



Eagle News

November 2018

Cooler Weather



Fall and cooler weather have finally arrived. All students need to come prepared for the colder temperatures, whether it be before and after school, or for recess times. We have students go outside for recesses if the temperature is above 20 degrees and the conditions are good. Students should have coats, jackets and other items that allow them to be outside during their recess times. Also, students should not be arriving to school too early, we do not allow student in the building until the first bell rights at 8:45 AM, unless it is inclement weather. Students should not be playing on the big toys or with recess equipment before school because there is not adult supervision on the playground before school begins.

Smart Watches



Students should not be bringing smart watches to school. This is a violation of the school and district electronic devices policy. Please help your students comply with this policy by not allowing them to have them during school times.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov 13 PTA Birthday Table
- Nov 21-23 Thanksgiving Recess—NO SCHOOL
- Nov 26 Community Council Meeting, 4:30PM
- Nov 26 Meet the Masters Volunteer Training, 10:45AM

Repertory Dance Theatre

Orchard Elementary is excited to once again get the opportunity to work with Repertory Dance Theatre (RDT) from Salt Lake City this year. Students in grades K-6 will have experiences in movement this fall and again in the spring with an RDT educational instructor. Teachers will be involved with the training as well to learn movement activities that they can implement with their classes throughout the school year. Research has shown that movement enhances student learning. This year each class or grade level will use movement to support a curriculum area that the teacher chooses.

Box Tops

A Box Tops collections sheet is coming home with your students. Please fill it up with 10 Box Tops and have your student return it to the office for a toy key chain! Collection dates will be from November 1-16th. Thank you for all your support! Get clipping!



Lost & Found



The Lost and Found here at Orchard is found outside of room 210 & 211 on the coat racks. We are getting quite a collection of items that include: coats, jackets, lunch boxes and other items. Remind your students to check the Lost and Found if they are missing items. If it is a small or valuable item like glasses or earrings, those items are kept in the office where students can ask to see the items. If items have names on them we will do our best to return them.

From the PTA

We want to thank everyone who supported the Book Fair this year. We had great success and all money earned was given to the Orchard Elementary library. Special thanks to Rosemary Glines and Robilyn Lake and to all the people who volunteered their time in making this event so successful.

In other news, last month in our PTA board meeting we talked about where we could put PTA earned money and what programs need it the most. One of the things we are working towards is that we will be buying books for the Book Battle program and putting them in every classroom—HORRAY!!! This will help every interested child be able to join the Book Battle challenge and have easy access to every book.

We are grateful for all the support of our Orchard Eagle families that help support and donate to the PTA and all of our programs. Without all of you; these programs would not exist. So thank you and keep supporting the PTA.