

Peppermint Patty's Newsletter

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What's Happening?

Our school year is quickly coming to a close and I can not believe it! We have had a great year and plan on finishing it out with a bang. We have many fun events coming so make sure you check out our calendar of events.

We have Teacher Appreciation week and Spirit week coming up this month and you can find more details in this newsletter. The end of the year is also the time of year when we usually have Parent- Teacher conferences. Conferences are required for Owl families and optional for all others. If you would like a conference please speak with the Director or your child's teacher to get one scheduled.

It has been an eventful school year and we are super excited for our summer program to begin on May 27th.

As a reminder we will be CLOSED on MAY 26TH in observance of Memorial Day.

As always if you have any questions or concerns please let us know.







Summer is Almost Here!



Summer is quickly approaching! Please make sure to turn in your summer reservation form if you have not done so already. Don't forget there is a summer activity fee due for all children. This fee will be charged the week of May 12th. The fee is \$10 for infants and \$110 for all other children. If you pay monthly please make sure to include the activity fee in

your payment. We will be emailing out our calendar of summer activities by May 16th. Let us know if you have any questions.

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Monthly Reminders:

- Please make sure to call the office by 9am if you are running late or will be absent. Or use the ProCare app to message us!
- Spring will be here before we know it, along with warmer weather. Please make sure your child is wearing closed toed shoes with backs and shorts under skirts and dresses.
- Please make sure that you are labeling all of your child's supplies, including hats & gloves so that if they get separated we can get them back to their owner.

Spring & Summer Polices

As the weather gets warmer we want to take this time to let you know some of our Spring & Summer policies:

- *We get MESSY! Please make sure that your child is wearing clothes to school that are comfortable and you are okay with getting a little dirty
- * Closed toed shoes with backs are required to keep little toes safe. NO FLIP FLOPS!
- * Girls must wear shorts, tights, or leggings under their skirts or dresses.
- * We will put bug spray and/or sunscreen on your child with your permission. You must provide the bug spray and sunscreen yourself and fill out a permission form. Please make sure your child has it on before coming to school in the morning and we will reapply it in the afternoon when we go outside.

Teacher Appreciation

The week of May 5th is Teacher Appreciation Week. This is a great time for you to show your child's teacher how much you appreciate them. We have a great week of activities lined up! We invite you to participate as much or as little as you would like. Watch Procare messages for more details..

Monday May 5th: Lovely Monday- Bring a flower to your teacher

Tuesday May 6th: Ovation Tuesday- Make a card or picture for you teacher

Wednesday May 7th: Sweetheart Wednesday-Bring your child's teacher their favorite sweet

Thursday May 8th: Thirsty Thursday- - Help your child's teacher quench their thirst with their favorite drink.

Friday May 9th: Food Coma Friday- Help us surprise the staff with a potluck. Watch for a sign up genius to help out.



Moms & Muffins

We invite all of our moms, grandmas, or special ladies to take a long lunch break on May 9th and join us for Moms & Muffins. We will be serving juice and muffins from 3-330pm for Moms and their children to enjoy together.





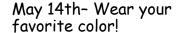
May 5th- 9th- Teacher Appreciation Week

*see email and separate article for more details

May 7th- Wear your teacher's favorite color!

May 9th- Moms & Muffins 3-330pm

Calendar of Events



May 19th- 23rd- Spirit Week!

*see article below for details

May 26th- Peppermint Patty's CLOSED for Memorial Day!

May 27th- Summer Program kicks off with ice cream sundaes

May 27th- Bring a Sack Lunch

May 28th- Color Wars: Wear the color to represent your class!

Butterfly- Blue Duck- Yellow Ladybug-Red Owl- Green



Monday May 19th:

"Mixed-Up Monday"- The end of the school year has us so busy we don't know our left from our right or even what day it is. Wear a mismatched outfit.

Tuesday May 20th:

"Totally Comfy Tuesday" - Wear your pajamas for a comfy day.

Wednesday May 21st:

"Workout Wednesday"- Wear your workout gear and we will have some fitness fun.

Thursday May 22nd:

"Throwback Thursday"- Dress from a different decade.

Friday May 23rd:

"Friendship Friday"- Bring 1 cup of your favorite snack in a Ziploc bag to make a friendship mix.

The school year is almost over and we wanted to end it with some fun. We will be having a spirit week the week of the 20th. We hope that everyone will participate and we can't wait to have some fun!





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Please let me know if you have any comments, questions, or concerns. I am always here to help.

Happy Birthday! Celebrating this month are:

Judah turns 4
on the 26th!
Robert turns 3
on the 28th!
Eliza turns 4
on the 29th!



Happy Anniversary!



Ms. Liz celebrates
11 years on May 6th!
Ms. Audra celebrates
being back 3 years on May
26th!

"Happiness is not by chance, but by choice."

-Jim Rohn



May Theme



Theme: Down on the Farm - This theme is all about exploring life on the farm. Topics of discussion may include; farm animals, farm equipment, farm life, and crops.

Our Character Trait: Friendly & Fair- to greet people politely, to invite others to join you, to play by the rules, & to take turns and share