

# PAIDEIA News

October 8, 2018

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<b>New Staff</b>	We WELCOME our new Administrative Assistant, Shari Seltzer, to our staff. Stop in and say "hello"! She is the one who will take your attendance calls and can be reached at <b>742-4267</b> .
<b>Home and School Connection</b>	Although PAIDEIA Cooperative School is now a state-wide correspondence homeschool program we still want to continue with the strong link of onsite support. Therefore It is important that students are coming to PAIDEIA on those scheduled days to stay on top of the work that needs to be done at home. If students are not making progress at home we will be offering <b>mandatory</b> labs on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. These will be times dedicated for students to get caught up before it is too late!
<b>Online Classes</b>	Push on!! Students should be approaching the 30-40% progress mark this week to be close to the halfway mark at the quarter on Oct. 19th. Please remember we can proctor Post Tests on M/W/F mornings if need be, or by request at other times.
<b>Open House Potluck 10/25/18</b>	Please come and join us on Thursday, October 25th from 6:00-7:30 for a potluck and Open House. This is a great time to connect with other staff and families to hear about the great things that are happening! Please call 742-4161 to let us know if you can make it and let us know what you can bring.
<b>PTA</b>	PAIDEIA is looking for parents to help build a PTA. Any parents who are interested please contact the school and we will set up a meeting to discuss some options.
<b>PICTURE DAY</b>	Life Touch will be here on Thursday, October 11, 2018 for student pictures. If you are interested in ordering pictures please visit their website at: <a href="http://Mylifetouch.com">Mylifetouch.com</a> Picture Day ID: AK018038Q0
<b>ART Classes 2nd Quarter</b>	Who: Jannah Atkins What: Art Classes on Wednesday When: 2:00-3:00pm October 24th-Dec 12th (no class November 21) Why: So you can create Art Cost \$75

**Monday  
Exploratories  
are back!!!**

**Oct 22, 29  
Nov 5, 19, 26  
Dec 3**

Class 1: Wilderness Youth Safety by Dorothy Wilder

<http://akwildmed.webplus.net/>

Class 2: Puppetry, Drama, and Games by David Block

[www.midnightsunperformingarts.com](http://www.midnightsunperformingarts.com)

Cost is \$75 per session

9:30-11:30	K-4 Wilderness Safety	5-8 Creative Plays
12:00-2:00	5-8 Wilderness Safety	K-4 Creative Plays

**Deadline to sign up is October 18th**

**Special Class  
Offering**

Emergency Medical First Aid for Youth (Ages 12-16) October 15-17, 2018 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Eagle River Nature Center. Tuition (covered by student allotment) costs \$225 and covers books, materials, instruction, WFA and CPR certification. High school credit (.25) available with additional coursework. This is a VALUABLE course for Alaskan Youth!

Sign up at: **akwildmed.webplus.net**

**Parent and  
Teacher  
Conferences**

Conferences will be scheduled during the week of October 22th. K-8 students will not have school on Wednesday, October 24th and Thursday, October 25th as conferences will be scheduled during the day. High school will still have classes as conferences will be scheduled after school.

**6-8 Grade  
Updates**

**Greetings and Salutations!**

The link below leads to our classroom news and information folder. Every week you will find a new "Week at a Glance" and current MS Newsletter here:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/16rtRGDZHPL4txMmkntSaVOhy1aotMcv3?usp=sharing>

**Thank you in advance for checking it regularly every week.** In addition, there is a forms folder where you can find things like Reading Logs and Book Report forms in case your student forgot to bring one home on Thursday.

**Reminder:** Students have a Khan Academy session on weekends to help prepare for the weekly math lessons. *There will be a Quiz on the assigned Khan academy topics first thing on Tuesday mornings as a standing weekly assignment. Thank you for making sure your student is prepared!*

**PAIDEIA  
Cooperative  
School  
Website**

We are continuing to build and grow our website. Please take a look when you get a chance and share any feedback about what you would like to see. We are hoping that this can be the main resource for families. Teachers and staff will use it as a place to keep newsletters and other pertinent information.

<https://www.asdk12.org/paideia>