

Dear Parents,

The children had a fantastic time at the Seaquest Aquarium. The best part about this field trip is that you get to touch all the creatures! We heard so many kiddos telling us "this was the best day ever"! We want to thank those parents who came to help chaperone and keep all our students safe. Our next field trip is an "in house" field trip experience. We are going to start studying about reptiles and amphibians in the month of March. We have Creature Encounters scheduled to come on March 16th to enhance our reptile and amphibian studies. The only way to keep these educational experiences happening is by your generous donations. If you haven't donated yet to our field trip fund, or you would like to donate a little more, please click [here](#).

Mother & Son Dance: Tonight, February 16th: 5:00-8:00 in the PAC. This is a special event for Mother's and Son's to have a special night together. It is \$15 per couple and \$2 for each additional child.

All that Jazz Gala: Saturday, February 24th, 6:00 PM. An annual, one night only charity event for the benefit of AISU and the new Athletic Facility! It is \$50 per couple and \$35 for a single ticket. For more Gala information and to purchase a ticket click [here](#). We have attached a flyer below.

Dr. Seuss Spirit Week: During the week of February 26th-March 2nd, the elementary department is participating in Dr. Seuss Spirit Week. We are going to have fun activities scheduled each day themed around Dr. Seuss. On Thursday March 1st, it's "Read Across America" day and we are going to have a mini read-a-thon! We invite the kids to bring in a few books, blankets and pillows to snuggle in and get read to, and read themselves. Check our themes out in the flyer attached below!

Snack: We are back to the beginning of the alphabet for snack donations. **If your child's name begins with the letter A**, it's your child's turn to **donate snack** for the week. Please remember that we try to have a low sugar (if possible) snack each day. If you are able, please provide a snack for 54 children **for at least 1 day** during the week. Please be advised, we do have a child with a serious allergy to Nuts!

Upcoming:

February 16h- Mother and Son Dance 5-8 PM in the PAC *for more information contact casey.stumph@aisutah.org

February 19th- **No School**

February 24th- GALA Night 6:00 **"All That Jazz"** Please see the attached flyer below

February 26-March 2nd- Dr. Seuss Spirit Week *Please see attached flyer below for daily details*

February 26th-March 2nd- Book Fair (50% of all proceeds go towards AISU)

March 5th- **No School**

March 9th-Movie Night

March 16th- **In house Field Trip Experience:** Creature Encounters 9 AM **(\$5 for those who have not donated the yearly amount) ALL STUDENTS ATTEND AM SESSION (8:30-10:15)**

March 20th- **Kindergarten Holi Color Festival-** Send your child to school in a white t-shirt to get covered in colored non-toxic chalk. This is such a fun event not to be missed!

March 26th-March 30th- Spring Break: **No School**

April 16th- Zoo Field Trip: **(\$5 for those who have not donated the yearly amount) ALL STUDENTS ATTEND ALL DAY** Depart AISU at 9:30 return at 2:30

May 17th- Dinosaur Park Field Trip: **(\$5 for those who have not donated the yearly amount) ALL STUDENTS ATTEND ALL DAY** Depart AISU at 8:45 return at 2:30

May 22nd & May 24th- Last Student Led Conferences

May 25-May 28th- **No School**

June 6th- Kindergarten Graduation!!! 10:00 am in the PAC ALL STUDENTS ATTEND AM SESSION

June 8th- Last Day of School: Field Day ALL STUDENTS ATTEND AM SESSION

We added a lot of new footage from the aquarium to the Facebook Page. If you haven't already checked it out, you really should. It's a great place to keep caught up on what is going on and see fun pictures also!

Don't forget to check out AISU's website- www.myaisu.org and our elementary private **Facebook page at AISU Elementary K-5th Grade Official Group**

Have a great LONG weekend with your family!

The Dragonfly Crew

***"Education breeds confidence. Confidence breeds hope. Hope breeds peace."
-Confucius***