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GrandAM April Newsletter

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Museum Scavenger Hunt a Hit!

On March 30, mentors and mentees got together for some fun at the Dan O'Laurie Museum of Moab for an exciting adventure of clue-led inquiry. Armed with questionnaires and after-school energy, students poured through beautiful exhibits, captions, and models to find answers.

You can see that that the hunt was well attended, and everyone had a hand in the action!

It all ended with an ice cream treat and a pick-up soccer game on the library lawn. Virginia Fossey, secretary of the museum commented, "I just love to see this museum full of kids and curiosity."



Spring Break Is Coming! Spring Break Is Coming!

Don't forget, April 10-14 there is no school and NO MENTORING!

April 20: Brown Bag Lunch, District Office: 11AM.

April 22: Fun event for mentors and mentees. We will meet in front of HMK for team-building and exciting activities for all to join in.

April 27 + 28: Mid Term Conferences. **NO MENTORING!**

May 11: End-of-year event for mentors, mentees, families, and staff. (See next page.)

Check out our website for the most current information:

<http://www.grand.k12.ut.us/mentor>

Idea of the Month:

Both the mentor and mentee bring in a recipe that they each enjoy. Exchange recipes. Bring in finished products next week to eat! Yum. Thanks to Jennifer and Turquoise for this great idea!



IMPORTANT: SAVE THIS DATE.

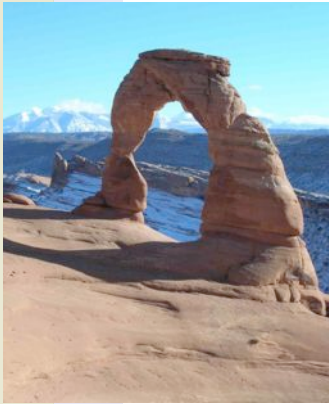
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May 11 will bring mentors, mentees, parents, and staff together for an end-of-year bash. This will include food, fun, and recognition of everyone's hard work and dedication.

Details are forthcoming; keep checking out the website for further information, and plan on joining us for a wonderful evening.

Brain Teasers

Hard:

One Friday morning two trains speed along the same track through an empty railway station. One is heading north, the other south. Neither train brakes, nor diverts to another track, yet they avoid a collision. How?

Olympic:

An airplane carrying sixty Mexican lawyers to a convention in Rio crashed and landed directly on the border between Columbia, Venezuela and Brazil. Under international law, where should the survivors be buried?

Yikes:

Five men were traveling along a lane. It began to rain. Four of the men quickened their step and got wet. The fifth man did not quicken his step but remained quite dry. He did not have an umbrella or hat. How can this be?



Closing

Mentors, thank you for all that you do. Mentees, keep up the good work and have lots of fun. Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions, concerns, or recommendations.

I look forward to seeing you soon!

Dan

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Answers: H: They pass through at different times. O: You don't bury survivors. Y: Four men were pal bearers and the fifth was the corpse in the coffin.