



Principal's Message

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We survived a very rainy January and we will begin our second semester on February 8th. In some ways, it seems like we have already accomplished so much this year. In other ways, we still have so much more to do. As I visit classrooms each week, I am so pleased with the quality of instruction and student work. Students have now completed two language arts assessments and their second math quarterly assessment is scheduled for the first week in February. It is important for parents to keep track of your child/ren's progress. Low grade warning notices will be sent home on the week of February 16 for students in danger of getting a 1 or 2 on their next report card.

As you know, the budget cuts have affected every school in the district, and Dearborn is no exception. We are still trying to purchase technology and our goal is to have a document reader in every classroom. To help reach this goal, we will have a Masterpiece Fundraiser beginning February 8 where cookie dough, churros, pizzas and other items will be sold. Families are welcome to make donations directly to the technology fund instead of selling to family and friends. We appreciate your support. Many companies have corporate matching programs, we hope you will take advantage of this option.

Our Pyramid of Success project kicked off in January. We are teaching the students the building blocks of success. We started off with

Hard Work, then move on to Enthusiasm, Friendship, Loyalty and Cooperation. Every classroom has a Pyramid of Success poster and teachers are reading the corresponding pages from the book, Inch and Miles: The Journey to Success by John R. Wooden. If you would like to purchase a copy of this excellent book to encourage your family on their journey to success, it is available on amazon.com for less than nine dollars. We plan to have a mural on campus by the end of the year.

Volunteers are essential to the success of any school. I am pleased to announce that the Dearborn PTA has registered with the Disney "Give a Day. Get a Disney Day." program. You can get information and register to volunteer at <http://www.disneyparks.com>. We are very excited to participate in this program and have Dearborn friends and family benefit from providing service to our school. A few projects are listed, but more will be added soon. One of our big projects will be the renovation of the lounge behind the auditorium. We will be looking for donations of materials and furniture as well as the labor to transform this part of our school. Another big project is our school beautification day on April 17. Please contact the Dearborn office if you have any ideas, contacts or just want more information.



Debra Hirsch

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Cathy Martin



Mark your calendars for Tuesday, March 2nd for our 5th annual PTA Pajamarama. We will celebrate Read Across America and Dr. Seuss' birthday. Each year, students, families, and Dearborn staff come to school at night in their pajamas and listen to stories, swap books, make book marks and drink hot cocoa and eat delicious cookies. The Cat in the Hat will be there, please join us for a fun, family evening.

Our Multi-Cultural Faire was amazing! I was so pleased to see so many families come to view the fabulous heritage displays and learn about other cultures. The lounge was filled with food from around the world, and everything looked and smelled delicious. We are planning to make a Dearborn Multi-Cultural Cookbook from all of the recipes that were submitted, you can still bring your recipes to the Parent Center so they can be published. Thank you so much to Carla Carr and her committee for all of their work in making the evening a success. It was so nice to hear the positive comments from Dearborn families and friends about how our school celebrates diversity and teaches tolerance. Thank you to all who participated and supported this event.

Our Parent Center is in need of volunteers to help assist with projects that support our classrooms. There is plenty to do and no experience is necessary. We are looking for more Wonder of Reading Volunteers. We appreciate all of the ways that our volunteers support our school. Many people have asked what else they can do to help. Donations of copy paper, art materials, and gift cards to places like Office Depot, Costco, or Smart and Final are always appreciated. We are desperately seeking volunteers to help with our Safety Valet program. Please let us know if you have a morning available to help. Remember, all volunteers must have a volunteer application and current TB test on file in order to help in the classroom or go on any field trip. I want to thank Cyndi Stepich, our Room Parent Coordinator and Maria Martinez, our Parent Center Director for all they do to keep the Parent Center active and the volunteers informed. Thank you to every Dearborn parent or family member for all of your time and support. Together, we can accomplish so much!

Coordinator

Mark Garren, mag3805@lausd.net



Mark Garren

Dearborn is fortunate to have parents that are involved with their children's education and their school. Our CEAC and ELAC meetings, which are conducted monthly, have proven to be informative and productive. Next month's meeting, which will be held in the Homework Club at 8AM on Friday February 5th, will focus on college readiness.

We'll discuss creating a path for you and your child to follow in order to reach the goal and dream of higher education. Coffee and snacks are always provided and we encourage and look forward to your input and participation!

After school intervention classes have started for 1st grade and more classes are being planned and scheduled. If you believe that your child is struggling and not meeting grade level standards please inquire about their eligibility to participate with their teacher, myself, or the office. We have limited space in our after-school programs, but provide a variety of intervention services during the school day. We want all students to do their best work 100% of the time, intervention classes might be just what they need to provide that extra layer of support.

Assistant Principal's Message

Jeff Gerson, jgerso1@lausd.net

Happy New Year! I hope you all had an enjoyable winter vacation filled with quality time spent with your family! Now that we are all back to our routines, I thought I would share some tips to help us have a safe and healthy new year. Beginning in the safety department, I would like to thank the **vast majority** of our parents and families that have been doing a tremendous job of observing all of the traffic safety laws and who have been dropping their precious cargo off in a safe and thoughtful manner.

We have, however, been observing and receiving reports from some parents/families, that there continues to be some drivers who are putting their children and others at serious risk. Please remember to drop your children off at the curb, not from the middle of the street! Also make sure you model, remind and encourage your children to cross using the crosswalks - **where cars slow down and expect people to cross!**

Almost as troubling as the unsafe driver, is the annoying winter cold and flu. I have combed the internet and have put together the following list of the latest tips on how to avoid or minimize the effects of the dreaded cold and flu.

1. Wash hands frequently and thoroughly, especially after



Jeff Gerson

- contact with cold sufferers, contaminated objects, and before eating
2. Use alcohol based sanitizers when you are not able to wash hands with soap and water.
 3. Cough or sneeze into the inside of your elbow or tissue, not your hands.
 4. Avoid touching your face, mouth, nose, and eyes
 5. Get flu shot (consult your doctor first)
 6. Get proper amount of sleep for your age
 7. Get regular, vigorous, exercise at least 3 times per week
 8. Eat healthy, with a diet rich in fruits and vegetables. Some studies have also shown that eating a cup of low-fat yogurt each day can reduce your chances of getting a cold.
 9. Drink Plenty of Fluids. Water flushes your system, washing out the poisons as it rehydrates you.
 10. *Watch out for these germly places:* The kitchen sink, a load of wet laundry (wash underwear separate-with bleach when possible), public drinking fountains, shopping cart handles, mats/machines at the gym, bathtub (bacteria grows in warm, moist places), and public restrooms (doors, sinks, etc.)

Computer Lab

Ricky Saute

We have been working very hard in the computer lab. We have been working a lot on Renzulli for the upper grades and Starfall for the lower grades. The students who are working on math have been working on a Funbrain/Math Arcade which is a great learning site for kids who need a little help in math. We have also many more computers in the computer lab thanks to donations from our parents. We are up to 30 computers in the lab and getting more. Well that's it for the computer lab this month. Hope more and exciting events come our way.



Ricky Saute

Hello Dearborn families!

I would just like to take a minute to introduce myself. My name is Anne Neumann and I am the director of the YMCA after-school program here at Dearborn. I started in early November and I'm very excited to be here and be part of this school!



I just wanted to tell you a little bit about what our program is like and the things that we do. As soon as the last bell rings, students come to our building and begin taking out homework. The staff is kept busy answering questions and checking worksheets. After homework time we have a snack, followed by some time on the playground. Twice a week we have a "traveling enrichment" where other YMCA staff come to our site. This session we have Nutrition and Flag Football-a very popular class! Our other enrichments usually revolve around a weekly theme. In January we studied arctic animals as well as Martin Luther King, Jr. We studied the art of Geroges Seurat and also worked on games developing teamwork and problem solving. After hearing about the devastation in Haiti, our families rallied together to collect gently worn shoes to send to Sport Chalet, who in turn will send them on to the earthquake victims. Throughout the month of February we will focus on the Olympics and perhaps even have our own Olympic sporting events.



The YMCA is committed to building strong kids, strong families and strong communities. To accomplish that goal we implement the Six Pillars of Character into every aspect of our program. We promote healthy lifestyles and support our kids, families and communities in whatever way possible to achieve their goals. The YMCA provides financial assistance to those families unable to pay full program fees. If you have any questions about our after-school program, please feel free to call me at our site (818) 882-8129 or the main YMCA at (818) 368-3231. Or you can reach me by email at anneneumann@ymcala.org

The Dearborn PTA would like to personally thank the following families for signing up their Community Club Cards with Albertsons.



Just by swiping their cards to save money every time they shopped, they have help to raise \$292.15, at no additional cost to their families! If you signed up and do not see your name on the list, please try again. Sometimes due to missing information we are unable to complete the registration submitted.

Emilio Arellano
Lucia Arias
Ingrid Baensch
Shirley Bellinfante
Shawn Beltramo
Anna Bologova
Karen Bradbury
Helen Brendel
Julie Breset
Marilyn Brown
Ana Burgos
Carla Carr
Specter Caryn
Martine Chau-Pech
Hector Chauz
Erika Chavez
Trisha Cohen
Vanessa Collins
Jocy Evans
Jim Foster
Kristin Foster
Tasha Glennon
Leslie Glennon
Stacy Glickman

Arturo Gonzalez
Maria Gray
James Hamilton
Carolina Henao
Ricardo Henriquez
Debra Hirsch
Joni Huth
Catherine Izumi
James L James
Megan Javid
Carrie Jones
Heibi Kafar
Kristina Kay
Eileen Kramer
Christine Liu
Stephanie Lobel
Ronald Marien-Wangler
Regina Maslova
Liliana McAndrew
Mary McComb
Deborah Meyers
Mark Middlebrook
Jewelee Miller
Eduiges Ordonez
Rosa Ovrid
Erica Pace
Laura Ramirez
Rachel Rosen
Sorior Sandouac
Susan Seray
Barbara Smith
Tiffany Smith
Hermina Sperd
Marti Spero
Roset Strong
Linda Summers
Junko Takayesu
Norie Teramoto
Betty Toto
Sharon Trudgeon
Beverly Tyrrell Miller
Susan Valenzuela
Susan Valone Gilleece
Charmaine Young

THANK YOU!

The Founding of PTA

In 1895 two remarkable women, Phoebe Apperson Hearst and Alice McLellan Birney, were greatly concerned about the nation's children. The United States was feeling the enormous impact of the Industrial Revolution. An immense wave of immigration was flowing into the country. Children worked in factories and in mines and in the streets of the cities. Some could not attend school or get enough to eat. After extensive grassroots work in different parts of the nation. The two women met in 1895 and through different efforts, planned a meeting to bring their ideas to others. On February 17, 1897 that meeting was held and more than 2,000 people surprised Phoebe Hearst and Alice Briney by filling the hall. They formed that night, the National Congress of Mothers, which later became the PTA.



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*National PTA, www.pta.org

PTA Meeting

February 18, 2010
Free Child Care
6:30 pm Library

The PTA Membership Drive Update!

387 Members! ☺

Holiday Boutique Update

A huge THANK YOU to Carrie Jones for Chairing this first ever event. It was amazing.

Book Fair Update

Another huge THANK YOU to Cyndi Krattiger for Chairing our Winter Book Fair. We have already scheduled in another Book Fair for June and Cyndi Stepich and Colleen Gallagher-Sullivan will be hosting this event.

Holiday Basket Update

Sometimes it seems the same volunteers show up for every event. This time something special happened, our students stepped up and helped assemble the Holiday Baskets.

A special THANK YOU to you!

Panda Express

February 10, 2010

Family Dining Fundraiser

18080 Chatsworth Street #B, Granada Hills, CA 91343

All DAY! Dine in or Take Out.



The Dearborn PTA would like to personally thank the following families for signing up their Community Club Cards with Vons.

Just by swiping their cards to save money every time they shopped, they have help to raise \$284.94, at no additional cost to their families! If you signed up and do not see your name on the list, please try again. Sometimes due to missing information we are unable to complete the registration submitted.

Renee Young
Maggie Yong
Bette Williams
Mishal Weyandt
Marlene Wengler
Susan Valone-Gilleece
Noe Ulgasan
Beverly Tyrrell Miller
Junelle Tiu
Dawn Thompson
Novie Teramoto
Zovinar Tchouldjian
Junko Takayesu
Linda Summers
Sherri Suddleson
Carol Steffen
Marti Spero
Alley Caryn Specter
Barbara Smith
Peggy Skomal
Sonia Sandoval
Joyce Samuels
Joleen Saleh
Kara Rubinstein
Imelda Porter
Ji Yeon Park
Erica Pace
Ivie Obrien
Wendy Nelson
Nellie Nazaretian
Maria Navaeo
Kimberly Moser
Nina Meyers
Deborah Meyers

Leticia Maldonado
Stephanie Lobel
Christine Liu
Lucille LaRussa
Nancy Knox
Debilyn Kinzler
Tina Khoury
Kristina Kay
Carrie Jones
Robyne Johnston
Joni Huth
Shannon Hovsepien
Michael Houston
Joan Houston
Eleanor Hinson
Stephanie Hazzard
Chrisilla Guyer
Maria Gray
Harumi Gilles
Josephine Gil-Castillo
Tori Georgian
Mary Garona
Kristin Foster
Mariela Escobar
Cynthia Drater
Eilizabeth Dewey
Maria Demedina
Martha Cruz
Vanessa Collins
Sung Cho
Tim Chin
Erika Chavez
Naira Charchyan
Teresa Ceja
Jean Castillo
Nancy Campos
Kristie Campochiaro
Kenneth Burns
Cheryl Burns
Edith Bodar
Shawn Beltramo
Ramon Basa
Ingrid Baensch
Paola Andrea Arroyave
Nicole Arcchia
Maria Aranez
Maribel Adkins



Help Wanted Please!

The PTA would like to spruce up the teachers lounge. We need volunteers who can help paint, clean up and do some construction. Please email Barbara.smith@sbcglobal.net if you can help us with sweat equity or materials.

Reflections Winners

Please join me in CONGRATULATING **Anthony Ray and Paige Glickman** Anthony for his winning entry in Literature for the Primary Level and Paige for her winning entry in Dance and Choreography for the Intermediate Level. Their entries will go on to the California PTA State Judging Level and will be on display at the 2010 California State PTA Convention in San Jose, CA—April 29 to May 2



PTA REFLECTIONS

Give a day and Get a Day

Be a Volunteer for a Day at Dearborn and Get a Free Ticket to go to Disneyland. We are a registered volunteer organization with Disney. Be on the look out for flyers with the “What will you celebrate?” logo for opportunities.



Pajamarama is coming!

Get out your fluffly slippers and your warm comfy robe. It is time to stop the clock and settled down with your child for a few moments and enjoy a quiet story. This year the event will be on Tuesday night,

**March 2nd
6:30 to 8:00 pm.**



There will be treats to eat and drink. We will be having a Pajama Fashion Show, the book exchange and so much more. So put the date on your calendar, we look forward to seeing all of you.

Nominating Committee

It is that time of year, when the PTA needs to start planning for next year by choosing our future leaders. A nominating committee will be chosen at the next PTA Meeting. If you are interested in participating in choosing next years Executive Board and Committee Chairs, then please come to the next PTA Meeting, February 18th. Being on this committee does not mean you have to be on the Executive Board or be a Committee Chair next year. It does mean you will have a hand in shaping what kind of board/events we will have. It is an amazing process and only takes a few hours from beginning to end and it has an enormous impact on the school.

Please offer your assistance on this committee.



SAS Corner

Mishal Weyandt

The Use of Tiered Activities in Fifth Grade

Differentiated instruction is a way to meet the needs of all learners in one classroom. Tiered activities can be one method of differentiation. In my fifth grade class, we use tiered activities to address a particular unit of study within our Open Court Anthology. By using tiered activities, students are able to choose from a list of several activities to allow them to arrive at an understanding of the theme based on their interests, readiness, or learning profile. Tiered activities are a series of tasks of varying complexity. The activities are based on Bloom's Taxonomy, which is a classification of levels of intellectual behavior important to learning. Activities are created based on Bloom's six levels which are: evaluation, synthesis, analysis, application, understanding, and knowledge. Students may choose to make a game, skit, PowerPoint, or other product related to the unit to show understanding of the theme based on Bloom's higher order thinking skills. In our past unit, our theme was Astronomy. The students created mobiles of the planets, PowerPoint presentations on Galileo, board games with questions about space, articles of opinion about Pluto not being a planet, and inventions of new spacecraft to explore new worlds to name a few. Currently the students are working on the theme of Heritage. They can choose from a variety of tasks based on their interests. They can think like a choreographer and create a dance from traditional music, interview a family member and learn how their traditions have changed over time, write and act out their own version of a traditional fairy tale, design a cookbook of traditional family recipes, think like a statistician and conduct a survey on favorite traditions, or create a game board that depicts the journey of a family member to the United States. My students enjoy working on a product that not only challenges them, but also ignites their creativity. Tiered activities allow for this and it reinforces the connections to the theme throughout the unit.



Misha'l Weyandt

5th Grade News

Parents of Fifth Grade Students

The fifth grade team would like to invite parents of fifth grade students to our annual spring meeting. We will be covering such topics as: fifth grade activities, dues, culmination, and expectations and responsibilities. Please do not miss this opportunity to hear all about the upcoming events and to ask questions. Please meet us in the auditorium on Monday, Feb. 22 at 8:10 a.m.

Parent Center Director

Maria Martinez, maria.j.martinez@lausd.net

Greetings! I hope your Holiday was enjoyable. As the Parent Center Director, it is my job to be a liaison between the parents and the school. LAUSD is a big school district and there are many programs and resources available to help your child achieve academically. Our Parent Center has many items that include:

Parenting and Educational Books, Educational Videos, Parenting Magazines, articles and handouts addressing specific child behaviors, Homework Hints, Study Guides, and Computer with Internet Access. Please come in and check out materials that might be helpful to you. We are open daily from 7:30-3:30 and there are many projects to assist with if you have time to volunteer. Please let me know if you have suggestions or concerns, I am here to help!



Germ Busters

This is the way we wash our hands. . . .

Cold and flu season is upon us! Children and adults need to wash hands frequently to prevent the spread of germs. Have children wash their hands while singing the "Alphabet Song" once or "Happy Birthday" three times. Doctors say that the length of time it takes to sing these songs equals the time it takes to thoroughly remove germs from hands. Dearborn has ordered and will be installing hand sanitizer in strategic locations around the school to help reduce the spread of germs.

This is the way we wash our toys. . . .

Many viruses are airborne and can be caught simply by sitting next to a sick child. At home, you can try to reduce the spread of germs by sanitizing toys and quickly wash them with soap and hot water. Another way to attack germs on toys is to wash the toys in a weak bleach solution: for every gallon of water, add one tablespoon of bleach. Some toys can be put in the dishwasher for the same results.

If your child is sick, please keep him/her home. Students must be fever-free (without medication) for 24 hours before returning to school.

Positive Discipline Plan

Marti Spero

As the new calendar year begins so does the next phase of our school-wide discipline plan. We have created guidelines by which classes can earn rewards for positive behavior. The administration, yard aides, library aide, and computer lab aide will all be looking for appropriate behavior to reward with Dearborn Dollars. Opportunities to earn Dollars will be on the yard lining up (before school, after recess, and following lunch), during auditorium assemblies, following lunch area rules, at Monday Morning Assemblies, in the course of an emer-



Marti Spero

gency drill, while in the library, as well as during computer time. The classes who meet the criteria for these areas will be rewarded. When all school rules are followed (being safe, being respectful, and being responsible) Dearborn Dollars will randomly be handed out. Students may not request a Dearborn Dollar as a reward. Dollars will be submitted to the office every day. Classrooms receiving the greatest number of dollars for the week will receive the following weekly rewards including recognition at the Monday Morning Assembly and a lunch-time "Fast Pass" to earn front of the line privileges all week. Monthly winners will receive the following monthly rewards: extended recess (last Wednesday of the month for ten minutes), lunch on the assembly area lawn, various gift certificates (from community businesses), and one class per primary and upper will enjoy lunch in the Literacy Garden. If you have any no cost reward suggestions please contact the administration with your ideas.

Arts Cadre Coordinator

Laura Moseley



Starting the New Year with Creativity in Action!

The Arts Program is off to a great start this year.

Visual arts teacher Pat Tuttle will be here on Wednesdays working with 1st, 2nd, and 5th grade. Ginny Galmari-Dultz, our theatre arts teacher, will be here on Thursdays and Fridays working with grades K through 4th. This will be our second rotation of the school year and we



Laura Moseley

are looking forward to all the ways that this creative and motivating program will impact our students.

Student Council Pledges to Serve Our School

Dearborn is proud to recognize the 4th and 5th grade Student Council members and alternates.

4th Grade Room 8

Elizabeth Claypool
Micah Yong
Hanna Morris - *A/t.*

5th Grade Room 23

Katrina Dumilom
Johnny Hernandez
Melany Gaona - *A/t.*

4th Grade Room 9

Andrew Nguyen
Emilee Luther
Nika Garcia - *A/t.*

5th Grade Room 24

Tommy Tan
Maggie Middlebrook
Jennifer Rose - *A/t.*

4th Grade Room 11

Ella Tortoriei
Jessica Landazuri
Isabella Padilla - *A/t.*

5th Grade Room 25

Micayla Rendon
Nancy Chavez
Jerry Henriquez - *A/t.*



Masterpiece Cookie Dough is coming!

Our Masterpiece Cookie Dough Sale begins Monday, February 8th and runs through Monday, February 23rd. Look for the order forms coming home in your family folder on Monday, 2/8. Some of the items also for sale include pizza, churros, and pretzels. Profits from our sales will go towards technology.



Thank you in advance for helping us make this a successful fundraiser.

February 2010

1 Monday morning Assembly Samuels - Rm 30	2	3	4	5 ELAC/CEAC Meeting 8am
Math Q2 Assessment				
8 Monday morning Assembly Kullman/Maynard Rms 7 & 28	9	10  PTA Dining Out Panda Express	11 SSC Meeting at 2:15	12
15 President's Day NO SCHOOL	16	17	18  PTA Meeting at 6:30pm	19
Low Grade Warnings Sent Home				
22 Monday morning Assembly Young - Rm 14 5th Grade Meeting 8am	23 LSLC Meeting at 2:15	24	25	26
1 Monday morning Assembly Vargas - Rm 15			LSLC = Local School Leadership Council SSC = School Site Council ELAC = English Learner Advisory Council	

Calendar of Events

February 2010

- 2/2-4 Math Q2 Assessment
- 2/5 ELAC/CEAC Meeting at 8AM
- 2/8 Second Semester Begins
- 2/8 Masterpiece Fundraiser Begins
- 2/10 PTA Dining Out - Panda Express
- 2/11 SSC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library
- 2/15 President's Day- School Closed
- 2/16-19 Low Grade Warnings sent home
- 2/18 PTA Meeting at 6:30pm
- 2/22 Fifth Grade Parent Meeting at 8am
- 2/23 LSLC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library

March 2010

- 3/2 PTA Pajamarama (New Date)
- 3/5 ELAC/CEAC Meeting at 8AM
- 3/9-11 Science Assessment Grades 4 & 5
- 3/10 5th grade Photo at 8:30AM
- 3/10 School-wide photo wearing class t-shirts at 9:30AM
- 3/10 SAS Parent Meeting at 7PM
- 3/11 SSC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library
- 3/15 PTA Dining Out - Maria's Italian Kit.
- 3/16 LSLC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library
- 3/18 PTA Meeting at 6:30PM
- 3/19 Last Day of 2nd Reporting Period
- 3/22 Report Cards sent home
- 3/22-26 PTA Spell-a-thon
- 3/23 Middle School Night (4/5 grader parents)
- 3/23 Parent Conferences (at-risk students)

- 3/23 Spring Photos
- 3/24 School Tour for new families at 9AM
- 3/24-25 Student Recognition Assemblies
- 3/27-4/4 Spring Break

April 2010

- 4/7 SAS Tour for new families at 9AM
- 4/8 SSC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library
- 4/9 ELAC/CEAC Meeting at 8AM
- 4/12 Shelter-in-Place Drill
- 4/13-15 Math Quarter 3 Assessment
- 4/15 PTA Meeting at 6:30PM
- 4/17 School Beautification Day
- 4/20 LSLC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library
- 4/21 School Tour for new families at 9AM
- 4/22 Open House – Min. Day 12:25PM
- 4/22 Earth Day
- 4/27 Volunteer Appreciation
- 4/30 5th grade parent preview of the growth & development video at 8AM

May 2010

- 5/4 Teacher Appreciation Day
- 5/5 School Tour for new families at 9AM
- 5/7 ELAC/CEAC Meeting at 8AM
- 5/7 5th grade growth & dev. video
- 5/13 SSC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library

- 5/10-21 CST STAR Testing Grades 2-5
- 5/18 LSLC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library
- 5/20 PTA Meeting at 6:30PM
- 5/17-21 Low Grade Warnings sent home
- 5/25 5th grade "Smilesaver" photos
- 5/25 Family Math & Science Night and Science Fair
- 5/27 Spellman Magic Show Student Assembly
- 5/31 Memorial Day- School Closed
- 5/26 SAS Tour for new families

June 2010

- 6/3 Shortened Day 1:30pm Dismissal
- 6/3 SSC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library
- 6/4 ELAC/CEAC Meeting at 8AM
- 6/7 Spring Dance (Only grades K, 1 & 3) and Arts Festival at 8:30AM
- 6/7-11 Book Fair
- 6/10 Shortened Day 1:30pm Dismissal
- 6/11 Spellman Magic Show in Evening
- 6/14-18 Science Assessment 3 (4-5 grade)
- 6/15 LSLC Meeting at 2:15 in the Library
- 6/16-17 Student Recognition Assemblies
- 6/23 5th Grade Culmination at 9:00AM
- 6/24 Last Day of 3rd Reporting Period
- 6/24 Last Day of School – Min. Day 12:25pm Dismissal
- 6/25 Pupil Free Day