

http://www.vistautah.com/uniform-code

## **T-shirt donations needed**

Vista is in need of T-shirt donations in all colors for our Art Extravaganza. Size large is preferred, with no side seams, used or new. Please bring donations to the office as soon as possible. Questions, contact Ms. Lorentzen at <a href="mailto:elorentzen@vistautah.com">elorentzen@vistautah.com</a>.

## **Student Art Exhibit at DiFiore**

The DiFiore Center is showcasing student art from Vista School. Please stop by andview the amazing art of Vista students. The show will run through March 31 and there is no cost. 307 N Main St in St George. Mon: 10am-4:30pm, Tues-Sat: 10am-6pm.

#### **Student Photos**

During the month of April Vista's Student Council wants to celebrate the Vistastudents. Student Council will be making a display in the main hall where they will put up photos of Vista students. If your child would like their photo(s) displayed, please send them with a copy of the photo to give to Mrs. Richins or email a photo to <a href="mailto:nrichins@vistautah.com">nrichins@vistautah.com</a>. Photos will not be returned so please be sure it is a copy.

## **Kite Festival**

K-5th grade students have received the Kite Festival Reading Chart, a program that rewards students for reading. The Kite Festival will be held Sat April 21 from 10am-6pm at Dixie State University. Extra copies of the reading chart are available in the front office. Each child needs to complete the chart to receive a free kite or free book.

## Pick-up/Drop-off

Pick-up and Drop-off is in red and blue zones. In the blue zone for pick-up only, the divide from one lane to two lanes is by last name, is: A-L and M-Z. Click the link below, followed by clicking the Traffic Map button to view. The link also includes a pick-up/drop-off tutorial. <a href="https://www.vistautah.com/parents/traffic-carpool-and-transportation">https://www.vistautah.com/parents/traffic-carpool-and-transportation</a>

# Jamba Juice Fundraiser

Jamba Juice discount cards are available at the front office! \$10 for buy one smoothie get one free (up to six times, value \$35). Payment can be made online atwww.vistautah.com/payments or by cash or check to Vista School's front office.

# **Amazon Smile Program**

Please support Vista School with your Amazon purchases. Go to <a href="mailto:smile.amazon.com">smile.amazon.com</a>(instead of <a href="mailto:amazon.com">amazon.com</a>) and you will be on the same Amazon website but a percentage of your purchases benefit Vista! Choose your school once

(select VistaSchool of Performing Arts and Technology in Ivins UT), then every time you log onto<u>smile.amazon.com</u>, you are supporting Vista.

# **Vista Transportation**

Due to the closure of the VTO bus, a group of parents have partnered with St. George Shuttle to coordinate neighborhood pickups as an alternative bus option for the remainder of the school year. If you are interested in this service, click on the link below and fill out the information to sign up your child. The more students who participate, the lower the cost will be for everyone. Questions: Maggie Yunker atmjyunk@gmail.com.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1y82sGv-QHI3xd0fMBYRrjFcWt6pxJAnHfsmC5ddfSDY