

THE WEEKLY GROWL

NORTH STAR ACADEMY NEWSLETTER

JUNE 7, 2017



North Star Academy exists to ENGAGE and INSPIRE students to achieve their highest potential through a SAFE, CHALLENGING, and INDIVIDUALIZED learning environment.

DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents,

Thank you for a wonderful school year. Please have a safe and family filled summer.

Congratulations to our final Principal's 200 Club winners.



Sincerely,
Tana Archer, M. Ed.
Director
North Star Academy

EVENT CALENDAR

June 7	Last Day of School!!
June 7	Kindergarten Promotion 8:35am
June 7	9th Grade Lagoon Day
June & Aug	Office hours will be 9am-3pm
Aug. 3	Middle School Registration 10am-3pm
Aug. 14	Back to School Night 5pm-7:30pm

June Healthy Habits

Use sunscreen this summer to help keep your skin healthy and free of sunburns!



Any money you have left in your 9th grade students lunch account will be rolled over to the siblings. If you do not have younger students, you will be mailed a check after the school year has ended.



Please come and look through the lost and found. We are overflowing. All unclaimed items will be donated at the end of school.

FREE Summer Food Service Program through Jordan School District.

This program provides nutritious meals free of charge to children 18 years of age and younger. The program will run from June 5th - Aug. 11th 2017 Monday thru Friday, No service July 4th and July 24th. The following locations offer Breakfast and Lunch services:

Riverside Elementary
8737 S 1220 W
West Jordan, UT 84088

Westvale Elementary
2300 W 8660 S
West Jordan, UT 84084

Job Openings

**Openings for next year include:
4th, 5th, and 6th grade aide positions,
M-F 20-22 hours per week.**

Questions? Interested applicants can email inquiries and resume to tarcher@north-staracademy.com or apply on-line via our website <http://www.north-staracademy.com/nsa-career-opportunities.html>



Thank you to all who helped make our fundraiser yard sale a success! We had a great turnout and overwhelming support. **We received over \$5,000 to be donated to 3 NSA families.**



Thank you to everyone who donated supplies to our Day of Service projects. Thank you to all the parents who volunteered their time during our Day of Service and to our Fundraiser Yard Sale. North Star Academy will donate over 200 craft kits, 68 chemo kits, 60 origami kits, 21 fleece blankets and many stuffed monsters to Primary Children's Hospital. We are donating many pet toys that students made to the Humane Society. We also made place mats for our local Senior Citizen Center. North Star students also made 200 school kits that will go to children in Africa, as well as sock babies that serve as a comfort to children in Africa during painful procedures. Our amazing students also helped out in the community by weeding flower beds, basic cleaning, filling food boxes and sorting donations at the Road Home, Riverton Food Pantry and Riverton Senior Citizen Center. Thank you again for helping North Star make our Day of Service so successful.

~Mrs. Edman and Mrs. Ryan

Congratulations to the North Star Academy Middle School Debate Team! We had a very successful year this year, with six teams competing on the state level. A big shout-out to:

Connor Young & Anna Thomas
Abbey VanLeuven & Natalie Slagowski
Madeline Brown & London Warnick
Ivan Hutchings & Casey Hardy
Bridger Thorne & Bradley Beeson
Ethan Rowser & Greyson Rynders



They all competed in the State Competition of Middle School Policy Debate, which required putting in hundreds of extra hours researching, learning incredibly technical jargon and international politics, and practicing. Luckily, all their hard work paid off! Anna Thomas and Connor Young took 4th overall in Middle School State Policy Debate, Bridger Thorne & Bradley Beeson took 10th overall, Abbey VanLeuven & Natalie Slagowski took 11th overall, and Bridger Thorne was ranked the 6th best Policy Debate Speaker in the State.

Congratulations Debate Team! You made your coach and your school proud!