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2007-2008 SCHOOL YEAR MURRAY HIGH SCHOOL REGISTRATION FAIR & ORIENTATION

Wednesday, Feb. 21, 6 - 8 p.m.

All current 9th, 10th and 11th grade students and their parents are encouraged to attend. Information will include registration, course selections, MHS opportunities and graduation requirements.

6 - 7 p.m. Registration Fair,
MHS Commons Area
7 - 8 p.m. Orientation,
MHS Auditorium
8 - 8:30 p.m. New Century
Session, Auditorium

DISTRICT 2006-2007 MATURATION SCHEDULE

The maturation program is offered to 5th and 6th grade students in all Murray elementary schools. Fourth grade students may attend if a parent thinks their child could benefit from the program. ALL students must return a parent permission slip to attend. Invitations and permission slips will be mailed to individual homes a few weeks before the scheduled programs.

Schools dates and times:

Grant – Thursday, March 22nd;
1:15 PM, 2:15 PM
Horizon – Thursday, February 15th;
1:30 PM, 2:30 PM
Liberty – Thursday, February 15th;
9:30 AM, 10:30 AM
Longview – Thursday, February 22nd;
9:00 AM, 9:45 AM
McMillan – Tuesday, March 6th;
1:15 PM, 2:15 PM
Parkside – Tuesday, March 6th;
9:15 AM, 10:15 AM
Viewmont – Thursday, February 22nd;
1:15 PM, 2:10 PM

DISTRICT 2006-2007 KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

Students must be 5 years old on or before September 1, 2007 to attend kindergarten in this upcoming year. NO EXCEPTIONS.

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Schools dates and times:

Grant – Friday, April 13th; 1:00 PM
Horizon – Wednesday, April 18th;
2-5 PM Reg./Open House
Liberty – Thursday, April 19th;
10:00 AM
Longview – Tuesday, April 17th; 9:30 AM
McMillan – Tuesday, April 24th; 10:00 AM
Parkside – Thursday, April 12th;
10:00 AM
Viewmont – Wednesday, April 11th;
2:30 PM

MURRAY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER RECEIVES AWARD

Murray School Board member Marjorie Tuckett has been selected as the 2007 Utah Association of Career and Technical Education (UACTE) Lifetime Merit Award recipient. She will receive the award at the February UACTE Winter Conference in St. George. UACTE provides leadership and advocacy for career and technical education programs and professionals; the Lifetime Merit Award honor is in recognition of educators who have made the highest meritorious contribution to career and technical education.

Mrs. Tuckett was the first Work-Based Learning Coordinator in the Wasatch Front, along with being instrumental in implementing the School to Careers/Work-Based Learning program in the State of Utah, through serving on many committees and boards. The only past president of the Murray Chamber of Commerce to come from the education ranks, she was WBL Coordinator for Murray School District until her election to the Murray School Board, and continues to promote and assist with CTE programs. Currently employed by The Academy for Math Engineering and Science, Mrs. Tuckett has implemented a new program to assist traditionally underserved students with the motivation and pathway to higher education.

The recipient of many awards and honors, Marjorie Tuckett is also currently on the Board of Directors for Salt Lake Tooele Applied Technology College, where she continues to promote and assist students to access programs that will propel them and motivate them to a better lifestyle. Her personal creed is, "lifelong learning for all."

REELECTED SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS SWORN IN



Sherrie Swensen, Darrell Pehrson,
Laura Baker and Lloyd Naylor

Salt Lake County Clerk and former Murray High School graduate Sherrie Swensen administered the Oath of Office to three reelected members of the Murray School District Board of Education at the Jan. 25, Murray School Board. They are Laura S. Baker, Precinct 4; G. Lloyd Naylor, Precinct 3; and Darrell Pehrson, Precinct 2.

Following the public business meeting, school board members elected a new president and vice-president as prescribed by the board by-laws. Elected for two-year terms were Mitzi Huff, Precinct 1, as president and Laura S. Baker, Precinct 4, as vice-president.

Marjorie Tuckett, Precinct 5, conducted the meeting as outgoing president and will continue her term on the Murray School Board. Murray City School District Business Administrator Tim Leffel will remain as the school board clerk. Superintendent Richard R. Tranter also serves on the board in his capacity as Superintendent of Murray City School District.

HILLCREST HEROES

Hillcrest Heroes are selected by grade level team members. They exhibit the Community of Caring values of responsibility, respect, caring, trust and family. Each hero was

recognized at a special breakfast in January where they received a medal and a cash award. Congratulations to these outstanding Hillcrest Junior High students:



Term 2 Hillcrest Heroes

9th Grade – Josh Durfey, Wyatt Woodard, Matthew Ellis, Alex Hansen, Teal Buchi, Chante Lundskog
8th Grade – Tyson Romero, Aubriann Tyler, Anthony Harris, Aaron Stentzel, Stephanie Schafer, Landon Jensen
7th Grade – Charlie Trujillo, Chance Snow, Toshina Gates, Alix Johnson, Jake Walkingshaw, John Poulson

MURRAY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AWARDS

The Murray Chamber of Commerce honors a student intern and district teachers each month at a special luncheon. The Intern of the Month award recognizes the importance of career exploration for students by choosing a student currently participating in an exceptional manner in an internship program. Teachers of the Month are chosen by school principals based upon teaching quality and exemplary efforts. January recipients are shown above.



Crystal Childs,
math/Hillcrest JH; Cara
Hamer, student/MHS;
Kristin Flower,
1st grade/Liberty Elem.

PTA REFLECTION AWARDS NIGHT



Winning entries on display at
awards event.

PTA Reflections Awards Night was held Jan. 25 at Riverview JH with district winners from all grades recognized. Entries were based on the 2006-07 theme, "My Favorite Place...."

Good luck to the following students as they advance to state competition:

VISUAL ARTS – Ciara Green, Parkside Elem.; Keon Aarabi, McMillan Elem.; Isaac Mueller, Grant; Heather Anne Bell, Hillcrest JH;

LITERATURE – Devin Wilkins, Liberty Elem.; Conner Wilkinson, McMillan Elem.; Sydney Martinez, Liberty Elem.; Chad Curtis, MHS
PHOTOGRAPHY – Kristine Peterson, Grant Elem.; Mindy Jessop, Parkside Elem.; Melissa Pyper, Hillcrest JH; Bryan Martindale, MHS
THREE-DIMENSIONAL ART – Darshan Singh, Horizon Elem.; Sarah Decker, Longview Elem.; Andrew Saltzman, McMillan Elem.
FILM/VIDEO – Joseph Knight, McMillan Elem.; Zach Gibbs, Riverview JH; Jared Jess, Riverview JH
MUSIC – Brianna Peterson, Grant Elem.; Peter Rosen, McMillan Elem.
DANCE – Magina Morgan, Liberty Elem.; Kaci Jones, Grant Elem.
THEATRE – Rachel DeMann, Grant Elem.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

New Special Education Rules

The Utah State Office of Education, Special Education Services posted the proposed New Special Education Rules to implement the Federal Regulations under the IDEA 2004 on Tuesday, Jan. 16, 2007. The draft is on the Utah State Office of Education website www.schools.utah.gov under the Special Education link.

Local Public Hearing for these rules is scheduled 6-8 p.m., Feb. 28, 2007, in the Salt Lake City School District Office Board Room. Written comment is appended to the hearing minutes. The USOE will consider public and written comments for revisions to the proposed rules. Proposed rules are subject to final approval by the Utah State Board of Education. For more information in the Murray City School District, contact Dr. Wendy Bills at 264-7400.

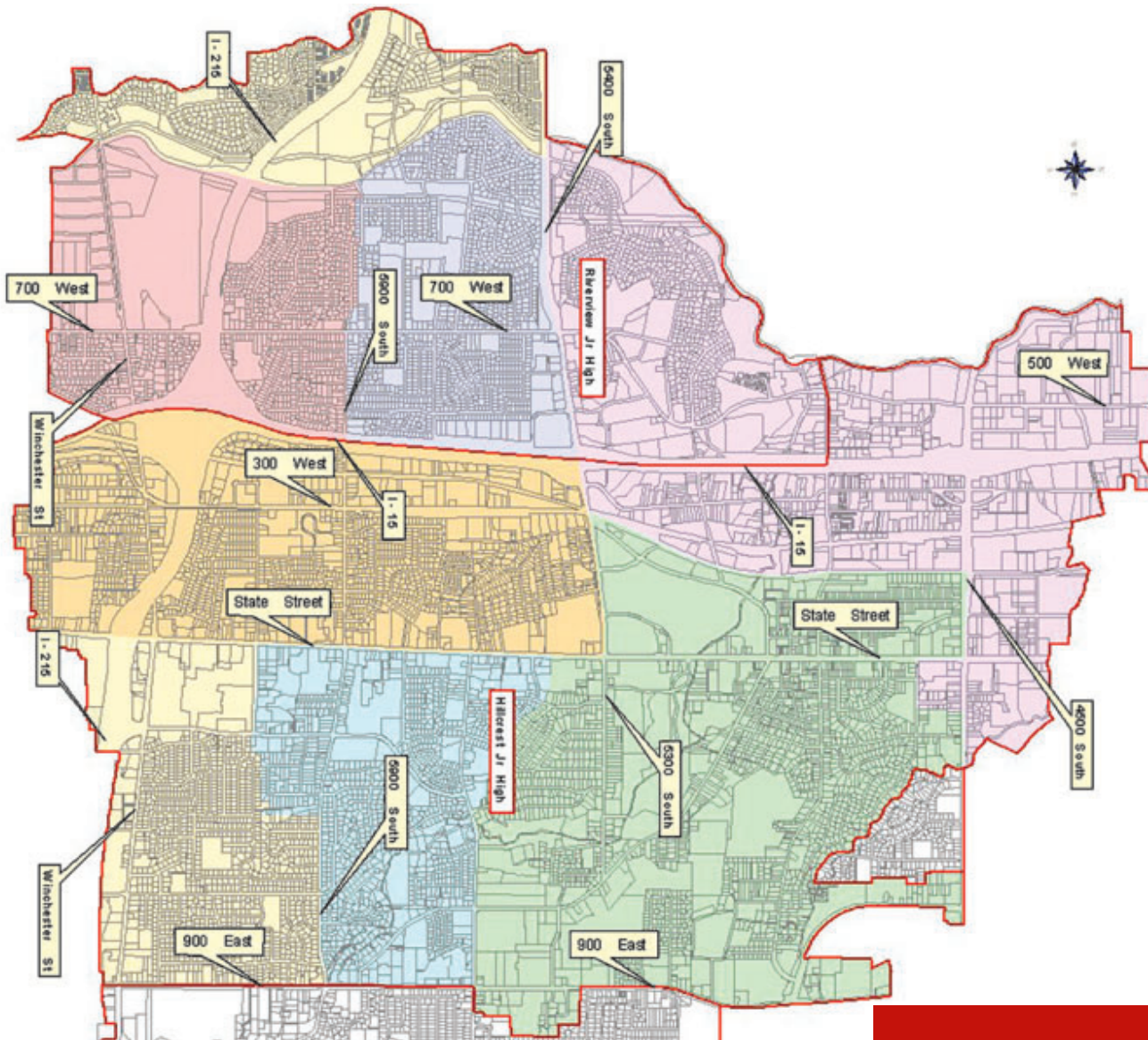
GOV. JON HUNTSMAN JR. VISITS DISTRICT OFFICE



The Governor visited the Murray School District offices in January to share his educational plans and hear from Murray representatives.



MURRAY CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT BOUNDARIES MAP



Hillcrest Junior High
126 East 5300 South
264-7442

Riverview Junior High
751 West Tripp Lane (5755 So)
264-7446

Murray High School
5440 South State Street
264-7460

Creekside School
179 East 5065 South (Myrtle Ave)
264-7470

Direct questions concerning busing boundaries or other to the nearest school office or Murray City School District offices at 264-7400.

Public schools within Murray City geographic boundaries but part of the Granite School District:

Twin Peaks Elementary
5325 South 1045 East
646-5049

Woodstock Elementary
6015 South 1300 East
646-5108

Cottonwood High School
5715 South 1300 East
646-5264

MURRAY CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOLS:

Grant Elementary
662 West Bulldog Circle (6140 South)
264-7416

Horizon Elementary
5180 South 700 West (Glendon St.)
264-7420

Liberty Elementary
140 West 6100 South
264-7424

Longview Elementary
6240 South Longview Dr. (560 East)
264-7428

McMillan Elementary
315 East 5900 South
264-7430

Parkside Elementary
495 East 5175 South
264-7434

Viewmont Elementary
745 West 5720 South (Anderson Ave)
264-7438

MURRAY STUDENTS ON THE RADIO

Brian Foxx and Rebecca Cressman from FM100 Radio visited Grant and Longview Elementaries to record the voices of students reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. These recordings are playing week-day mornings at 6:00 AM on FM station dial number 100.3. Airing dates, student participants and schools:

- Jan. 22 Mrs. Durante's 5th Grade (Longview)
- Jan. 23 Reggie Lee (Grant)
- Feb. 01 Hannah Minor (Grant)
- Feb. 05 Miss Colton's 1st Grade (Grant)
- Feb. 07 Robbie Ramirez (Longview)
- Feb. 09 Stewart McKenna (Grant)
- Feb. 15 Samantha Hutchins (Grant)
- Feb. 19 Mrs. Brakke's 4th Grade (Grant)
- Feb. 22 Paige Cromwell (Longview)
- Feb. 24 Mikayla Mann (Grant)
- Feb. 27 Miss Lamb's 2nd Grade (Longview)
- Mar. 06 Michael Walsh (Longview)
- Mar. 07 Erik Winther (Longview)
- Mar. 09 Reina LaCross (Grant)
- Mar. 12 Ryan Swensen (Longview)
- Mar. 14 Rachel Knudson (Longview)



Brian and Rebecca from FM100 Radio visit Longview Elementary

- Mar. 15 Kaden Carter (Grant)
- Mar. 16 Finn Christensen (Longview)
- Mar. 19 Easton Christensen (Grant)
- Mar. 20 Colton Hair (Grant)
- Mar. 21 Rachel Knudson (Longview)
- Mar. 23 Kylie Dickson (Longview)
- Mar. 26 Makenzie Morris (Longview)
- Mar. 27 Miranda Morris (Longview)
- Mar. 28 Camille Herron (Longview)
- Mar. 29 Makenzie Stoffer (Longview)

2007 EVENTS MURRAY CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

- Feb. 09 Riverview JH Early Bird Readers Book Club, school library, 7:15-7:55 a.m.
- Feb. 13 PTA Day at Utah Legislature, noon-7 p.m.
- Feb. 14-17 "Inherit The Wind," MHS play, 7 p.m. (\$5 at the door, advance prices less)
- Feb. 15 PTA Council Board Meeting 9:30 a.m.; PTA Council Meeting 10 a.m., both at DO
- Feb. 17 Deadline for Igniting Creative Energy applications; see www.ignitingcreativeneergy.org
- Feb. 19 Presidents Day, NO SCHOOL
- Feb. 20 Professional Teacher Development Day, NO SCHOOL for students
- Feb. 21 MHS Registration Fair & Orientation, 6-8 p.m., Commons Area & Aud.
- Feb. 21 Murray Board of Education Meeting, DO Boardroom, 7 p.m.
- Feb. 22 MHS Baseball Fundraiser Dinner, MHS Commons Area; for info call Shelly at 647-2282
- Feb. 24 Murray Symphony, Murray Community Arts, MHS, 7:30 p.m.
- Feb. 27-28 MHS Parent/Teacher SEOP Conferences
- Feb. 28- Mar. 01 JH Parent/Teacher SEOP Conferences
- Mar. 02 Secondary Teacher SEOP* Compensatory Day, NO SCHOOL Secondary
- Mar. 03 Murray Concert Band, FREE, Murray Community Arts, MHS, 7:30 p.m.
- Mar. 08 4th Annual Pinnacle Awards Dinner, MHS, 6:30 p.m.
- Mar. 09 Riverview JH Early Bird Readers Book Club, school library, 7:15-7:55 a.m.
- Mar. 13-15 A Bug's Life Children's Ballet, Murray Ballet Center, 7 p.m.
- Mar. 14 Murray Board of Education Meeting, DO Boardroom, 7 p.m.
- Mar. 16 A Midsummer Night's Dream, Utah Shakespearean Festival, MHS 7:30 p.m.
- Mar. 20 The New Face of Drugs Presentation, MHS, 7 p.m.
- Mar. 23 Professional Development/Teacher Workday, NO SCHOOL for students (In the event of a Snow Day, this would be a regular school day)
- Mar. 28-29 Elementary Parent/Teacher SEP Conferences
- Mar. 30 Elementary Teacher SEP Compensatory Day, NO SCHOOL for Elementary
- Mar. 31 Riverview JH 9th Grade Reality Town Activity, RJH Gym, 8-10 a.m.
- Apr. 02-06 Spring Break, NO SCHOOL
- Apr. 07 Murray Symphony Small Ensembles, Murray Community Arts, Riverview JH, 7:30 p.m.
- Apr. 13 Riverview JH Early Bird Readers Book Club, school library, 7:15-7:55 a.m.
- Apr. 14 The Pied Piper, Missoula Children's Theatre, Murray Community Arts, Riverview JH, 3 & 7 p.m.
- Apr. 18 PTSA Scholarship Applications Due at MHS Counseling Office
- Apr. 25 Murray Board of Education Meeting, DO Boardroom, 7 p.m.
- Apr. 26-27 Murray Dance Company in Concert, MHS 7 p.m.
- May 09 Murray Board of Education Meeting, DO Boardroom, 7 p.m.
- May 10 Riverview JH Gallery of Stars Awards, RJH Auditorium, 7-9 p.m.
- May 11 Riverview JH Early Bird Readers Book Club, school library, 7:15-7:55 a.m.
- May 12 Murray Symphony Concerto Night, Murray Community Arts, MHS, 7 p.m.
- May 17-18 State PTA Leadership Convention
- May 19 Murray Concert Band, FREE, Murray Community Arts, MHS, 7:30 p.m.
- May 28 Memorial Day Holiday, NO SCHOOL
- May 31 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

ENDING OF TERMS:

- 3rd Term March 22 (46 days)
- 4th Term May 31 (43 days)