



**Reading**  
ROUND UP!

## DAVIS SCHOOL DISTRICT'S UPDATED STRATEGIC PLAN TO PUT "LEARNING FIRST!"

Part 1 of 2

**VISION** - Davis School District provides an environment where growth and learning flourish. **MISSION** - Educators, parents, and community members work together to create a successful educational experience for each student.

**Student Growth & Achievement** - Davis School District provides an innovative, relevant, well-rounded education for each student.

- Focus on individual student growth and achievement
- Provide well-rounded curriculum including character and life skills
- Encourage creative, evidence-based programs and teaching strategies
- Use technology to enhance and personalize student learning

**Empowered Employees** - Davis School District employees are valued, supported, and appreciated.

- Attract, retain, recognize, and reward quality employees
- Ensure employees are provided opportunities for input and participation in the decision-making process
- Develop and support effective leadership across all employee groups
- Provide and encourage quality professional learning

**Safety & Security** - Davis School District creates an environment where physical and emotional safety are paramount.

- Provide safe and secure physical spaces
- Value stakeholder voices
- Foster a welcoming environment
- Establish and communicate safety protocols

**We Are Wranglers and We Are Awesome!**  
**REACH FOR THE STARS**  
January 18 (okay, maybe 19), 2019

## Did you know...

our annual VIP Breakfast is almost here?

Parents, grandparents and all other VIPs are invited to enjoy breakfast with your special student(s) on either Thursday, January 31<sup>st</sup> or Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>. The breakfast begins at 7:45am and ends at 8:30am each day. The cost for the meal is \$2 per person. Please prepay for breakfast with either cash or check. School lunch accounts may NOT be used to pay for lunches. Checks should be made out to READING ELEMENTARY PTA. You are welcome to briefly visit your student's classroom after breakfast. The PTA book fair will be located on the stage in the cafeteria. We will be serving pancakes or steel cut oatmeal with toppings. Reading Elementary School's address is: 360 West 2025 North in Centerville, UT.



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**THINGS**

### THREE THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT...

**ITALY** – visited by over 50 million tourists every year, capital city Rome is also known as the "Eternal City" because it is almost 3,000 years old, has more earthquakes and volcanoes than any other country in Europe

**RUDY GOBERT** – is 7 feet 1 inch tall and has a wingspan of 7 feet 9 inches, had the most blocks in the NBA during the 2016-17 season, born in a city in northern France called Saint-Quentin

**LEONARDO DAVINCI** – born in 1452 and died in 1519, considered one of the greatest painters of all time, also known for his talents as an inventor, scientist, architect, writer, botanist, historian and cartographer

**NO SCHOOL: Monday, January 21<sup>st</sup>**  
**EARLY-OUT: Wednesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, January 31<sup>st</sup>**

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## MONDAY, JANUARY 21

- No School – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 22

- Middle of Year DIBELS benchmarking this week

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23

- STEM Olympiad Practice at 8am for science events
- Constitution Bowl team meeting after school

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 24

- SCC Meeting at 4pm

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 25

- STEM Fair in the big gym
- SMART Reports and IEP Progress Reports will be sent home today
- Early-out schedule

## MONDAY, JANUARY 28

- Parent Surveys available until Feb. 28 in myDSD – we need parent feedback so we can work toward continuous improvement

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 29

- 4<sup>th</sup> grade program performed for the school at 9:15am and for parents at 2:15pm – please watch your email for tickets

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30

- STEM Olympiad practice at 8am for math events
- Early-out schedule
- ILP Conferences begin
- Book Fair after school until 6:30pm

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 31

- VIP Breakfast at 7:45am
- Early-out schedule
- ILP Conferences conclude
- Book Fair available during VIP Breakfast and after school until 6:30pm

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1

- VIP Breakfast
- Early-out schedule
- Book Fair available only during VIP Breakfast

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5

- Birthday table for February

## WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

- PTA Board Meeting at 9am in the faculty room
- Lunch with the Mayor of Farmington
- Constitution Bowl practice after school in Mrs. Brimhall's classroom



## SHOUT-OUTS

"Mr. Bill" Wright has been a tremendous asset at Reading Elementary the past year. We will miss him as he's being reassigned to other schools.

We want to welcome our new School Technology Specialist, Jose "Joe" Limas. He has a wealth of computer expertise and was most recently a CTE at Sunset Jr. High. We're excited to get to know Joe better and want him to feel welcome at Reading Elementary.

Shout out to Mrs. Kingsford's new long-term substitute, Kristi Brower. She'll be with us until Spring Break. Thanks Ms. Brower!

Congratulations to the 6 students recognized at Lunch with the Mayor of Farmington last week. They are pictured in the corners on the front page of this newsletter.

The best place to find up-to-date information is always our school website. Go to this page and click "Full Calendar" to see the events for an entire month: <https://reading.davis.k12.ut.us/>

***"Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that." ~ Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.***



**Website:**

<https://reading.davis.k12.ut.us>



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