



# AMERICAN PREPARATORY ACADEMY

## School Calendar – WV2 Campus

October 26, 2017

Check the website calendar for all practices, rehearsals, and clubs @ <http://westvalley2.americanprep.org/>

Check the Facebook page for fun information @ <https://www.facebook.com/americanprepWV2>

**Friday, October 27**

**No School – Elementary Students – PTC 8am-1pm**

Monday, October 30

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Spirit Wear Day!

**Early Dismissal (12PM/12:20PM) ALL Students**

**Professional development for staff**

Wednesday, November 1

7<sup>th</sup> Grade Rising Stars Event 12:45pm-3:45pm

Thursday, November 2

Musical Opening Night – Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* 7pm

Friday, November 3

Spirit Wear Day!

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Musical Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* 7pm

Saturday, November 4

Musical Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* 7pm

Monday, November 6

Musical Closing Night of Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* 7pm

Mon-Fri, Nov. 6-10

Utah College Application Week

Wednesday, November 8

What's Next? Event 6:30pm-8pm

Thursday, November 9

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Beach Bash 12:45pm-3:10pm

Friday, November 10

Veterans Day Reception 12:15pm

Friday, November 10

Veterans Day Assembly 1pm

Tuesday, November 14

Graduation Information Meeting for Parents of Seniors 6:30pm

Wednesday, November 15

11<sup>th</sup> Grade Interim Committee Trip 8am-1:45pm

**Thursday, November 16**

**No Afterschool Programs – Dismissal 2:10pm/2:35pm**

Friday, November 17

4<sup>th</sup> Grade Medieval Feast 1pm-3pm

Saturday, November 18

Fall Formal 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade 7pm-9pm

**Wed-Fri, Nov. 22-24**

**No School - Thanksgiving Break**

Monday, November 27

School Resumes 8am

Thursday, November 30

Secondary Parent Teacher Conferences 3pm-7pm

Friday, December 1

No School – Secondary Students ONLY

Friday, December 1

Secondary Parent Teacher Conferences 8am-12pm

## Dear American Prep Families,

We are pleased to announce the 2017 musical tickets for Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* are on sale now! You will not want to miss this family event. Students have been working hard and they look and sound truly AMAZING!

Parents, neighbors, students, staff and friends have just four opportunities to come and support our Drama students at this fantastic special occasion. All seating is reserved. Go online to purchase your tickets today at [wv2musical.yapsody.com](http://wv2musical.yapsody.com). You won't want to miss the 2017 musical at WV2! Tickets will sell fast, so go online



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today to get the best seats in the house.

## **Cinderella Show Dates & Times**

Thursday, November 2nd at 7pm

Friday, November 3rd at 7 pm

Saturday, November 4th at 7 pm

Monday, November 6th at 7pm

Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella is a musical the whole family will enjoy! Log on to purchase tickets at **wv2musical.yapsody.com**, stop by the concession booth for popcorn and snacks and have a wonderful night of entertainment with the family! It will be a night to remember!

## **Ticket Prices**

\$9 Reserved Seating

\$7 APA student reserved seating

\$6 per ticket when you purchase 10 or more

Tickets are also available for purchase in the High School office (in advance) or at the door before the event. Special Builders Club Benefit! Friends of APA Builders Club Members may purchase up to 6 musical tickets at the discounted price of \$6.00 each! Please contact Whitney Haselden at [wreich@apamail.org](mailto:wreich@apamail.org) for details.

Concessions will also be sold during lunch and afterschool during the week of the musical to help offset some of the expense of the production. You are welcome to send extra money with your student(s) to purchase goodies during this week to support the musical. Thanks!

## **Veterans Assembly**

One of our favorite traditions at American Prep is our Veterans Assembly. Each year we hold a very special assembly around Veterans Day to honor those who have served our country. *We hope all our families will invite their friends and family members who are veterans (anyone who has served in any branch of the military or armed forces at any time) to come to the assembly and be honored by our school.* Each guest will receive a special gift and we will have a special program to commemorate the day. The assembly will be held on **Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 1PM**. Invitations will be sent home in elementary communication envelopes. If you only have secondary students attending APA, please have them stop by the office to pick up an invitation to give to a veteran.

This event is primarily for our students to be taught, through example and through their own participation, how to respect and honor our nation's veterans. We also want to show our gratitude to those who have served or are currently serving. Unfortunately, space is limited. Having the entire student body and our honored guests in attendance in the gymnasium meets our fire code capacity. Veterans are invited to bring two guests and will receive nametags confirming their admission. Please RSVP regarding a veteran's attendance to Mrs. Lobo-Blanco ([rloboblanco@apamail.org](mailto:rloboblanco@apamail.org)) or Mrs. Gonzalez ([cgonzalez@apamail.org](mailto:cgonzalez@apamail.org)) at the front office via email or phone at 385-351-3090.

**Students will need to attend school dressed in their Monday-Thursday uniform for this special event.**



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Thanks for helping us make this a great event for our students and community!

## **No Check-Outs during Veterans Day Assembly**

During our very special assembly on Friday, November 10, there will be no student check outs allowed for those participating in the program. ALL 1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students will participate in the program. The program begins at 1PM and will last approximately 1 ½ hours. If you need to check out your student for an appointment, please do so prior to 12:00PM. We are excited to provide an opportunity for all of our students to honor those who have served our country!

## **Volunteer Corner**

We have been so grateful for ALL our amazing volunteers! There are so many things that we can have you help with. We look forward to seeing you soon! Check out the latest news and volunteer opportunities! We appreciate your willingness to help as part of the APA family.

- Students are working hard memorizing lines and getting ready to perform Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella! We are excited to see the show on November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup>. There are many volunteer opportunities available. If you are able to volunteer with the musical in any capacity please email Ms. Barrs at [cbarrs@apamail.org](mailto:cbarrs@apamail.org).

We need volunteers to help with the following areas:

- Selling concessions before the show and during intermission
- Selling tickets before the show until intermission
- Ushers to help guide patrons to their seats
- Back stage chaperones
- Help with costume changes during the show
- Miscellaneous Items

## **Order Lunches for November**

It's time to order lunches for the month of November. Go online today with your child and select the menu items of their choosing and complete your order for the month of November. Contact Mrs. Fowlks with any questions at [dfowlks@apamail.org](mailto:dfowlks@apamail.org).

## **Multi-campus Donation Drive**

This year we look forward to participating with all American Preparatory School locations in a multi-campus donation drive to Globus Relief. This will be in lieu of our traditional sock drive. We will be collecting toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoos, conditioners, soaps and other hygiene items to assist the humanitarian need worldwide. Watch newsletters in November for additional information.

## **American Preparatory Academy BOOKFAIR!**

SAVE THE DATE for SATURDAY NOVEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup> From 10AM-8PM. Stop by and support the APA campuses at the fall book fair located at: Barnes & Noble – South Towne Mall 10180 S. State Street in Sandy.

Look for our table and make a craft or listen to a Storytime! A percentage of your Barnes & Noble purchases goes



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directly to American Preparatory Academy for the purchase of curriculum and books for the CLASSROOM!

If you aren't able to stop by, PLEASE support us on-line from 11/11/17 to 11/16/17. Visit [bn.com/bookfairs](http://bn.com/bookfairs) and enter Bookfair ID# 12216164 at checkout. Spread the word to your friends and family!

The Barnes and Noble 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual MINI MAKER FAIRE will also be happening in store from 12-4! Calling all tech enthusiasts, tinkers, hobbyists, engineers, science club members, authors, artists, students, entrepreneurs, crafter, and makers of any kind. Visit <https://www.barnesandnoble.com/blog/mini-maker-faire-2017/> for more detailed information.

## Make Workspace

Experience the latest in virtual reality, designing, robotics, coding, programming, and more.

## Meet the Makers

Hear from leaders and top brands about the latest trends in designing, building, creating and making.

## Make & Collaborate

Immerse yourself in the process of “ideating,” creating and constructing with a vast array of materials ideally suited for making anything possible!

If you are interested in participating in any of the presentations or would like to be a featured maker please email [jamiependleton@gmail.com](mailto:jamiependleton@gmail.com)

## **Boot Reminder**

We want to remind all 7th-12th graders and their parents that boots are **not part of the uniform**. Students can wear boots on their way to school if they chose, but they must change into the uniform shoes once they are here in order to be in full uniform. This rule applies to the entire academic day including lunch and any Ambassador activities that require full uniform dress. Elementary students are allowed to wear plain brown or black boots with low heels during the months of October-March. Elementary students that choose to wear plain brown or black boots are encouraged to bring PE shoes on PE days.

## **First Term Grades for 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade**

We invite parents to log on to Aspire to see the final grade marks. All grades have been locked and we invite parents to log in to the grade program Aspire to see their student's first term grades. If you do not already have a username and password please go to this link <https://amerprep.usoc-dcs.org/Login.aspx> and click on the right of the screen where it says: Request a Username. You will then enter your student's four-digit school id and their date of birth. This will allow you to have a parent log in with options to view missing work, see final grades, and even set up notifications when your student is missing work. Please contact our High School or Jr. High offices if you have any questions.

Parents of students in 9th-12th grade should also verify that their student passed each class. An F or NG mark indicates they did not pass and did not receive credit in that course.

## **Winterim Courses for 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade**



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Winterim courses are now available for viewing on the school website at [www.americanprep.org](http://www.americanprep.org). Students must pay all fees prior to registering for Winterim courses. Registration is coming soon. [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1DVh4RLyG5QrpiGrNP9gSi00urPBH\\_4a1Rrps24ATz18/](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1DVh4RLyG5QrpiGrNP9gSi00urPBH_4a1Rrps24ATz18/)

## **Student Drivers Need a Parking Pass**

Parking at American Preparatory Academy is a privilege. Students and parents of student drivers are expected to read the student driver policy and complete the Parking Registration Form with both a student and parent signature. The Parking Registration Form along with the \$10 fee is due no later than Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. Parking tickets will be given for not having a pass beginning Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup>. Parking Pass Registration Forms are available at the secondary office.

## **Ambassador News**

### **Upcoming Events:**

On Wednesday November 1st, our 7th grade students have Rising Stars, a stationed event. Our students will travel from station to station learning Ambassador skills like meeting and greeting, how to be safe on social media, dancing and other great skills. We are looking for several parent volunteers to help us. If you can help from 12:45-3:45 on Wednesday November 1st, please contact Ms. Nash @ [mnash@apamail.org](mailto:mnash@apamail.org).

On Thursday, November 9th, our 6th grade students have another ambassador event! This one is 6th grade Beach Bash! Our students will travel from station to station learning ambassador skills like dinner etiquette, conversation strategies and how to stay safe on social media. We NEED parent volunteers for this event! If you can help on Thursday, November 9th from 12:10-3:10, please contact Ms. Nash at [mnash@apamail.org](mailto:mnash@apamail.org).