



April 2015

ADMINISTRATION

“Think twice before you speak, because your words and influence will plant the seed of either success or failure in the mind of another.”
~ Napoleon Hill

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Dear Parents, Guardians, and HIS Students,

Happy Spring from the counseling office! I love this time of year when everything seems to be full of life.

This year we have focused on the 7 C’s of being a Resilient Student. Each month we focused on a trait and had activities in homeroom to go along with them. Our final “C” this month is “Control.” Children who learn they have control over their life take responsibility rather than blame others for problems. Putting a lot of worry and focus on those things you can’t control is not healthy and will not help.

This month we will focus on trying our very best to LET GO of the things that are out of our control. We want our students to remember “you can’t always control what happens to you—BUT you can control what you choose to do with it.”

Have a great month.

Staci Glazier, 6th grade counselor

Click here for more information about [Control](#)

Take CONTROL

Why

- to make decisions about your life
- to determine your own goals
- to live a successful, positive life

How

- accept responsibility
- acknowledge your strengths and weaknesses
- resist negative peer pressure
- behave responsibly
- manage feelings and emotions
- communicate beliefs and decisions

Are YOU in control?

‘No matter who you are, no matter what you do, you absolutely, positively DO have the power to change.’ – Bill Phillips

EASTER

What are your plans for the upcoming Easter Holiday weekend?
Here's a few things going on in the area:

[St George Arts Festival](#)

[Hurricane 30th Annual Rotary Easter Car Show](#)

[Easter Egg Hunt at Three Falls Park](#)

Easter Traditions from Around the World

Kids in the U.S. grow up expecting a delivery of eggs and candy from the Easter bunny each year, but it may seem odd to an outsider. Brought to this country by German immigrants in the 1700s, the practice is rooted in the belief that rabbits and eggs symbolize fertility and rebirth. While this may

be the norm in America, however, other cultures have their own unique Easter celebrations.



Poland—Pouring water on one another is a Polish Easter tradition called Smingus-Dyngus. On Easter Monday, boys try to drench other people with buckets of water, squirt guns or anything they can get their hands on. Legend says

girls who get soaked will marry within the year.

Haux, France: Don't forget a fork if you're in this southern French town on Easter Monday. Each year a giant omelet is served up in the town's main square. The omelet uses more than 4,500 eggs and feeds up to 1,000 people. The story goes, when Napoleon and his army were traveling through the south of France, they stopped in a small town and ate omelets. Napoleon liked his so much that he ordered the townspeople to gather their eggs and make a giant omelet for his army the next day.



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Staff Spotlight

I have been a teacher in the Washington County School District for 25 years. I have taught at Pine View Middle, Hurricane Middle, Hurricane High and Hurricane Intermediate schools. I have taught Keyboarding, Home Economics-Cooking, Shop, Financial Literacy, Economics and Business.

I have also had other jobs including Vice President of a Savings and Loan, Mortgage Broker, Investment Advisory, Insurance Salesman and an Entrepreneur. My wife and I have started and sold several business. We currently own First Aid First LLC, a preparedness store here in Hurricane.

We have a really great family. We have ten children and 25 grandchildren. (Soon to be 26 grandchildren!)

The reason I became a teacher was that when I owned my other businesses it was hard to find good employees. So I thought I could teach kids how to be good employees.

My favorite hobby is Fly Fishing.

When I retire I am going crazy... oh, I mean, I am going to really act like myself...wait...I am crazy...Whatever!



Lee Pugh

NEWS FROM THE LUNCH LADIES—Click Here for [April Menu](#)



EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY: Please check lunch balances often, Starting May 1st your student will be sent to the office to call for money until the balance is paid. If your student does not have the full amount for a meal, they will not be allowed to eat that day. This is district policy. THERE IS NO CHARGING FOR LUNCH.

The lunch payment amounts for April are: full pay \$48.00 reduced \$8.00. Breakfast: full pay \$20.00 reduced \$6.00. If you have questions on your account please call 635-8931 and ask for Pauline. She is available from 7:10 am to 12:45pm.

You will now have the option to pay for your student's lunch online at www.paypams.com. We have also sent home a flyer with your student for you to have for a reference.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

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| April 3-6: | Spring Recess—NO SCHOOL | May 13: | Piano Concert 6pm |
| April 20: | PLC Day, Early Out at 11:45am | May 13: | Choir Concert 7pm |
| May 5: | Immunization Clinic at H.I.S, SW UT Health Department, 7am-9am | May 14: | Orchestra Swim Party, Hurricane City Pool, 3pm-5pm |
| May 6: | Orchestra Concert, 6pm & 7pm | May 21: | LAST DAY OF SCHOOL! |
| May 12: | Band Concert 6pm | | |

FROM THE OFFICE

Our office hours are Monday–Friday 7:10am to 2:50pm

Doors will be open for students at 7:10 am and closed at 2:50pm. Please be aware that there should be **NO cell phone use** during school hours. Phones will be confiscated if they are seen during these hours. Also, please be aware that our school is a “GUM FREE ZONE”. No gum is allowed at school.

Parents, just a reminder that your PowerSchool I.D. and password and your student’s I.D. and password are on the schedule that they received at registration. If you have problems accessing your student’s grades online, please let us know.

Please remember to call the office at 635-8931 if your student will be absent. If you are checking your student out of school, **you will need to come in to the office** and sign them out. **You must have I.D. in order to check out a student.** We will not release students to anyone who is not on your contact list.

Dixie Direct Books are available in the office for \$35.00.

Cedar Mountain Science Investigations Science Camps for Kids 4th–6th grades. 2 fun filled days and 1 night of exciting science activities at the SUU Mtn. Center
See website for more information & registration form:

<http://suu.edu/cose/center/>

ATTENTION

7th GRADE IMMUNIZATIONS

The following immunizations are required for your child to attend HIS as a 7th grade student.

⇒ **Tdap**

⇒ **2 Varicella (chickenpox)**

⇒ **Meningococcal**

The immunizations may be done anytime from now until the next school year starts in August 2015.

Click here for more information

[Immunization Requirements](#)

Starving Student Cards are available for sale in the office for \$20.00
For each card sold our school receives \$10.

[Click here for more information](#)

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