

WEINBERG ELEMENTARY JANUARY 2020

Office: 812-7500 Attendance: 812-7503 Health: 812-7502 Cafeteria: 812-7504

Dear Wrangler Families,

Happy New Year to everyone. We are at the start of a new decade and the possibilities that lie ahead of us are endless. This year will bring many changes to our Weinberg community including moving to our new school in July 2020. This is a time to reflect on who we are and what we stand for. It is the time reinvent ourselves to be future thinking and innovative as we prepare our children for a world that will look very different from the one that we know today.

Please complete the *Student Intent to Return* form online for all current students, Kinder-5th grade, at the earliest. It is critical for us to have this information as we plan for the new year. Please see additional information in this newsletter and use the following link to complete this. https://cusdelementaryed.wufoo.com/forms/weinberg-student-intent-to-return-2021/

The Governing Board is proposing to name the new elementary school after Mr. Robert Rice who served on the CUSD Governing Board between 2002 and 2018. The resolution will be read at the board meeting on January 22nd at 7 pm. It would be wonderful if our families would attend this meeting in support of Mr. Rice and our new school.

Thank you for walking this journey with us and being our partners as we educate and nurture our wonderful children.

Warmly, Shirley Mathew - Principal



AZMERIT AND AIMS SCIENCE TESTING

APRIL 1ST - APRIL 24TH

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO HAVE YOUR STUDENTS HERE AND ON TIME.

WEINBERG STAFF JANUARY BIRTHDAYS



02/ Lindsay Rude 10/Juliet Tolman 18/Jennifer Sarpy 21/Robyn Bills 22/Aleida Mercado 29/Claudia Nickel

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January

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06Office Re-opens
$06 Student\ Intent\ to\ Return(returning\ students\ Kdg-5^{th})$
07Students Return
08Kindergarten Registration opens @ 9am
13Open Enrollment begins @ 7:30 am
14Kindergarten Open House 5:30-6:30pm
16100 th Day of School
166 th Grade Payne Jr High Orientation @ 7pm
20No School
21Running Club Race @ Tumbleweed 3:30pm
226 th Grade Orientation Casteel High School
22Board Meeting – approving name of new school
@ District Office.
23Battle of the Books Competition @ 2:00 pm

24.....Rise and Shine It's Donut Time @ 7:45 am

27.....New Family Information Mtg-5:30pm

27.....Community Information Meeting-6pm

Intent to Return

In order for us to project class sizes and plan for the needs of our students for the next school year (2020-2021), **PLEASE** complete the <u>online Student Intent to Return Form</u> (click on link below) by **8:00 p.m.** on **Thursday, February 13, 2020**. The Student Intent to Return Form **MUST** be completed for **EVERY** student in <u>kindergarten through 5th grade.</u> We understand that your family may be experiencing some changes and plans are uncertain at this time. There is an option to indicate this as well. Please fill out even if you are unsure if your student will be attending the New Elementary School.

Thank you for completing our Student Intent to Return Form for the 2020-2021 school year.

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Early Entrance Kindergarten 2020-2021



Entrance testing for families that would like their child to enter kindergarten early is available. This is for children who turn five years old between the dates of September 1, 2020 and December 30, 2020 only. Students that will be five before September 1st do not need to complete this exam for kindergarten entrance. Registration for testing will open on January 13, 2020.

For more information, please visit <u>CUSD</u> <u>Assessment</u>.

KINDERGARTEN 2020-2021 Begins January 8th @ 9am

To register your new Kindergarten student, please stop by the front office to fill out a registration packet or you can print out the registration packet - www.cusd80.com/weinberg. All registration packets must include an original birth certificate, immunization records, and proof of residency. (lease/house contract, electric, gas, or water bill) If your student resides outside the Weinberg boundaries, you will need to fill out an Open Enrollment form online at www.cusd80.com If you have any questions, please call the front office at 480-812-7500.



OPEN ENROLLMENT STUDENTS

This information is for Open Enrollment for the 2020-2021 school year. If your child is currently attending Weinberg on an Open Enrollment and will attend the New Elementary 32 you do not need to re-apply for Open Enrollment for the 2020-2021 school year. You need to complete the online Student Intent to Return Form that will be sent by our office on Monday, January 6th.

An open enrollment application is only required if you wish to request a different school for your child/ren. **The application will be available online beginning Monday**, **January 13th @ 7:30 am.** Visit the district page, Elementary Open Enrollment for more information regarding Open Enrollment for the 2020-2021 school year.

Once an open enrollment application is accepted, continuing Open Enrollment is subject to review each year without reapplication if continuing at the enrolled site.

Please call us at 480-812-7500 if you have additional questions.



LOST LIBRARY BOOKS

We have over 650 lost books. Please check with your student to see if they have any lost books or you can check the parent portal. All lost books are entered in the InTouch fee system. Students who have a lost book, will not be able to check out another book until they book is returned or the fee has been paid. If you have any questions, please call the Media Center at 480-812-7500.

Parent Educational Series Located at Hamilton High School

Time: 6:30 – 8pm **Place**: Orchestra Room

Facilitator: Rajani Rastogi, LMSW (HHS

Social Worker)

1/14 – (Part 3) "Signs of Depression and Anxiety"

2/11 – (Part 4) "Vaping, teen substance abuse"

2/25 – (Part 5) "Teens struggling with Body Image"

3/31 – (Part 1) "Communication and the Teen Brain"

4/14 – (Part 2) "Strengthening Relationships/Connections"

4/28 – (Part 3) "Healthy Communications with Parents, Friends, and Dating."



<u>CEF RAFFLE TICKETS BEING SOLD ONLINE</u> <u>NOW OR PHYSICAL TICKETS STARTING</u> <u>JANUARY 21ST.</u>

Chandler Education Foundation will have physical tickets available starting Jan 21st or you can go on-line now to www.CEF-raffle.com to purchase. Select Weinberg and we receive \$4.00 per ticket sold, back to the school. lt is a winner/s-choice; choose \$27,000 off the MSRP of a 2020 Toyota or \$20,000. The cost of a ticket is \$20.00 and it is tax deductible!

Tickets are being sold through March 3rd, 2020. The raffle drawing will take place on March 23rd, 2020.

Funds raised will benefit CUSD students by providing scholarships toward college. CUSD Teachers also receive grants for classroom instruction.

Stop by the office to obtain a ticket or you can order online @ www.CEF-Raffle.com.



WEINBERG YEARBOOKS

ON SALE NOW

\$15.00 – EACH ONLINE ONLY

WWW.YBPAY.LIFETOUCH.COM CODE: - 13071520 Order by - March 31st

The Weinberg yearbook committee is pleased to announce this year's yearbook, bursting with photos, student portraits, activities, highlights, and of course, space for special autographs. Add-ons may be purchased based on preference to personalize your one of a kind yearbook. The smiles and memories of your student's year at Weinberg will be remembered forever in a yearbook.

As you make choices about purchases for your student, please consider the long-term value of a yearbook. For the price of a CD or a few music downloads, your student can have a book that captures **forever** the special events of this year. A yearbook grows more valuable over time. Can you say the same thing about a CD or a music download?

Make sure your student doesn't miss out on this opportunity! To order a yearbook(s) for your student(s), please complete and return the Yearbook Order Form. The regular price of the book will be \$15.00 and can be bought online only via the website using our school code of 10371520. The deadline to purchase is March 31st.

We all look forward to a wonderful year—and an equally wonderful yearbook.

Judges Needed for Weinberg Science Fair and Invention Convention!

Dear Weinberg Families,

We are asking for your help in judging this year's 5th and 6th grade Science Fair and Invention Convention.

Judges will be needed from 8:30 A.M. until 4:30 P.M. on Thursday, January 30, 2020 at Weinberg Elementary in the multi-purpose room.

How it works:

- Come anytime between 8:30 and 4:30. Expect to spend 30-45 minutes to help with judging. (You can always choose to stay longer!)
- When you arrive, check in at the gate with security, and they will direct you to the multipurpose room. There you will receive items needed for judging (rubric, pencil, etc.) and directions.
- Please leave younger children at home so that your attention is not divided.

You may use the SignUp Genius Link to let us know you are coming or just drop in!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E054BA9AE2CABFE3-weinberg

Please contact us if you have any questions.

Thank you for your assistance with this event!

Sincerely, Kristen Garibay and Kati Barrera

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