



Edgewater News



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HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

Mother's Day is May 12th

Memorial Day is May 27th



SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED

Monday, May 27th

In observance of Memorial Day



WELCOME TO OUR SCHOOL

Pixies – [REDACTED]

SPECIAL LADY'S TEA PARTY

On **Friday, May 10th**, the "Tea Room" will be open from 3:00 to 4:30pm. We invite all moms or mom's representative to come anytime during this period (one adult per child). Children will be on the yard and will need to wash up before escorting you to the "Tea Room." In addition to tea, we will have lemonade for the children and non-tea drinkers.



PARK DAYS

The Sprites & Munchkins will walk to the park on [REDACTED]. The Muskrats and Chipmunks will go on [REDACTED]. Don't forget to wear your school T-shirt and comfortable walking shoes. (T-Shirts are available for sale in the office for \$12).

CHILD SAFETY KITS

Permanent Impressions will be at the school on **Tuesday May 7th** to make safety kits for your child. Please refer to the flyer attached to your child's sign in/out folder. This is an optional service for parents.

TANAKA FARMS FIELD TRIP

We will be taking a bus (which has seats belts) to Tanaka Farms in Irvine on **Thurs. May 9th**. Children will have the chance to see, touch and taste the vegetables. They will even get to pick and eat their own strawberries. Children and chaperones need to be at school by 8:30am.



STAFF APPRECIATION

National Teacher's Day is Tues, May 7th and we will celebrate Teacher's Appreciation Week **May 6th-10th**. We will be celebrating the entire week to show our staff how much we appreciate them. This is an opportunity to express our thankfulness to the staff and teach your child the gift of appreciation. We will try to keep this as "secretive" as possible from the teachers.

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

(Sprites, Munchkins, Chipmunks)

Sprites conferences will be on Tuesday **May 14th**.

Munchkins conferences will be on Friday **May 17th**.

Chipmunks conferences will be on Wednesday **May 15th**. (non-graduating children only)

Teachers have posted schedules on the sign in-out books.

Please remember...



* To be on time

*Try to keep your appointment, as rescheduling may not be possible.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK ORDERS

Scholastic book orders are available by the entrance door and are due back on **May 9th**. Orders can be submitted to the office or submitted online by going to <http://www.scholastic.com/clubordering> Online activation code is: GZX8D.

CURRICULUM UPDATE

This month the children will be talking about how mothers are special and preparing to celebrate Mother's Day. They will also be talking about animal mothers and their babies and also discuss "When I was a baby..." Muskrats and Chipmunks will also be exploring the Outer Space!



SUMMER SCHEDULES

Please let us know in advance of any planned vacations so that we schedule staff accordingly.

REMINDERS

*Children go outside each day. Please, check to see that your child's "extra clothes" are weather appropriate. Borrowed items must be washed and returned promptly.

*Please check the lost and found container daily.

*Your child's sheet and blanket must be taken home at the end of each week, laundered and returned for the following week's use.

* Core children must be picked up by 3:00pm. If your child attends Power Play, Webby, or music they may be picked up at 3:30 for the class day.

*The school collects empty ink/laser cartridges and used cell phones year-round for recycling. Not only are we helping to alleviate the volume of waste that goes into landfills, but we are also able to raise money to purchase school materials! All donations can be dropped off in the designated box near the sign-in folders.

*Our school is also participating in the *Labels for Education*® program. It's easy to help—simply save UPCs and beverage caps from participating products and drop them off in the red box located next to the sign-in folders.

LOOKING AHEAD

June

* **Graduation Day** = Friday, June 7th at 9:30-10:30am. More information will be out by mid-month

* **Summer Program** = our summer fun program will start the week of June 25th.

* **Father's Day** = Our Best Buddy Root Beer Float Day will be **Thursday, June 13th**

