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St. Mark's Missive

Dr. Seuss Celebrations

Our students celebrated Dr. Seuss' birthday on March 2nd. We read his books, played Seuss games, made special crafts, and ate special snacks like "green eggs and ham" and "red fish, blue fish." There was also a special visit from the Cat in the Hat!

Carton Request

Easter is fast approaching and we will be beginning our spring art projects. We are in need of clean, paper milk or juice 1/2 gallon cartons to make Easter baskets. Please send any and all that you have (we would appreciate a quick "rinse-out") as soon as you have. We need time to cut out, staple and decorate before the "Big Hunt". Extra cartons are saved for the following year. Thanks so very much!

Conference Times

Parent-teacher conferences for the 3 and 4/KT classes will be held Tuesday, April 2. Please text your child's teacher to schedule your meeting. Conferences for the 2 and 2/3 classes will be Monday, April 15. Conferences begin at 11:45 and will end at 2:00. Remember there is no extended session on conference days.

Upcoming Playdays

Playday information will be sent home in April. For your advance planning, the sessions will begin on June 4 and end on June 27. We will offer Playday this summer on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The day begins at 9am and pick up is at 2pm. It will be necessary to sign up for Playday, **paying in advance**, for the summer. **Spots will be filled on a first come basis with preference given to new and returning students.** We will not be able to accept an application unless all fees are current. The age limits remain as before— ages 2 years through pre-school six.

Say Cheese

Our class pictures will be held April 16 and 17th. On Tuesday, April 16 it will be the following classes: Misses Callie, Casie, Patsy, Tish, Bethany, Kristen. On Wednesday, April 17, it will be these classes: Misses Michelle, Susan, Morgan, Lauren, Mary Katherine and Jennifer.

Day School Sunday

St. Mark's Church will celebrate Day School Sunday on April 14 at the 10:30 a.m. service. We would love for your family to join us! The children will be invited to sing a few songs and our teachers will be recognized. Please let us know if you plan to attend.







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Dr. Seuss' birthday	2
Spring Break	18-
NO SCHOOL	22
School reopens	25
Easter egg hunts	27, 28
Good Friday	29
NO SCHOOL	
APRIL	
3 & 4/KT	2
Conferences—NO	
EXTENDED	
Solar Eclipse	8
NO SCHOOL	
Day School Sunday	14
10:30 service	
2 & 2/3 Conferences	15
NO EXTENDED	
Class pictures	16, 17
MAY	
2 and 2/3's	7
program	
4/KT's program	9
3's program	10
Last day of school- NO EXTENDED	24

A Special Thanks

Thank you to those who brought classroom treats: Chandler Bailey, Crystal Brucker, Elizabeth Clark, Elaine Green, Caroline Holt, Ruthie Loveless, Sarah McBroom, Jacqueline Retzer, Lauren Steel, Roseanne Wayne, Nicole Hartz, Brittany Holt, Chelle McCarroll, Grace Squires, Suzanne Howard, Lauren-Blair Marshall, Sarah Cathey, Hannah Rabinowitz, Elise Shea, Anna Shelley, Meredith Pelton, Sarah Gibson, Victoria Lowe, Susanne Smith, Karson Wilson, Mary Nell McBryde, Nealy Wells, McKenzie Murphy, Katie Dunigan, Erin Hohnbaum, Emily Tennyson, Caroline Makris, Jenny Anthony, Stephanie Osborne, Virginia Kumpuris, Emily Nadeau.

Thank you to Kelsey Sandvall for the fun cutting activity she provided Miss Bethany's class.



Why I am lucky

- "When I have playdates" Wilkes Howard
- "I get to go to school." Abby Cook
- "I have books." Grace Kerley
- "My sisters" Virginia Marshall
- "My brother and my dog" Lily James Smith
- "Going to school" Cooper Cathey
- "My mom and dad" Hudson Rabinowitz
- "My brothers and my family and my sister and my toys" Owen Squires
- "It's Spring and I'm happy." Stella Holt
- "My mommy and my daddy" Scout Smith
- "Money" Danielle Alexander
- "My curly hair!" George Crone
- "My mommy and my daddy and my brothers" Gavin McRae
- "I got so many stars at music." Wesley Clark
- "I got the most stars at music." Lyndall Retzer
- "My mom and dad" Beau Brucker
- "Apples" Graham Steel
- "My mom and dad" Clark McBroom
- "My cat" Harrison Holt
- "Easter" Wills Bailey

