



Orem Elementary

PTA Newsletter August 2012

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

PTA PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome back! We are so excited for another wonderful year at OES! We hope you all had a fun and safe summer and that you're ready to have another great year of fun and learning!

We're looking forward to seeing all of you at **Back-to-School Night on Thursday, August 16th from 4:00-6:00 PM**. This is a great opportunity to meet your teachers, find out where your classroom is and also order a yearbook, t-shirts, spirit sleeves and sign up for volunteer opportunities at the school.

We offer many wonderful programs at OES through the PTA but we can only run these programs **WITH YOUR HELP!** Parental involvement is imperative to a successful PTA and it has a powerful effect on you, your child and our school. We truly look forward to working with you this year to help our school run more efficiently and thank you sincerely for all you have done and will continue to do!

We are starting up a new program this year called Watch D.O.G.S. (Dads of Great Students). Its purpose is to get more fathers/father-figures involved in his child's education by 1) providing positive male role models for the students, 2) providing extra sets of eyes and ears to help keep our kids safe, and 3) improve the relationship between the community and our school. The goal would be to have a dad come to our school each day of the school year. Dads, this is a wonderful opportunity to serve, be with your children and have fun! (Who wouldn't want to take a day off work to hang with his kids??) ☺ Come sign up for your day(s) at Back-to-school night!!

We will also have an amazing opportunity to serve by helping with and attending our **PTA Carnival on Monday, September 17!** This is such a fun family activity and it is our only PTA fundraiser for the whole year. We offer something fun for everyone so be sure to put that date on your calendar!

See you at Back to School Night!

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CALENDAR

August

- Aug 7 PTA Meeting; 10am in the Faculty Room
- Aug 16 Back-to-School Night 4-6pm
- Aug 21 First Day of School
9:15-3:30 PM Common Day
- Aug 27 Early Out (*All Mondays are Early Out*)
1:25 Early Birds
2:40 Later Gators
- Aug 28 First Day of Kindergarten
- Aug 28 Kookies & Kleenex- we'll have treats and PTA information for the Kindergarten parents by the Kindergarten classrooms
- Aug 28 All Room Parents are invited to a 'Milk & Cookies' meeting at 4pm in the Media Center

SCHOOL SPIRIT DAY- Every FRIDAY! Wear your school colors every Friday!

September (Early out every Monday)

- Sep 3 Labor Day - No School
- Sep 4 PTA Meeting 9:30 Room 209- Everyone is invited!!
- Sep 4 First Day of Preschool
- Sep 12-14, 17 PTA Carnival Ticket pre-sales; Before School- In front & back
- Sep 20 Vision Screening grades K, 1,3 & 5
- Sep 17 PTA CARNIVAL!!!**
- Sep 25 School Pictures
- Sep 26 Minimal Day-
Grades 1-6 Early Birds 8-12:30
Grades 1-6 Later Gators 9:15-1:45
AM Kindergarten 9:15-11:15
PM Kindergarten 11:45-1:45



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oremelementarypta.blogspot.com

School Website:

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

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We would like to extend an invitation to all parents to join our PTA and help run the wonderful programs we offer at OES. From helping with our Carnival to getting involved with taking pictures for yearbook - we have a spot for you! Please call or text Amy Chariton at 801-472-1921 or send an email to amychariton@hotmail.com and we'll find the perfect fit for you!

Back To School Night

Monday, August 16, 2012

4:00 – 6:00 PM

- ◆ Tour the school ◆ Meet your child's teacher ◆
- Join the PTA ◆ Sign up for Volunteer Opportunities ◆
- Update information along with email address ◆