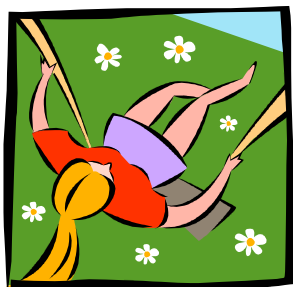


Summer School

June 2009



2. To enhance our students' writing skills we have invested in Mighty7 Authors, a computer – generated writing program authored by Brad Wilcox.
3. Rebecca Johnson is setting up a Suzuki violin class to be held at the school. More details will follow.
4. Spanish will continue and we've hired a dynamic teacher, recommended by Miss Lauren Hill, a former Ivy Hall Spanish teacher.
5. Our Spring Program will feature a dance presentation and will be held at the Covey Center.
6. We plan to implement Steven R. Covey's The Leader In Me program as we continue to develop leaders.

The Confidence to Succeed

Does it take confidence to succeed? How does a person gain that confidence? A week before school finished, I received a note from a former student, Shirley Grover, with her high school graduation announcement. It said: "Thank you for playing a big part in this. You showed me discipline and responsibility. You provided an environment in which I could attain the confidence I needed to succeed. Thank you."

How rewarding it is, as an educator, to hear from former students and learn they have gone on to achieve their goals and dreams. May we all continue to play a part in the success of others.
Susan Kirby

Calendar

June	1	Summer School begins
	25	1 st session of Summer School ends
July	4	Independence Day
	6-23	2 nd session of Summer School
Aug	18	Back-to-School Night 6:30-8:30 pm
	19	School begins



Looking Ahead

We are looking forward to next year and setting plans in motion for:

1. Young Authors' Fair where each student will compose a book of poems, short stories or a novel. This is the fair for the year – we rotate Science, Geography and Young Authors' fairs.

Parent Board Thank You

These are the people who work behind the scenes to ensure "extra" things happen at Ivy Hall. This year they have organized:

- Book Fair
- Fund Raising: Lehi Roller Mills
- Power Hours
- Teacher Appreciation
- Spring BBQ
- Friday treats for teachers

We appreciate their many hours and the valuable feedback they provide. A special thanks to: Crystal Gordon, Jamie Harmon, Glen & Celia Rollins, Janet Russon, Tanya Strate and Carol Stewart.

Summer School

The first few days of summer are exciting—time for a change of pace! However, it soon becomes apparent that children are happiest when busy. Think about Summer School. It is a blend of academics and fun.

The first morning block is spent on academics: reading, writing, and arithmetic. After recess, classes have art, activities based on the week's theme, computers and music. Students attend from 9:00-12:00 noon, Monday through Thursday. School dress standards apply, but there are no uniforms. Excellent teachers instruct, so think about it!



Remember the 3 R's!

Remember that your child should do some of the 3 R's every day. Most public libraries have summer reading programs and local stores carry workbooks. Journal writing is important. The academic loss that occurs in the summer can be lessened.

Learning should be a lifetime discipline we enjoy. Share that with your children – this summer!

Summer Office Hours

We are in the office from 8:00-2:00 p.m. during the summer. You may want to call first as we sometimes are out on errands or appointments.



\$200 Referral Fee

You are our best advertising. Have a family enroll and you receive a \$200 tuition credit the month after they have officially enrolled.

Wizard of Oz

The Wizard of Oz DVD's are still available in the office for \$5 each.

Spring Program

We congratulate our students on their presentation of a Salute to America – Our Home. We trust you enjoyed the evening at Timpview. It's so rewarding to see our students' talent and share a message of the strength of our country.

S.A.T. Results

Results of the testing are expected at the end of June. As soon as we receive them, they'll be mailed out to those with clear accounts.



Beat the Bulge

We often hear (and see) how our nation is suffering from obesity. It's now affecting our youth as they play video games or surf the internet instead of engaging in more physical activities. Children should be exercising one hour a day and adults one half hour. All physical activity counts: housework, yard work, group games, and

then just plain exercising.

Uniform Reminders

Please keep guidelines in mind as you do your shopping. Remember the following:

- Navy ties are required for boys October through April and optional for junior high girls and preschool boys

- No cargo or carpenter pants/shorts
- Girls need a rounded, collared white blouse for dress uniform days
- Dress shoes are required with dress uniform
- No open-toed shoes are allowed (our insurance carrier requires closed-toe shoes)
- Socks/stockings are to be a solid white, black, brown, navy, or hunter green
- Belts are to be a solid black, brown, or blue. Boy Scout belts without the achievement loops are ok. No metal or studded belts please
- Shirts may be white, navy, or light blue

Dennis Uniform in Salt Lake City carries all our uniform items. Girls' jumpers and boys' vests can only be purchased at Dennis. Their summer hours are Tuesday-Friday 12pm-6pm, Saturday 10am-2pm. Open Labor Day 10am-2pm. You can also order by phone (801)287-9200 * Fax (801)287-9203 or online www.dennisuniform.com (school code R14). Their address is 3560 S. Main St.

Some other places to look for uniform items are Ivy Hall Academy Used Uniform Sale, Burlington Coat Factory, Target, JC Penney's, Sears, Mervyns, Gap, Gap Outlet in Park City, Old Navy, and Land's End catalog. There are many places online to find specialty size uniforms as well. If you have any other questions, please call the school office at 801-356-1000.

Used Uniform Sale

Used uniforms are available at the school beginning July 15th. If you have items to sell, mark them with your name and price and bring them in. If you are looking for items, this is the best shopping place in town!

See our Website: ivyhallacademy.org

Look on our website for more activity photos and updates during the summer. If friends ask about the school, direct them to it.

Thank You So Much

As the staff of Ivy Hall, we thank you for a wonderful year of teaching your children and having supportive parents to reinforce learning. It is a privilege to serve you and make a difference in the lives of your children.

