



F-TROOP NEWSLETTER



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District F

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE 2007-2008 SCHOOL YEAR

SCHOOL WILL NOT BE IN SESSION:

- 04/14/08...Staff Development Day
- 05/26/08...Memorial Day
- 06/04/08...Last Day of School (9 month)
- 06/18/08...Last Day of School (modified 9 month)

For a complete list of calendar dates access [Important_Dates_07-08.pdf](#)

REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS:

- April 10, 2008, 4:00 p.m.
- April 24, 2008, 4:00 p.m.
- May 08, 2008, 4:00 p.m.
- May 21, 2008, 4:00 p.m. (Adoption Final Budget)
- May 22, 2008, 4:00 p.m.

The above board meetings are held at: Edward A Greer Education Center, Board Room 2832 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89121

Access the district's website [Clark County School District](#)

SPECIAL BOARD MEETINGS:

- April 3, 2008, 8:30 a.m. (Ends Retreat)
 - April 7, 2008, 9:00 a.m. (Budget Work Session)
 - April 15, 2008, 10:30 a.m. (FCC Requirements)
- Edward A. Greer Education Center, Board Room 2832 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89121

April 4, 2008, 10:00 a.m. (Officer's Meeting) Administrative Center, Conference Room 466 5100 W. Sahara Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89146

April 30, 2008, 4:00 p.m. (Community Linkage/ Principals Meeting)

The location for the above meeting will be announced as scheduled.

DIRECTIONS

For directions access [MapQuest](#)

PROGRESS REPORTS UNSATISFACTORY NOTICES DISTRIBUTED:

In addition to the parent communication system available on school websites, Progress Reports/ Unsatisfactory Notices will be distributed to students on 5/2/08. If your child is absent on that date, please contact the school to make arrangements to receive the notice.

PLEASE NOTE: Notices will not be mailed home.

TEACHERS WILL ISSUE QUARTER GRADES FOR THE 2007- 2008 SCHOOL YEAR ON:

Quarter:	Quarter Ends:	Report Cards
Three	March 28	April 16
Four	June 4	June 13-mailed

Dear District F Constituents, Parents, Staff, Students and Friends:

As I begin writing this newsletter, I have just listened to the continued woes regarding the state budget. At this point, the Governor is holding education harmless in the next round of cuts. The school district is still assessing what will be cut for this year and next year for the first round of cuts.

The language for the next bond has been approved by the board. We will be seeking help from the public to promote the bond. If you are willing to work on this important issue, please call me. Passage of this bond is critical if we are to keep pace with a continued, albeit slower, growth.

The superintendent is working closely with Dr. Kohut-Rost to address the worrisome semester math results. These scores are totally unacceptable. Now that we know how serious the problem is, we can work to address it. A meeting with all math department chairs will be held to discuss solutions.

My next F-Troop meeting is April 9th at Sierra Vista High School. We will be discussing the new Southwest Career and Technical Academy and the CTA at 215 and Charleston. Of course, we will be able to discuss budget cuts, student achievement, school safety and any other concerns you have as well.

Reminder: Please bring gently used paperback books appropriate for young adults to the F-Troop meeting for donation to the Youth Correctional Facility. I will continue this book drive through May.

Thank you for all you do for children.

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ADDITIONAL NOTES:

SAVE THE DATES:

2008 F-TROOP Meeting dates are: May 14, 2008, Lawrence & Heidi Canarelli MS
All meetings start at 9:30 a.m.
F-TROOP Meetings are not held during the summer months and will resume in September.

PLEASE NOTE: The March F-Troop Meeting will be held:

Date: Wednesday, April 9, 2008
Time: 9:30 a.m.
Location: Sierra Vista High School
Topic: SW Career & Technical Academy and the CTA

2008 GRADUATION CALENDAR: Click on the below link for a complete listing of schools, locations, dates, and times for 2008 Graduation! [2008 Graduation Calendar](#)

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