



*Strive for the
impossible, and be
extraordinary!*

February 14, 2020

Dear Knights,

Happy Valentine's Day! I was impressed with student behavior today given the sweets and treats. We had a great time last night at our annual 6th grade parent/student dance. Thanks to those of you were able to make it. Thank you to ACPO Boosters and NJHS student volunteers!

Chandler Innovation Fair

ACP Oakland students will be all over CUSD's Chandler Innovation Fair next Saturday at Hamilton High. Come check out the amazing things being produced by ACPO students.

Baby Pictures Wanted!

We need baby-Kindergarten pictures for our 8th grade awards night slide show. Only one per 8th grade student. Please send in JPEG format to Mrs. Kitamura at Kitamura.sheryl@cusd80.com. The due date is April 3rd.

7th and 8th grade After School Bash

ACPO Boosters are busy planning our next event! On Friday February 28th from 3-5pm our 7th and 8th graders are invited to our first annual line dancing party! Students will be taught a line dance by a local professional. What else is there to do on a Friday after school? We hope your 7/8th grader joins the fun. Tickets will be \$5 and will sold during lunches that week. See the flyer attached!

Mindfulness Room

ACPO has transformed old Room 12 into "A Calm Place" for kids to come and relax, de-stress, self-regulate and re-focus. We intend to have this room open at different times before school, at lunches and after school starting next week. This is a quiet zone. Kids can work a puzzle, color, read or simply sit in our comfy chairs and just breathe. Space is limited to 15-20 kids at a time during operating hours. We would love any support for manipulatives in this room. You can drop them off in the front office.

Wish List:

Fidget spinners, detailed coloring books, Aaron's Thinking Putty, stress balls, sand hour glass, lava lamp, noise canceling headphones, Rubik's Cubes, Cards for Calm game, padded lap boards, pot holder looms & loops, puzzles, playdoh, weighted blanket, rocking chair.

Dress Code

It is discouraging to see some 8th grade students not in dress code. Sweatshirts must be solid color, ACPO sweatshirts, or ANY college or university. *Champion* sweatshirts are not dress code. Please remind your student to make sure they are in compliance with our dress code. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Upcoming Events

To Report an Absence or Late Arrival Please Call the Attendance Line 480-224-3933

Monday	Event:	Time(s):		Location:	Notes:
February 17 2020	President's Day - No School				
Tuesday February 18 2020	Event:	Time(s):		Location:	Notes:
	Power Hour	2:50 PM	3:50 PM	Room 19	Daly's Room
	7th Grade Girls Basketball	4:30 PM	5:30 PM	Oakland Gym	Home Game vs. Casteel
	8th Grade Girls Basketball	5:30 PM	6:30 PM	Oakland Gym	Home Game vs. Casteel
	7th Grade Boys Soccer	4:30 PM	5:30 PM	Andersen El. Field	Game AT Andersen
	8th Grade Boys Soccer	4:30 PM	5:30 PM	Andersen JHS Field	Game AT Andersen
	Wrestling	4:30 PM	6:30 PM	Newell Barney MS	Away Meet at Newell Barney
	Cheer				No Practice
Teen Town Hall					
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Wednesday February 19 2020	Event:	Time(s):		Location:	Notes:
	Power Hour	2:50 PM	3:50 PM	Room 10	Lehman's Room
	7th Grade Girls Basketball	TBD	TBD	TBD	Playoff
	8th Grade Girls Basketball	TBD	TBD	TBD	Playoff
	7th Grade Boys Soccer	TBD	TBD	TBD	Playoff
	8th Grade Boys Soccer	TBD	TBD	TBD	Playoff
	Wrestling				Practice - TBD
	Cheer				No Practice
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Thursday February 20 2020	Event:	Time(s):		Location:	Notes:
	Power Hour	2:50 PM	3:50 PM	Room 16	Gustafson's Room
	7th Grade Girls Basketball				No Practice
	8th Grade Girls Basketball				Practice - TBD
	7th Grade Boys Soccer	3:00 PM	4:30 PM	Hartford	Practice
	8th Grade Boys Soccer	3:00 PM	5:00 PM	Hartford	Practice
	Wrestling	4:30 PM	6:30 PM	Willis JHS	Away Meet
	Cheer				No Practice
NJHS Meeting					
Friday February 21 2020	Event:	Time(s):		Location:	Notes:
	7th Grade Girls Basketball	6:00 AM	7:15 AM	Oakland Gym	Practice
	8th Grade Girls Basketball				Practice TBD
	7th Grade Boys Soccer				No Practice
	8th Grade Boys Soccer				No Practice
	Wrestling				Practice - TBD
	Cheer				No Practice
Painting Club Meeting 2:45 - 5 pm					

On the Horizon



- * February 17th - No School - Observation for President's Day
- * February 25th - Spring Pictures (Free Dress - Modesty Rules Apply - check Student Handbook)
- * February 28th - Spring Dance 3-5 pm
- * February 29th - EVC Wrestling Championships
- * March 9th - 23rd - Spring Break (Students return 3/24/2020)
- * May 5th - Knight of the Arts
- * May 15th - 8th Grade Semi-Formal Dance
- * May 20th - 8th Grade Awards Ceremony
- * May 27th & 28th - Semester Finals (Early Release @ 12:32 pm)

7th/8th 
Grade BASH
ACP-Oakland Gym



LINE

DANCE

JAMMIN'

Friday, Feb 28th

3:00-5:00 pm

\$5 tickets sold during lunches



Lessons, Pizza & water, refreshments, FUN!