

PTVO Message

Hi Everyone, this is your Diamond Valley Parent Teacher Volunteer Organization and we want to share with you the great events and activities we do this year:

Fall Carnival
Meals for Teachers during SEPs
Maturation for 5th graders
Dads and Donuts
Moms and Muffins
Monthly Newsletter
Maintenance of School website
Social media pages
Talent Show

Family Week
Movie Night
Swim Party
Spring Family Fun Run
Yearbook
Teacher Appreciation Week
Box Tops
School Shirts
Fundraising

As fun as all of these activities are, they require a lot of time and effort to plan. Sometimes the same 5-8 parents take care of all the work and though we appreciate their service, more than they know, we would be grateful to incorporate more of you in this wonderful process. The more people we include the less work it is for everyone.

We would love to get some more volunteers involved this year by coming to our PTVO meetings and seeing what we are all about. Everyone is welcome! If we are not able to get more volunteers we may have to start taking things off this list for next year; we definitely do not want to do that. ☺ Please join us at our next PTVO meeting, November 9th at 9 am and give us your ideas and input for keeping things going at DVES. We look forward to meeting you!

Christmas in Dixie

Our wonderful Diamondback Show Choir has been invited to participate in Dixie High School's benefit concert "Christmas in Dixie." They will be performing on November 28th at 6 pm and the cost of admission is \$10-\$15 per family or \$5 per person. All proceeds go toward Dixie's Angel Tree. We hope you will come and support this worthy cause. (Please note: student performers are free, but family members are charged admission.)

SEPs

It's time for our second round of SEPs. This is a chance for you to meet with your child's teacher and discuss the progress your child is making in school. Our school wide goal is 100% attendance at SEPs so we ask you to please schedule a time to meet with your child's teacher either during SEP week or at another time that works for the teacher and yourself. Remember, school will dismiss at 1:15 each day so please plan accordingly. Thank you! We can't wait to see you!

Dads and Donuts

Calling all Dads, Uncles, Brothers, Cousins, or whoever else wants to hang out at the school and eat donuts with their Diamond Valley Diamondback. Dads and Donuts is November 15th from 7:30-8:45 am. Each student in the school may invite a guest to come and spend time with them while enjoying donuts and conversation together. Hope to see you there!

Social Media Contest

Did you know Diamond Valley Elementary is on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter? We would like to invite all of you to follow us on social media to stay informed throughout the year. Because we do not know how many of you we are reaching, we have decided to have a Social Media Contest, during SEP week (November 12-15) with cash prizes for the teachers who end up 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. The classes who receive the most points will win the prizes and the money received will go directly to their classroom. Here's how you participate:

Follow dvesdiamondbacks on Instagram and write your child's teacher's name in the comments of the most recent post (you get one point for each child's teacher ie if you have 3 students at DVES, you can get 3 points – one for each teacher). Next follow Diamond Valley Elementary School on Facebook and write your child's teacher's name in the most recent post (you also get one point for each child's teacher). Last, follow Diamond Valley Elem. on Twitter and write your child's teacher's name in the most recent post and you will get one more point per teacher per child. We hope to fill our teacher's pockets and fill your information needs. Please join us for this fun competition.



Book Fair



Do your kids love reading and enjoy owning their own books? If so, come to the Diamond Valley Book Fair November 12-15th, hosted by our wonderful Librarian, Mrs. Wittwer. Proceeds from the Book Fair benefit your children so it's a "Win-Win" for everyone. More information, including Book Fair hours, will be sent home with students.

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