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**Principal's Message**

Congratulations to Vista's Vex Robotics teams this week. After competing at Snow College this past weekend, Vista brought home 1st and 2nd place. What an accomplishment!

Please come support our children in our annual Polar Express concerts, tonight and tomorrow night at Vista. Come enjoy a fabulous presentation

Sam Gibbs  
Principal/Director



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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

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

**VEX Robotics**



The Vista School Robotics team had a successful competition at Snow College. They took 1st place and several other awards.

**Polar Express Holiday Spectacular**

Come to our holiday concert on Fri Dec 7 and Sat Dec 8, 6:00pm both nights. Enjoy entertainment by many of our performing groups, including Orchestras, Bands, VRS, Vocal Xpressions, Advanced Choir, Dance Companies, piano and percussion soloists, and a special appearance by Santa. General admission seating will be available at the door.

**Polar Express Livestream**

For out of town relatives/friends and anyone who is unable to attend, they are invited to view the livestream of Polar Express closing night on Sat Dec 8 at [.https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pFsYe13c-a4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pFsYe13c-a4)

**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](#)  
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**Lunchroom Worker**

Mon-Fri, 11:00am-1:00pm, \$10/hour. Duties may include monitoring halls, wiping tables and serving lunch to students in grades K-8. Requires a Food Handler's Permit. No

**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**

experience necessary. Hard working, self-motivated, positive attitude and dependable. Must pass background check. To apply, please send a cover letter and resume to [employment@vistautah.com](mailto:employment@vistautah.com) by Fri Dec 7.

**Band Concert**

Vista's Bands will perform at 6:00pm on Tues Dec 11.

**Spirit Shirt Day and PTO Dollar Denim Day**

Fri Dec 14 is Spirit Shirt and Dollar Denim Day! Students may wear a spirit shirt for free, which includes Vocal Xpressions, Orchestra, Student Council, Piano, Technology, etc. Students may wear jeans (which includes colored denim) for \$1.00 by paying a PTO volunteer at the door. Funds help pay for classroom supplies.

**Nutcracker Dance Concert Video**

To purchase a download of the Nutcracker Dance Concerts, go to <https://vimeo.com/ondemand/nutcracker2018>. This link includes both nights of the concert.

**Band Fundraiser at Waffle Love**

Please join us at Waffle Love, 231 Red Cliffs Dr in St. George on Fri Dec 14, 5:00 - 11:00pm. Enjoy a treat and help to raise funds for band instruments! Mention VistaSchool Band and 15% of your purchase will be donated to the band program.

## Holiday Ornaments



The Vista School Technology Department is selling Holiday Ornaments to raise money for the Robotics program. There are 21 different handcrafted ornaments designed and made by the Tech Team and Vista students. Ornaments are available for nearly every performing group, department, activity and club. For more information about the ornaments, which are \$5, go to <https://squareup.com/store/vista-school>



## **Ice Cream Fundraiser**



**30 FatBoy Mint Chocolate  
Chip Ice Cream Sandwiches**



**30 FatBoy  
Peppermint Sundaes**



**30 FatBoy Vanilla  
Nut Sundaes**



**30 FatBoy Vanilla  
Ice Cream Sandwiches**

The Vista Yearbook Staff is creating a 10-year Anniversary edition of the yearbook that will require several extra pages. To keep the price of the yearbook from increasing, they are selling FatBoy ice cream to fundraise for the difference. Orders are due by Tues Dec 11 and will be delivered to Vista after school on Fri Dec 14. To order, go to <https://squareup.com/store/vista-school>.

## **6th-8th grade School Jackets**

There is another opportunity to order a school jacket for your child. Charcoal heather jackets with logos for dance, music, visual arts, theatre, MDT or technology are available to order for 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students. These jackets are approved outerwear during the school day. Order forms are available in the office and on the school website [HERE](#). Orders and payments are due by Mon Dec 17. No orders will be accepted without \$30 payment.

## **Kindergarten Gingerbread Man Musical**

The Kindergarten classes will be performing The Gingerbread Man Musical in the gym. They have worked so hard and are excited to perform for their families and friends.

AM Class: Wed Dec 19 at 9:00am    PM Class: Wed Dec 19 at 1:00pm

Students will wear pajamas to school as their costume for the show. Students may leave with a parent after the show.

## **Thurs Dec 20 - Minimum Day and Polar Express Day**

There will be a minimum day on Thurs Dec 20. School will end at 12:55pm for 1st-8th grade. AM Kindergarten will attend 8:25-10:25am. PM Kindergarten will attend 10:55-12:55pm.

Thurs Dec 20 is Polar Express Day! All students may wear modest pajamas (no tank tops, short shorts, bare midriffs, etc) or school uniform to school on this day. This is not a free dress day.

### **Winter Break**

There is no school Fri Dec 21 through Wed Jan 2. School resumes on Thurs Jan 3.

### **First Day Back to School**

Thurs Jan 3 will be the first day back to school after winter break. It will be a regular B day.

### **Lost and Found**

The lost and found is located in the hallway by the lunchroom. The bin will be emptied on Fri Dec 7 and taken to Deseret Industries. If you've lost something, check there before Fri Dec 7. If you've lost valuables, please check with the front office.

### **Dixie Direct**

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).



### **Vista Conservatory Classes**

Watch for next semester classes coming soon!

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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