



Mesa Alta Junior High School

February Newsletter
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Dear Students and Families,

Welcome to another exciting and busy month.

We have resumed MAP REACH this week and are working incredibly hard to make sure all students are prepared for upcoming assessments.

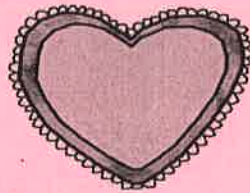
7th grade Science SBA exam is scheduled for March 7-9th. Please make every effort to have your student here for testing to avoid having to miss valuable class time making tests up.

Adam Benavidez

Principal

Elvira Crockett

Assistant Principal



Student of the Month

Congratulations to Sydney Dugger, Mesa Alta's February student of the month!

Sydney always shows up to class prepared and ready to learn. She achieves high grades and excels in all her work. She will participate in all class activities and is willing to help others succeed. Her attendance is excellent and she is never tardy.

Sydney also shows leadership skills out of the classroom as an office aide, playing basketball, and roping. She was recently moved up to play BHS C-team Basketball. Her character has proven her to be a positive role model and a leader by being a hard-worker, honest, trustworthy, and dependable.

Keep up the great work Sydney!

Family Night hosted by Justice League

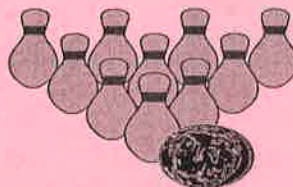
February 27 from 6:00– 7:30 p.m.

Please joins us for a **FREE Chile Dog DINNER** for the entire family. The theme will be Mardi Gras.

8th Grade Albuquerque Cliff's Amusement Park Field Trip

May 5, 2017

To be eligible students must have a 3.0 the 3rd quarter, no more than 10 absences that are not pre-arranged or medically excused, no F's , and no suspensions.



Bowling Reward Field Trip

We are pleased to announce that we had 32 students gain 2 or more points above their expected growth on the winter NWEA in both Reading and Math. These students will be invited on a bowling field trip March 3rd.

All students get a **Quick Lookup** with all of their grades every Monday morning. They also get **Progress Reports** for all failing classes Monday morning. Check with your students each Monday to see their current grades. If you are concerned your child is not getting these please check with your child's first hour teacher.

School Website

Mesa Alta has a very interactive school website, there you can find Athletic Schedules, the latest school news, how to log on to PowerSchool, contact information for all teachers, and weekly lesson plans for all classes. This awesome tool can be found at:

<http://mesa.bsin.k12.nm.us/>



FEBRUARY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
				Boys Basketball Shiprock @ MAJH		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Boys Basketball Aztec @ MAJH		Parent/Teacher Conferences 5-8pm	No School Parent / Teacher Conferences 8am-12pm	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
				Boys Basketball Tibbetts @ MAJH	18, 19 & 20 JV Boys Basketball Tournament To Be Announced	
					Spring Dance 4-5:30	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	President's Day No School		No School Professional Day	23, 24, & 25 V Boys Basketball Tournament To Be Announced		
26	27	28				
	Parent Advisory Mtg 5pm Family Night 6pm					