



Honors Newsletter

Second Annual Hawk's Showcase

All students and parents are invited to attend the second annual Hawk's Showcase on January 28, 2009 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

This is a very nice open house where all students are invited to bring their parents to visit. Each department will provide a demonstration or program so parents can see what their students have been doing as well as for signing up for classes for next year in the following month when registration begins.

Refreshments will be served and parents are free to roam and see what they want to see.

From the Teachers...

Miss Linn 8th grade English:

For the next few weeks the students will work on five paragraph essays (mostly persuasive essays).

Mr. McClellan Honors Geography and Honors Utah Studies:

For 7th Grade Utah Studies Reading Logs for Book Talks are due every Thursday.

BYU Model U.N. Competition is on Saturday, January 24th for 9th grade students who participate in Model U.N.

9th Grade Model U.N. Meeting are held every Thursday after School

Mrs. Grossaint 7th and 9th grade Science:

7th Grade cell projects are due January 13th.

Mr. Oakeson 8th grade Science:

Science projects will be due Feb 14th (Valentine's Day). The science fair should be an experiment type project with the data graphed not an opinion survey.

If you have a student in Mr. Oakeson's class you'll want to take a look at his website:

<http://www.myedesk.org/~oakesonw/>

There is also a link to it off the school's main website: <http://www.graniteschools.org/jr/hunter/>

~Ask your student about it~

He is also planning to add to his first podcast. He wants to get students to do the podcasts so they are available through iTunes or other podcatchers. The podcast site where the students can get the RSS feed is at <http://8thgradescience.podomatic.com/>. Just go there right click on the RSS button, copy, paste it into the advanced tab of the podcast button in iTunes. Then they can automatically get the podcast whenever there is a new one or they can go to that website.

Pioneer Theatre

Upcoming Pioneer
Theatre plays:

January 21--
The Yellow Leaf

February 25--
Romeo and Juliet

April 1--
Dial "M" For Murder

We appreciate all who have volunteered to accompany the students to the plays.

You will be contacted if you have volunteered and have not yet gone to a play.

We hope that this is a program that we will be able to offer our students for many years to come.

Please let the school administration know how much your children are enjoying these plays.



2009 UAGC Super Science Family Jamboree

UAGC's first *Super Science Family Jamboree* will be held Thursday, January 29, 2009 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the South Towne Expo Center.

The Utah Science Center will be there with hands-

on exhibits; local businesses and UAGC affiliate organizations are planning activities; and there will be vendors on hand with games, books, and other materials for teachers and families of gifted children.

Admission to the Jamboree is free!

Spread the word and join us for this fun-filled and informative open house.

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