



February 2024 

## Calvin Smith Elementary PTA

“To make every child’s potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.”

### February Events:

#### Feb 2nd: Deadline for Dual Immersion application:

Dual Immersion Applications and Open Enrollment for new students outside of our boundaries are due no later than this day!

Feb 5th-8th: Souper Bowl of Caring! While we are rooting for our team to win during the Super Bowl, we at Calvin Smith are also rooting to eliminate hunger! Please bring canned items into the front office during these days to help our cause. You may choose which team you would like to donate your goods to. The Kansas City Chiefs or the San Francisco 49ers! In lieu of physical items, you may also donate at the below link as well. More details to come!

<https://granitekids.org/what-we-do/programs/souper-bowl-of-caring.html>

Feb 7th-8th: SEP conferences from 4-7pm. Please sign up at: <https://pickatime.com/granitesd>

Feb 12th: Chinese New Year Celebration! The lion dancers will be going through the classrooms. There will also be fun things happening throughout the day! More details to follow.

Feb 12th: Scripps National Spelling Bee: 2nd-5th grade will have class spelling bees! The winners will move on to the school-wide spelling bee on February 26.

Feb 12th-15th: Kindergarten Registration: Parents can come into the office anytime from 9:30 am -2:00 pm starting on February 12th to get their children signed up for the 2024-25 school year!

Feb 19th-23rd: Chinese Dance week in P.E. We are looking for parent volunteers to come teach some simple and fun ribbon dances to the P.E classes during this week! Watch for the email and dojo sign-up sheet!

### Your Membership and Donations at Work:

A special thank you to all volunteers who helped with the following PTA programs:

- Spirit Night at the U of U basketball game.

- Safety Blitz! We appreciate all the parents who are helping in the initiative to keep our children safe entering and exiting school grounds each day!
- Chinese New Year celebration @ Bennion Jr. High.
- Teacher Grants approved: \$682.52

We appreciate your willingness to help, as each takes a great deal of time and effort, and without it, we could not accomplish what we do! THANK YOU!!!

### **To Be a part of our PTA community:**



Scan the QR code or head to

<https://calvinsmith.memberhub.com/store>

### Spirit Wear

You are still able to purchase this year’s Calvin Smith gear through [Bonfire.com](https://bonfire.com).

Once ordered, it ships directly to you! Simply scan the QR code or head to Bonfire.com.



### Volunteer Corner

Please see the attached newsletter regarding our need for volunteers. We would LOVE more parent involvement in many areas and programs coming up this year as well as co chair positions to be filled for next year’s PTA!

As always, please reach out if you have any ideas, concerns, or questions. You can contact us at [calvinsmithpta@gmail.com](mailto:calvinsmithpta@gmail.com)

