



 **Vista View volume 167 / November 16, 2018**

## **Principal's Message**

Students and Parents,

Congratulations to Vista's Code Camp participants. Vista's teams placed 1st and 3rd in the novice category (outscored all middle school, high school, and college level participants) and 3rd in the Python coding category. What an outstanding day!!

In addition, I hope that each of you is able to come to the Nutcracker this weekend. The show is completely student produced, so come to cheer them on and congratulate them on all their hard work and excellent performances.

Sam Gibbs  
Principal/Director



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### **SCHOOL HOURS**

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

## **Code Camp Awards**



Congratulations to our Vista students who placed in the Southern Utah Code Camp Competition.

### **End-of-Day Student Checkout**

Students may not be checked out less than 20 minutes before school ends (2:45pm Mon-Thurs, 12:35pm Fridays and minimum days)

### **Breakfast Club Forms Due**

Breakfast Club forms for 4th-8th grade students are due Mon Nov 19 by 8:30am. No late forms will be accepted. 8th grade students who plan to letter in Academics need to participate in both Breakfast Clubs.

### **Holiday Giving**

Vista will be helping families in need through their Holiday Giving program. Please consider this program which helps our own Vista community. [Holiday Giving: Vista2018 Holiday Giving](#)

### **Donations for teacher recognition**

Vista School is looking for business/family donations of gift cards and services for teachers as they are rewarded for great teaching. If you can contribute or need more information, please contact Mrs. Hansen at [mhansen@vistautah.com](mailto:mhansen@vistautah.com)

### **A/B Schedule**

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

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**

### **Lost and Found**

The lost and found is located in the hallway by the lunchroom. The bin will be emptied on Fri Nov 16 and taken to Deseret Industries. If you've lost something, check there before Fri Nov 16. If you've lost valuables, please check with the front office.

### **Fall Dance Concert**

Online tickets are no longer available. Tickets can be purchased at the door. Performances will be at Snow Canyon High School. The Nutcracker featuring Principal, Corps and Apprentice Dance Companies, and 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade dance classes, on Fri Nov 16 and Sat Nov 17 at 6:00pm both nights.

### **Lost Cash**

A large sum of money was found. Contact the office if you think it may be yours.

### **Dixie Direct**

The contest deadline for top sellers is this Monday Nov 19 at 10:00am.

To purchase the book sent home with your child, return \$35 payment and the blue slip to the office. If you'd prefer not to purchase the book, return the book and the blue slip to the office. Additional books are available to purchase in the business office. Parents may also "check out" additional books in the office to sell.

The contest deadline for prizes for students who sell 2, 5 or 10 books is Mon Dec 17 at 10:00am. The grade that sells the most books will win a pizza party. Questions, email [dixiedirect@vistautah.com](mailto:dixiedirect@vistautah.com).

### **Jubilee of Trees**

Enjoy the festivities at the Dixie Center, which includes performances by Platinum String Ensemble on Sat Nov 17 at 2:00pm, and Dance Company on Mon Nov 19 at 5:15pm.

### **Orchestra Concert**

Join our Platinum String Ensemble, Advanced Orchestra, Chamber Orchestra, 6-8 Grade Intermediate Orchestra and more in the Orchestra Concert on Tues Nov 20 at 6:00pm.

### **Thanksgiving Holiday Schedule**

There is no school Wed Nov 21 through Fri Nov 23. School resumes on Mon Nov 26. Happy Thanksgiving!

### **Board Meeting**

The next Vista School Board Meeting will be Wed Nov 28 at 5:00pm.

### **Dickens Festival - Oliver**

Performances of Oliver will be presented by Vista School students as a part of the Dickens Festival at the Dixie Center. 6:00pm on Wed Nov 28, Thurs Nov 29, Fri Nov 30 and Sat Dec 1.

### **Dickens Festival - Dance Company, Band and Orchestra**

On Fri Nov 30, Dance Company, Vocal Xpressions and VRS will be performing at 3:00pm at the Dickens Festival at the Dixie Center. At 4:30pm, Intermediate Band and Advanced Orchestra will perform.

### **Ivins City Events**

Youth Basketball registration is open through Nov 22. Grades 1-2 (co-ed) will play Thurs evenings (Jan 10-Feb 28) with an educational clinic on Dec 13. Grades 3-4 (co-ed) will play Tues evenings (Jan 8-Feb 26) with an educational clinic on Dec 11. Registration fee is \$26. Register at City Hall (55 N Main) or online at [www.ivins.com](http://www.ivins.com).



## **Vista Conservatory Classes**

Registration is still open. There are a variety of classes from which to choose, including soccer, musical theatre, ballet, robotics, pickleball and more. Click [HERE](#) to register and make a payment.



### **PTO Corner**

Your volunteer help is needed! Choose the event you would like to assist with through this link [www.SignUpGenius.com/go/20F0D44ABA72DA7F49-vista2](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/20F0D44ABA72DA7F49-vista2) or by visiting the PTO Facebook page [HERE](#) or e-mailing [pto@vistautah.com](mailto:pto@vistautah.com).

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