



February 2020

Hawk News

From the Principal's office



On January 29th, Painted Rock Academy proudly inducted our newest **24** applicants into our respective chapters of the National Elementary Honors Society (NEHS) and the National Junior Honors Society (NJHS). These organizations recognize students for outstanding academic performance and demonstrating personal responsibility. NEHS and NJHS students “provide meaningful service to the school and community and develop essential leadership skills.”

The NEHS and NJHS is open to students who excel academically and who also demonstrate extraordinary responsibility. These students develop leadership skills through public service projects; they also promote a positive school climate, as well as motivate their peers to strive for their highest potential. We are honored to host chapters of these organizations that serve the school and greater communities and carry on a tradition of excellence in our school. We are extremely proud of our NEHS and NJHS students!

Mr. J. Bauer, M.Ed., Principal

Qualified Substitute Teachers Needed

Painted Rock Academy is always on the lookout for additional qualified substitute teachers. To become a Reid Traditional Schools substitute, you **must have a bachelor's degree**, and teaching experience is preferred. You will need to provide us with the following items:

- Substitute Application (available at PaintedRockAcademy.com/careers/substitute-teachers/)
- Copies of any certificates (Arizona Teacher Certificate or Substitute Certificate)
- Three letters of recommendation
- **Copies** of your transcripts (a bachelor's degree is required)
- A copy of your class one fingerprint card (required)
- A copy of your driver's license
- A copy of your social security card
- A current TB test (Preschool substitutes only)
- An Authorization to Work or Permanent Resident Card (required for non-U.S. citizens)

Once you have the above documents, send an email to Jeannine Uhlving at JUhlving@ValleyAcademy.com to express your desire to substitute teach. She will schedule a time for you to bring your information and process your application. You will be notified by email once you have been added to the substitute list. There will be additional paperwork at that time.

Note: We do not keep substitutes on a retainer; you would be paid for the days you substitute for us, as the pay period falls.

Upcoming Events

Spirit Day/Morning Assembly

Friday, February 7th 8:15 A.M.

Progress Reports Available online

Wednesday, February 12th

Valentine Parties

Friday, February 14th

Early Release-Parent/Teacher Conferences

Friday, February 14th, Boulder Club is available

No School-Presidents' Day

Monday, February 17th

Caught Bee-ing Good

Friday, February 21st at lunch time.

Spring Picture Day

Wednesday, February 26th, 8th Grade promotion pictures, spring individual and all class pictures..

Reid Traditional Schools and Painted Rock Academy Board Meetings

Thursday, February 27th at 6:00 P.M Reid Offices Parents are welcome to attend.

Student of the Month: Nikolai L.



For more information, please visit our website at www.PaintedRockAcademy.com

Kindness Club

Our newest student club debuted this week. It is open to students in fifth through eighth grades. Its purpose:

To foster kindness within the PRA community through artwork and a variety of collaborative projects.

For more information, contact Mrs. McDermott, Art Teacher.

Student Council would like to thank everyone for the generous donation of hygiene products for Save the Family Organization of Arizona. All the donations were greatly appreciated. Send a Candy Gram to someone special!

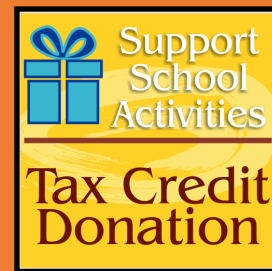
Candy Grams are a packaged candy bar with a To/From card attached. Each one costs \$1, and you can order as many as you like. Students can choose from a Hershey Bar, Starbursts, or Skittles. They will be given out at the Valentine's Day Party.

ALL ORDERS ARE DUE Monday, February 10th.

Representative Bolick of the Arizona House of Representatives recently toured our campus. She observed some amazing teachers, along with our awesome students in various learning environments. Our students learned a little more about our Arizona Government.



Tax credit donations are used for many things. Recently, our schools have purchased sports equipment for school teams, paid referee fees, purchased music, paid coaches, purchased games and art supplies for after school programs, purchased materials for after school clubs, and funded intramural and state-wide competition costs. With your help, we have been able to expand the extracurricular opportunities for our students, and they appreciate it.



Valentines Parties/Early Release/ Parent-Teacher Conferences

Friday, February 14th is a half day for Parent-Teacher conferences. Valentine parties also take place that day. Here is the party and early release schedule, as a reminder. Boulder Club will run from 12:15 P.M. to 6:15 P.M. Please note that if you are in a parent-teacher conference and your child is in Boulder Club, regular charges will apply.

Preschool parties 10:15-11:15 A.M. Dismissal is at 11:30 A.M.

Kindergarten party 9:50-10:50 A.M. for 11:05 A.M. dismissal

1st & 2nd grade parties 10:15-11:15 A.M. for 11:30 A.M. dismissal

3rd - 8th grade parties 10:30 - 11:30 A.M. for 12:15 P.M. dismissal

If you are on campus volunteering or for class parties, please remember to sign in at the front desk and wear either your parent ID or a visitor badge. Thank you for your help in keeping this a safe campus for our students.

Please remember that it is against our policy to bring small children, siblings, and/or friends of students on campus while visiting the classroom parties. We ask that no colored drinks are served at classroom parties, and please remember that all food must be store bought. Please respect our campus rules and have fun at the parties!

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 Week 24	3 108 20-21 Kindergarten Screening Begins	4 109 Re-Registration Forms Due	5 110 PROP Used Uniform Sales 7:30-8:15 A.M. 2:00-3:30 P.M.	6 111 PROP mtg. 8:15 A.M.	7 112 Spirit Day Morning Assembly 8:15 A.M.	8
9 Week 25	10 113	11 114	12 115 Progress Reports Available online	13 116	14 117 Valentine's Parties No Specials Early Release P/T Conf.	15
16 Week 26	17 No School President's Day	18 118	19 119 PROP Used Uniform Sales 7:30-8:15 A.M. 2:00-3:30 P.M.	20 120	21 121 Caught Being Good	22
23 Week 27	24 122	25 123	26 124 Spring pictures, 8 th Grade promotion, class pictures	27 125 Board Meeting 6:00 P.M.	28 126 Box Tops Pick Up	29