



# North Davis Preparatory Academy

Utah's 1st International Spanish Academy

## THE LION'S DEN

### Extra Curricular Activities for Grade's 7,8 & 9

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5 - 9 Bldg. 1591 W. Hill Field Rd. Layton, Utah 84041 801.336.3601

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"Home of the Lions"

#### MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!

- April 2nd- Teachers Compensation Day No School
- April 5th-9th- Spring Break No School

See: [www.northdavisprep.org](http://www.northdavisprep.org) for additional events.

#### Student Officers:

Samantha Lythgoe- President  
 Tanisha Poulsen- Vice President  
 Caitlyn Wallace- Secretary  
 Elizabeth Bean - 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Rep.  
 Abby Hoferitza - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Rep.  
 J.P. Bieniek - 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Rep.  
 Advisor: Mr. B. Bostick  
[bbostick@northdavisprep.org](mailto:bbostick@northdavisprep.org)

#### Student Government:

##### "Paso a Paso"

##### ("One Step at a Time")

LION PRIDE— Get involved in activities and events during and after school. Contact your class representative for ideas and to voice suggestions to "Make a Difference - Paso a Paso!"



#### Explore Test for 9th Graders

On April 16<sup>th</sup> from 1:00-4:00, 9<sup>th</sup> grade students who signed up will be taking the EXPLORE test (Practice ACT). This preparatory test will provide students with valuable feedback as they enter high school, highlighting their strengths and areas for improvement before taking the actual college entrance exam. The test will be held in Ms. Anderson's room. Students have been asked to pay the office \$7.50 prior to this date. If a student is unable to pay, they may still take the test. Please talk with Mr. Bostick to make arrangements.



#### 7-9 ATHLETICS: Athletic Director: Coach J. Dooley: [jdooley@northdavisprep.org](mailto:jdooley@northdavisprep.org)

##### INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS

#### Basketball Award Banquet

Last week NDPA held its annual Basketball team awards Banquet and these following players were present with the awards.

Most Improved Player- Jody B.  
 Academic Athlete- Noah S.  
 Coaches' Team Player Award (co-recipients)-Michael F. & Colton D.  
 Most Valuable Player- Jordan B.



We would also like to thank the 9th grades that have made us proud this year. They were presented with their Jerseys at the awards banquet. Thanks guys.  
Noah S. Moab S. Mitch R. Colton D. Michael F. Devin M. Jordan J.

#### INTRAMURAL SPORTS: VOLLEYBALL

Great Job to all the players that participated in Volleyball this year. You all played great. A big Thank You to all the coaches that volunteered their time and experience.



#### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS:

##### ECO GEEKS ... TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE THE WORLD A BETTER PLACE!



The Eco-Geeks have kicked it into gear and have decided on their mission. They have pledged to rid our school of disposable plastic water bottles. Why you ask? There are a number of reasons. Some of them are water bottles Contributions to landfills, sheer volume of bottles used by an individual household, harmful toxins in the plastic, you name it! So, our campaign this year will be to collect as many disposable plastic water bottles as we can, and have people purchase an NDPA water bottle that is BPA free and reusable. Be watching Friday notes and morning announcements for more details! Have a great weekend and remember, Reduce, Reuse and Recycle! Any questions or comment contact Mrs. Adams @ [radams@northdavisprep.org](mailto:radams@northdavisprep.org).

## VIVA EL ESPANOL! SPANISH CLUB

The Spanish Resource Center at BYU has announced the Sixth Annual Spanish Literary Contest "Cuentistas". This contest, honoring the *Día del Libro*, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, is made possible by the Utah / Spain educational partnership. This year's topic will be **free** and the only requirement is that students are encouraged to further their writing skills and their knowledge of Spanish language by writing in Spanish a short story (fiction or non-fiction). A panel of Spanish professors and teachers will evaluate the writings.

Prizes will be awarded in the month of April for each of the sections. The students and their teachers will be notified of the exact date.

There will be three winners in each category and each of the winners will get a Spanish Learning Package and possibly a published booklet with the winner's stories. The winners will be announced in March.

The following students were selected to represent NPDA in the two categories to participate in the contest.

Native Spanish speaking students: (350-450 words) Samantha F., Daniel F., Luciano S., Kimberly D., Inela V., Andrea M., and Jose Z.

Intermediate level students of Other Native Languages: (150-200 words) Elizabeth B., Amber N., Nolan D., Tanisha P., Ethan B., Kylee L., Ashlee S., Alexa S., Kristen D., Ethan C., Haylee H., Maddie A.



## U OF U SUMMER FUN TECH CLASSES

This summer send your child to [iD Tech Camps](#) - North America's #1 technology program. During this weeklong, day and overnight program, (for ages 7-17) create robots, iPhone and Facebook apps, websites with Flash, video games, digital movies and more. With one computer per student and an average of six students per staff, students are given the attention they need to excel and take home a project at the end of the weeklong course. Programs are located at 60 prestigious universities in the U.S. and Canada. This includes the University of Utah, Arizona State, Colorado State, U Denver, UCLA, Stanford, UC San Diego, Harvard and MIT. Additionally, there are special Teen programs at select locations: [iD Gaming Academy](#), [iD Visual Arts Academy](#) and [iD Programming Academy](#). Visit [www.internalDrive.com](http://www.internalDrive.com) or call 1-888-709 TECH (8324) for details. **Save \$50 with the Online Special (ends April 4<sup>th</sup>).**



Parents although this program is not affiliated with NDPA we would like to extend this invitation to you and your students.