

# Friday notes.....October 6, 2006

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**FALL BREAK - NO SCHOOL!**  
**Thursday, October 12 and Friday, October 13<sup>th</sup>.**  
**Please remember that Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday are full normal school days.**

## SPECIAL STUDENT NOTICE!

**"THE END "**

Dear NDPA students,

I am writing this while trying to ride a unicycle through a corn field. I do hope you students are able to get this information in time. Once you have read it, be sure to tear this into small pieces and hand it to the first person you see selling sugar bowls.

In conjunction with the upcoming release of the 13th book in A Series of Unfortunate Events, the school library will be hosting "Three Days of Unfortunateness". Do not stop by the library next Monday through Wednesday for your daily activity sheet- it can only lead to distress and the possibility of winning an unwanted prize. (Each activity sheet that you complete is your entry form to win one of 25 "The End" gift packs.) This is a dreadful activity to do on your own time after you have finished any ghastly homework you may have.

The school library has copies of the other volumes in the series available for checkout, but be warned: give a friend a book and he is happy for hours, read a book yourself and you could get a paper cut.

Have an uneventful weekend.

Your Friends at VFD (*submitted by Lemony Snicket*)

## WEBSITE HAS BEEN IMPROVED!

We hope you have each taken a moment to check out the website updates. Go to: [www.northdavisprep.org](http://www.northdavisprep.org).

1. We are working very hard to update our site with weekly information about your student(s) grades.
2. We have a new calendar program that is updating the school web calendar daily.
3. Please look for the school monthly Lunch Menu.
4. We continue to improve and update regularly. Please check out the constantly changing information about the school.

## LOST AND FOUND GOING TO CHARITY!

NDPA Lost and Found is overflowing. We can no longer house missing items for extended periods of time. Starting October 31, all items not retrieved will be donated to a local charity store on a monthly basis. Each month on the last day school is in session will be "Send Lost and Found to charity day". Please come feel free to come in prior to that day and check for your personal items that your student has not

retrieved. We make every effort to return things, but unmarked items will automatically be sent.

## HELP SECURE OUR SCHOOL!

Parent Volunteers! We need your help! When helping at the school, all volunteers need to sign the volunteer time sheets and wear a name badge in the school. This helps our office staff, teachers and even students know who you are and that you belong in the school. This helps keep everyone safe.

? *What time in school lunch? a. Check the website.*

## North Davis Preparatory Academy (NDPA) After-School Behavior and Participation Guidelines (Also known as L.E.A.R.N)

It is the purpose of the after-school programs offered at NDPA to provide activities that will enhance the students' educational experience, and most importantly, to have fun!

All after-school programs are run by volunteers who are willing to offer their time, energy and talents to teach the students. As such, it is important to remember that there are expectations that must be met, by both students participating in the programs, as well as their parents.

This year we want to introduce L.E.A.R.N. It stands for the following:

- **L -Listen**  
Listen and follow the directions by the instructors or any other adult volunteers.
- **E -Engage**  
Engage yourself in the after-school program(s) and contribute to an environment of learning. Don't be a detractor.
- **A -Abide**  
Abide by the time allotted for each of the programs. Students, please arrive on time so you don't miss out on instruction. Parents, please make sure that you pick up your child when class time ends. Only children participating in activities should stay. All other children should be picked up at regular school dismissal.
- **R -Respect**  
Respect property. It is important that students stay in the location where the after-school program is being held. Please do not leave until class time is over, or go outside on the playground equipment, in teacher's classrooms, or in other unsupervised areas. Please do not damage any property on the school grounds or you will be responsible to replace the damaged items.
- **N-Nice**  
It's important to be nice to all the instructors, volunteers, and other students participating in the programs.

This will be the standard to which both students and the parent's of students involved in any of the after-school programs will be responsible. We want to foster an atmosphere of teaching, learning, and enjoyment.

If any of these L.E.A.R.N guidelines are broken by a student, the instructor of the after-school program will contact the parent, either by telephone or in person, and inform the parent of the violation. If one or any of the guidelines continues to be challenged by the student, the parent will be contacted again and the child will be excused from the program and NO monetary reimbursement will be offered.

? *What's for lunch today? Check the website.*

**Book Fair Experiences Great Success!**

Way to go NDPA! Your purchases earned the library over \$1200 to buy books and Mrs. Killpack, our librarian was able to choose over \$400 in titles from the book fair cases to add to the library's shelves. THANK YOU to the book fair committee: *Candice Hamblin, Julie Linford, Maggie Arave, Shirley Knight, Amy Wilde, Alisha Regis, Jill Bronson, Gisette Eckert, Aimee Losee, Laurie Younger, Theresa Evans, Angela Nippert, Angie Hinckley, Kati Peters, Cami Sandberg, Shamberly Bigelow, Cher Case, Lynne Farzati, Larisa Page, Melinda Budge, Sheryl Gibbs, Dixie Hatch, Margaret Young, Jacinda Kirk, Kristie Ruth, Katie Peace, Vanessa Kaye, Julie Sukmungsa, Marci Whitesides, Ginger Schneidewende, and Angee Lowry.*

These moms made sure all of you were taken care of when you shopped, helped set up, decorate, and pack it all up-we couldn't have done it without them. Watch for the buy one get one free book fair in the spring.

(Submitted by Kim Valeika - POET)

? *When is the next school day off? Check the website!*

**GOLD MEDAL MILE**

The school sponsored family exercise activity for October is the 5K Run. You may count the miles on your passports for anyone in your family who participates in the 5K Run this month. EAT SMART, DO YOUR PART! Next time you have a "snack attack" remember:

1. Choose snacks that are low in fats.

2. Select fruits and vegetables in a rainbow of colors.
3. Think bite-sized. Finger foods work best.
4. Limit sugar-filled beverages and snacks.
5. Keep it small. A snack is an "extra", not another meal.

**RECIPE - A PURPLE COW**

Break a frozen banana into pieces and put it in the blender. Cover with ½ cup low-fat milk, ½ cup of grape juice and 1 teaspoon of vanilla extract. Blend until it's as thick as a milk shake.

? *Didn't get an issue of Friday notes..? Check the website!*

**CHESS CLUB NEEDS YOUR HELP!**

After School Chess- Chess club is in dire need of volunteers. Please help. Contact Trisha Cook 612-2013. We would also like to remind everybody to exit out the doors near the garbage outside. Please be aware that chess ends at 4 p.m. NO CHESS CLUB next week, OCT. 12<sup>th</sup>, because of Fall Break.

? *How do find out about the Fall Carnival? Check the website!*

**VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION**

Have you ever wondered how to recognize someone for their tremendous work as a volunteer? If you have answered yes to this we have the perfect way to do this. On the bulletin board behind the volunteer sign-in table there are two folders. One contains the nomination form needed to recognize a wonderful volunteer; the other is where you place your nomination. We know there are many deserving volunteers out there, so please take the time to nominate someone for the month of October. Let's not let a chance to recognize a deserving individual pass by. Please fill out a nomination today!

Nominations need to be submitted by the 30<sup>th</sup> of each month and the winners will be announced by the 10<sup>th</sup> of the following month. Each winner will receive a prize. If you have questions you can contact Shannon Anderson at 444-3130 or email kar2par@yahoo.com.

? *When is School Photo Make up day? Check the website!*

**Lunch Schedule for Next Week**

<b>Monday, October 9</b>	<b>Tuesday, October 10</b>	<b>Wednesday October 11</b>	<b>Thursday, October 12</b>	<b>Friday, October 13</b>
Macaroni & Cheese or Chicken Sandwich or Munchable. Choice of side dish , Fruit and Vege bar and Choice of milk.	Burrito or Enchilada or Muchable. Choice of side dish , Fruit and Vege bar and Choice of milk	Pizza or Munchable Choice of side dish , Fruit and Vege bar and Choice of milk	<b>NO SCHOOL - FALL BREAK</b>	