

VALLEY VIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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"Strong people stand up for themselves. But the strongest people stand up for others." – Unknown

Bullying happens, even at our school. Talk with your kids about how to be an ally and how to get help if they are being treated badly by anyone.



WELCOME TO A NEW MONTH HERE AT VALLEY VIEW!
PARENTS AND STUDENTS PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF IMPORTANT
REMINDERS AND EVENTS IN THIS NEWSLETTER.

YEARBOOK DEADLINE

It's not too late! Numbers have to be into the publisher on April 1st.

The final deadline to buy a yearbook is Friday, April 1st. (no fooling!) The cost is \$10.00 and can only be paid in person at the finance office. (Feel free to send the funds with your student, instructing them to come to finance window.)



For those that qualify (no outstanding fines or school fees) early distribution will be on May 24th in 7th period. All others that have purchased a yearbook, but do not qualify for early distribution will receive it first thing in the morning on May 27th, the last day of school.

If you don't remember if you've already purchased one, you can access this information on www.myschoolfees.com in your payment history or by calling 801-609-2795 ext. 2 or emailing christine.beardall@nebo.edu.

We only purchase a few extra, so if your student wants one, please reserve one by the deadline. Students really enjoy looking through the pictures and signing each other's books and we don't want anyone to miss out.

STEM FAIR

Congrats to those Valley View Raptor who have participated in the STEM Fair and will be moving on. They are headed to BYU this week for the Central Utah STEM Fair or CUSF! March 30th for our 6th graders who qualified and Thursday, March 31 for our 7th graders! Good luck!

Shadow Mountain Camp

Follow this link (<https://shadowmountain.nebo.edu/news>) to get more information on Shadow Mountain Camp.

SCHOOL FEES

Yearend statements have now been mailed to those that have outstanding student fees. Please be aware that beginning in 6th grade, all students are required to pay fees each school year or apply for a fee waiver. Unpaid fees may affect a students eligibility to participate in yearend activities, such as receiving their yearbook on early distribution day. (Those with unpaid fees will receive their yearbook on the last day of school.) If you would like to apply for a fee waiver or have questions, please contact the finance office at 801-609-2795 ext. 2 or email christine.beardall@nebo.edu. We understand that some may be experiencing hardship and we are more than happy to work with you regarding the payment of fees. Thank you.

SCHOOL WIDE POSITIVE ATTENDANCE INITIATIVE

We are going to start a positive attendance initiative. Each Friday we will be pulling one sixth grade and one seventh grade student randomly out of a hat. If each person has had perfect attendance for the week they will get \$5 from the finance office. Whoever does not have perfect attendance, then the \$5 rolls over to the next week. This will go on until a person with perfect attendance is pulled. For example if it goes for 20 weeks and no one has perfect attendance then someone could win \$100.

A MESSAGE FROM THE UTAH COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The Utah County Health Department has asked us to share the following information (see attached flyer):

The Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine has received approval for the 5-11 age group! We will soon have appointments available at our Provo, AF, and Payson vaccination site by appointment only. Sign up at HealthEvents.UtahCounty.Gov or call the helpline at 801-851-4357.

You can also reach out to your pharmacy and pediatrician for a vaccine (vaccines.gov).



Please contact the Health Department or your family physician with any questions you may have about these vaccinations.

MEDICAID RESOURCES

Utah has one of the [highest rates of uninsured children](#) in the nation. Covering kids with health insurance is critical to Utah's communities. Studies have shown that a child's health coverage reduces the number of days parents have to miss work because of a sick child. Children with health insurance stay healthier because they receive medical care sooner and more regularly.

CHIP and Medicaid cover Utah children with complete coverage, ranging from regular doctor visits to emergency care. For no cost, children are able to access preventive and routine care including immunizations, dental cleanings and well-child exams. A family of four can earn up to \$53,000 annually and qualify for free or reduced cost health insurance.

[HTTPS://COVERINGKIDS.HEALTH.UTAH.GOV/](https://coveringkids.health.utah.gov/)

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