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Principal's Message

Parents and students,

There are so many things to highlight that I can't choose just one. Congratulations to the robotics team for winning the teamwork award at state, to all the actors and dancers in Vista's production of Millie, and to each of our strings groups and choir groups for their superior ratings at SUPAF. What a talented and gifted group of young people.

With spring upon us and the temperature rising, so do the tempers of young people. We have experienced a large degree of student conflict recently. I wanted to solicit your help in talking with your children and helping them learn positive outlets for any negative energy they might feel. All of us pulling together can do so much to promote positive communications among our children.

Sam Gibbs
Principal



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SCHOOL HOURS

Monday - Thursday 8:25am - 3:05pm
Early out Friday 8:25am - 12:55pm

A/B Schedule

Mondays and Wednesdays = A Day
Tuesdays and Thursdays = B Day
Fridays = A or B Day

Vista Vikings



Our First Lego League Robotics team, the Vista Vikings, competed in state competition and came home with the "Team Work" award. Great Job!

Spirit Shirt Day and PTO Dollar Denim Day

Fri Mar 9 is Spirit Shirt and Dollar Denim Day! Students may wear a spirit shirt for free, which includes Vocal Xpressions, Orchestra, VRS, etc. Students may wear

Check the school calendar to know whether a Friday is an A or B Day

Kindergarten Hours:

- M-TH: AM 8:25-11:10am *
PM 12:20 - 3:05pm
- Friday: 8:25 - 12:55 AM-A
Days * PM-B Days

The doors to Vista School will open at 8:15 am each morning. Please do not drop off students before that time

jeans (which includes colored denim) for a dollar by paying a PTO volunteer at the door. Funds help pay for classroom supplies.

No School - Spring Break

There will be no school Mon Mar 12 through Fri Mar 16.

College Week

The week of March 19-23 is College Week! There will be college based activities every day. Parents are invited to stop by the school on Thurs Mar 22 to view the College/Career Fair put on by Vista's 7th grade students. Displays will be set up for the entire school day in the gym. On Friday, students may wear a college shirt, a shirt that is the color of a college of their choice, or a uniform top. Uniform bottoms must be worn. Watch for a flier to come home with your student on Mar 19 with additional details.

College Financial Planning Parent Seminar

As part of Vista's annual College Week, there will be a free parent seminar on Thurs Mar 22 at 6:00pm. Come spend an hour and learn from financial advisor Bruce Jensen what you can do to prepare now to help your child get through college debt free. Data trends show that most jobs of tomorrow will require education beyond high school. It is not too early to begin to plan for the cost of your child's college education. Babysitting will be provided.

Jamba Juice Fundraiser

Jamba Juice discount cards are available now at the front office! \$10 for buy one smoothie get one free (up to six times, value \$35). Proceeds will help VRS with their performance trip to Disneyland. Payment can be made online at www.vistautah.com/payments or by cash or check to Vista School's front office.

Thoroughly Modern Millie Jr

Don't miss the spring musical, Thoroughly Modern Millie Jr. Tickets are available at

<https://www.vistautah.com/vista-presents-thoroughly-modern-millie-jr>. They are also available at the door before each show.

- Fri Mar 2 at 7pm (Blue Cast)
- Sat Mar 3 at noon (Red Cast)
- Sat Mar 3 at 7pm (Blue Cast)
- Mon Mar 5 at 7pm (Red Cast)
- Thurs Mar 8 at 7pm (Blue Cast)
- Fri Mar 9 at 7pm (Red Cast)
- Sat Mar 10 at 7pm (Blue Cast)

Thoroughly Modern Millie Jr - Volunteer Sign Up

Your help is needed. Please check the sign up to volunteer for an hour or two. www.SignUpGenius.com/go/5080C4AA8AA2CA13-thoroughly



Vista Conservatory Classes

Class payment is now due and may be made online at www.vistautah.com/payments or by cash or check to Vista School's front office.

Registration is still available at www.vistautah.com/after-school-programs. Look for new classes such as Intro to Filmmaking and Intro to Digital Photography.



PTO Corner

All Vista parents are invited to a PTO Meeting on Mon Mar 5 at 3:30pm. Come learn more about your child's school, get involved and help!

PTO Vista Color Fun Run is scheduled for Fri April 13 from 5:00-8:00pm at Vista. Plan on an evening of great fun: 5K Run, bike races, color throws and more! More info coming in March

Stay in the know with the PTO:

Website: <https://www.vistautah.com/pto>
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/vistapto>
Email: pto@vistautah.com

Vista Transportation

Due to the closure of the VTO bus, a group of parents have partnered with St. George Shuttle to coordinate neighborhood pickups as an alternative bus option for the remainder of the school year. If you are interested in this service, click on the link below and fill out the information to sign up your child. The more students who participate, the lower the cost will be for everyone. Questions: Maggie Yunker at mjyunk@gmail.com.

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1y82sGv-QHl3xd0fMBYRrjFcWt6pxJAnHfsmC5ddfSDY>

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