

# Arcadia Thursday Note

February 12, 2009

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## Principal's Message:

I would like to thank our P.T.A for their very successful Fun Family Fitness Night. The response was overwhelming! As a principal who is new to the school this year, it was great for me to see so many families participating in the activities together.

One of the stations was a stacking cup competition. One father in particular tried several times to stack the cups faster than his daughter, but just could not, no matter how hard he tried! Again, a huge "thank you" to our fabulous P.T.A. I'm hoping this fun night will become an annual tradition at Arcadia.

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Principal

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## Calendar Items:

Thursday, February 12

Community Council – 12:00 – everyone invited

Friday, February 13

Valentines parties in classrooms

Monday, February 16

NOSCHOOL – President's Day

Monday, March 2

Bookish Breakfast – sponsored by the P.T.A to celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday

Tuesday, March 3

Bonneville Junior High School coming to register 6<sup>th</sup> grade for next year

Friday, March 6

NOSCHOOL

Monday, March 9

First grade field trip to the aquarium

Wednesday, March 11

Internet Safety assemblies – 2:00 (K–2)  
2:30 (3–6)

SEP conferences

Thursday, March 12

Community Council 12:00 – 1:00 – everyone invited  
SEP conferences

## Utah Food Bank:

Arcadia's Student Council is sponsoring a food drive this week to help fill the empty shelves at the Utah Food Bank. The Student Council went on a field trip to see first hand where how our donations are used. Please support their efforts by donating canned goods!

## This Week's Educational Acronym: AYP (adequate yearly progress):

AYP was established under NCLB (No Child Left Behind) as the measure that states must use to show that their schools are effectively working to meet basic state standards for math, reading, and attendance. In Utah, the state tests given in May (CRIs) are the indicators used to determine

**if a school has made AYP.**