

Dilworth Dragons  
A MONTH AT A GLANCE  
February and March, 2020

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**LOOKING AHEAD TO FEBRUARY AND MARCH**

Feb. 7	Principal Coffee 8:30am in the GLC
Feb. 12	Class Photos 8:30am
Feb. 13	HSC Meeting 7:00pm in the GLC
Feb. 17-21	<b>Mid-Year Recess - NO SCHOOL</b>
Feb. 24-28	Book Fair 8:30-3:00
Feb. 26	Family Literacy Night 6:00-8:00pm in the GLC
Mar. 3	Ability Awareness 8:30-1:50pm
Mar. 9	SSC Meeting 7:45am
Mar. 12	HSC Meeting 7:00pm in the GLC
Mar. 13	<b>Staff Learning Day - NO SCHOOL</b>
Mar. 26	Science Fair 6:00-8:00pm in the GLC
Mar. 27	2nd Trimester Report Cards go home

**KEEP YOUR CHILD HEALTHY**

**Frequent hand washing can reduce school absences**

Scientists estimate that up to 80% of infections are spread through poor hand hygiene. That means a simple step--hand washing--is the top way to stay healthy and avoid missing school. Teach your child to:

\*Wash properly. They should wet their hands, lather with soap and wash for 20 seconds. It takes about this long to sing the "Happy Birthday" song twice.

\*Include all parts of their hands -- front, back, fingernails, between fingers, etc. After washing use a clean paper towel to dry.

\*Wash hands often, especially before eating. Soap and water work best. If they aren't available, they can use a hand sanitizer. To be effective, a sanitizer should have at least 60% alcohol.

\*Sneeze or cough into your elbow instead of your hand to reduce the spread of germs to others.

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL SICK!!**

**DILWORTH ANNUAL PARENT SURVEY** - Dilworth's School Site Council serves as an advisory body to help inform the school in regards to our school's academic focus, socioemotional goals and supporting activities. As we look at the programs, curriculum, and practices that support our students, it is important that we have your input as a key stakeholder of Dilworth. Please take a few minutes to complete our school's survey. **The survey window is February 3rd through February 28th.** The findings of this survey will be shared with you in late spring. Please access the survey at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WNJW8JL>

**DILWORTH HSC SCIENCE FAIR 2020** - The annual HSC Science Fair is scheduled for March 26th. An information/registration flyer will be going home on Friday via the Friday folder. Registration forms will be due by March 12th. Free science display boards can be picked up from the office or the library beginning the week of February 10th. Questions, please contact Mrs. Gauthier at [gauthiersusan@cusdk8.org](mailto:gauthiersusan@cusdk8.org)

**FAMILY LITERACY NIGHT AND SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR** - Our annual Family Literacy Night is scheduled for Wednesday, February 26th, beginning at 6:00pm. We will once again offer a fun-filled evening of literacy activities, food truck cuisine, the Scholastic Book Fair, as well as guest readers - students and CUSD Board Members! Hope you will join us in sharing the joy of reading with our community. The Scholastic Book Fair will be open during the whole week, Feb. 24th - 28th, as well as the evening of Literacy Night until 8:00pm.

**YEARBOOK 2019 - 2020** - Online ordering is now available for our 2019 - 2020 school yearbook. If you have an account from last year simply log in at: [www.treering.com](http://www.treering.com) to place your order. To set up a new account: Log on //to [www.TreeRing.com/validate](http://www.TreeRing.com/validate) and enter our school's passcode1013461755883829. There is the option to include two custom pages which are free and are printed in only your book. Want more pages? Each additional page is just \$0.99. If you have any question or are interested in helping to create yearbook pages, please contact Nicky Sardar at [sardar.nicky@gmail.com](mailto:sardar.nicky@gmail.com) or Susan Gauthier at [gauthier\\_susan@cusdk8.org](mailto:gauthier_susan@cusdk8.org) For flyer information <https://www.treering.com/validate?PassCode=103461755883829>

**ABILITY AWARENESS DAY ON MARCH 3RD** - We will celebrate Ability Awareness Day on March 3rd. Please consider volunteering in the classroom for educating and creating awareness among our students. If you are able to volunteer, please click on this link: [Abilities Awareness Sign Up](#)

**LOST AND FOUND ITEMS** - Please check the container near room 17 for any lost and found items. They will be donated to a charity on Friday, February 14th.

