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PTO Newsletter



September 26: School Pictures

October 3-7: Parent/Teacher Conferences and Annual Book Fair

October 4: PTO Meeting

October 5: Walk-to-School Day

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We are in the process of rescheduling the Fall Fun Festival. Information to come.



Help Our School While You Shop!

Join the AmazonSmile program! Through this program, our school can now get a percentage of purchases made on Amazon.com.

AmazonSmile lets customers enjoy the same selection of products, low prices, and convenient shopping features...and **Parley's Park will receive 0.5%** of the price of eligible purchases at no additional cost to you.

To enroll, please select *PTA Utah Congress Parleys Park Elementary School PTA* whenever you shop on Amazon.

To set up this service, visit <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/47-0878900>.

Please sign up before the holiday shopping season!

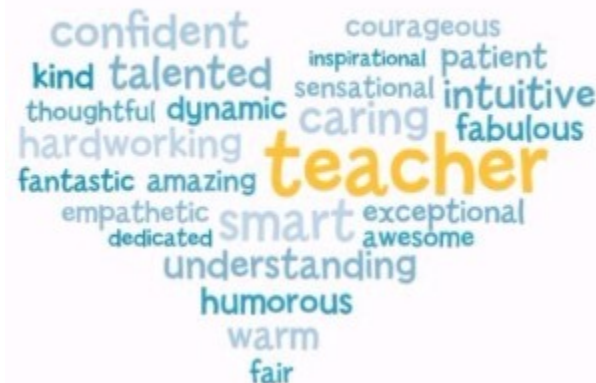
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Parley's Park Annual Book Fair is October 3rd - 7th

Each year, the proceeds from the Book Fair provide Scholastic Newsletters to all of our students and help teachers get additional books for their classrooms. This is a great opportunity to support the school by purchasing books for your children after your parent/teacher conference.

We are also looking for volunteers to help set up on the afternoon of Friday, September 30th, staff two-hour shifts during the week and help take down on Friday, October 7th. Please sign up and help where you can. We appreciate your support.

[Sign up here!](#)



Parent/Teacher Conferences Next Week

Parent/Teacher Conferences are next week, October 3 - 7th. During this time, our teachers put in long hours to get all of their work done and meet with parents. The PTO is organizing meals and snacks for the teachers during this week.

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Please click on the link below to volunteer to bring something. Help us make this week a success!

[Sign up here!](#)



EATS is partnering with PCSD Child Nutrition Services (CNS) for Taste Tests this year in their new program called ADVENTURE BITES. It's part of the new 15 TO CLEAN PROGRAM, where eighteen new, healthy recipes (many from local gourmet restaurants) will be introduced to students who will decide which stay and which go! Learn more about this program at the [PCSD website](#).

Our next taste test will be Deer Valley Avocado Salsa on September 28th.

To volunteer, [please sign up here!](#)



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Basin Recreation Fall Offerings

Little Dribblers Basketball: Pre-K - 2nd Graders; October 12th – 17th

Volleyball: 3rd - 8th Graders; October 11th – November 10th

UEA Break Camp: 6 - 12 year olds; October 20th & 22nd

Big Foot Soccer: 3rd - 9th Graders; October 24th – December 13th

Skills and Drills Basketball Clinic: 3rd - 8th Graders; Oct 7th – December 9th

Celebrate the Spirits Trick-or-Treat Run: All Ages - October 29th

For more information and to register, please visit the [Basic Recreation web site](#).



BEYOND MEASURE - Thursday, Sept 29 at 6:30pm

Jim Santy Auditorium

Admission is FREE

Not rated, 80 min

Rather than ask why our students fail to measure up, this film asks us to reconsider the greater purpose of education. What if our education system valued personal growth over test scores? What if we decided that the higher aim of school was not the transmission of facts or formulas, but the transformation of every student? Beyond Measure offers a positive picture of what's possible in American education when communities decide they are ready for change.

Post film Q&A with James Harvey, director of The National Superintendents Roundtable, who has helped shape national thinking about American schools for nearly four decades.

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[Free pre-film reception from 5:45-6:30pm](#) | [Learn about new tech tools that support](#)

STEM-based learning and Verizon Wireless' Innovative Learning App Challenge (<http://appchallenge.tsaweb.org>).

A special film screening for kids (ages 5+) with snacks will be presented in partnership with the Park City Library from 6:30-8:30pm in room 301. RSVP required for kids' film as space is limited. Admission is FREE. (email director@parkcityfilmseries.com)

Presented in partnership with Park City Day School, Park City Education Foundation, Park City School District and Weilenmann School of Discovery. Part of the Reel Community Series, presented with support from Verizon Wireless.

<http://parkcityfilmseries.com/movie.php?uid=1038>

FANTASTIC MR FOX - Saturday, October 1 at 4pm

Jim Santy Auditorium and Summit County Library in Kimball Junction

Admission is FREE

Rated PG, 87 min

This is the story of one Mr. Fox and his wild-ways of hen heckling, turkey taking and cider sipping, nocturnal, instinctive adventures. He has to put his wild days behind him and do what fathers do best: be responsible. Based on the popular Roald Dahl children's book. Part of the Books 2 Movies program presented in partnership with the Park City and Summit County Libraries.

<http://parkcityfilmseries.com/movie.php?uid=1039>



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