

THE DODGE DISPATCH

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Dates to Remember:

Labor Day No School	9/5
Sandwich Saturday 7:30 am	9/10
Conference 1/2 Days 9/14 to	9/16
Arena Conferences 5–7 pm	9/15
Scholastic Book Fair 9-/9 to	9/19
Picture Make-Up Day	9/23
PAC Meeting 6 pm	9/26
Site Council 4 pm	9/28
Band & Orchestra Concert	9/29

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITY PICK-UP CHANGES

Parents, we are changing our routine for those students who stay after school for detention, tutorial, sports, etc. If your child is staying after school and you are planning to pick them up, please plan to travel a little further east and turn on Sahuara (the street on the east side of the school). to pick your child up. We want to ensure that there is supervision for your child and we will be in the bus bay area to make sure that the students get on the bus and don't miss it. If parents are not here to pick up their child by the time the activity bus is leaving, your child will be placed on the activity bus to make it safely home. We want all of our children safe. We appreciate your support in picking up your child on time as teachers want to go home to their families too.



CAMPUS BEAUTIFICATION



There was a great turnout at our first campus beautification Saturday. So many things were accomplished such as touch up painting, organizing the AV room, locating books for Dr. Asbill's music class, finding chess boards and pieces, labeling the computers in the computer lab, and lots of little tasks that don't take that long but tend to get pushed aside. Thank you to all the volunteers who attended.

The student body has taken on the task of helping to keep our campus clean; home base classes are doing yard clean-up. The classes have been divided into three groups with three different areas to help maintain a clean campus. We are very appreciative of the students' eagerness to keep our campus clean.

Success seems to be connected with action. Successful people keep moving. They make mistakes, but they never quit.

—Conrad Hilton

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HOMESWORK TIPS



Here are some strategies to help students improve grades and complete homework:

- Try to find a quiet spot to complete homework.
- Complete most of your homework as early as possible before engaging in games or entertainment or before it gets late and you get tired.
- When you need a break walk outside or do something physical which will relax your brain.
- Work on an uncluttered table to help you write more clearly and align your numerical operations.

CONFERENCEES

Parent Teacher Conferences are just around the corner. Dodge does them a little differently than many schools. The teachers will have a list of students that they must meet with the parent during the afternoon for the half days. Parents will be contacted to schedule a time. On Thursday evening from 5 pm to 7 pm, parents who didn't attend a conference can come and talk to each of their child's teachers individually to discussion issues or concerns.

PICTURE MAKE-UP AND RETAKES

Picture make-up will be held on Friday, September 23, 2016 during first period. Students who were not present at Registration Pick-up in July need to get their picture taken, so that they will have a picture in the Dodge yearbook. Students who need to have their pictures retaken should bring their picture packet on Friday. Interstate Studios will take make-up and re-take pictures for students. Teachers will also have an individual and group picture taken on Friday morning by Interstate Studios as well.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR PAC

We had our first PAC meeting on Monday, August 22nd. The Dodge Carnival is scheduled to be held on November 4, 2016. PAC is looking for parent(s) to be the contact individuals for the following items: Thursday teacher snacks coordinator, Silent auction facilitator, and Teacher appreciation luncheons coordinator.

PAC — FUNDRAISERS

The PAC is providing a snack bar for the home games this school year. Come by and buy some water or snacks during the athletic events and support the Dodge PAC.

PAC will have its next Arizona Pizza Fundraiser on Tuesday, September 20th from 4:00 pm to 9:00 pm. It will be the 4th Tuesday of the month. Come out and meet friends and enjoy good food. PAC receives 20% of the Dodge sales, so be sure to mention you are with Dodge when you phone in or place your order.

DODGE WEBSITE

Parents, we get lots of information about resources and happenings—you can check out our site where we will post any resources or information that we receive that may become available after a Dispatch has been delivered but is a timely message. When you have that time, you might want to add the Dodge website as a favorite. . <http://dodgemagnet.weebly.com/>

DODGE MUSCLE !!

Dodge students help keep the school organized.

Thank you to Levi, Victor, Martin & Tony who helped get New Text-books out to the classrooms.



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