

Cougar Families,

I think the sun was a bit deceiving this weekend as we finished up the month of March! I know we are all eager for the warmer weather. Please plan appropriately, we should be outside for recess most days from now until the end of the year. This is a short week with no school on Friday as the 3rd Quarter comes to a close. We would love to see all of our scholars every day this week! Keep in mind one more student in attendance every day will help us achieve a 96% school-wide attendance rate for the year!

This past week finished with such incredible momentum and sincere energy. Our scholars took part in student led presentations for Mr. Gonzalez's International Day. All of our students were informed on our new school-wide weekly incentive based on the school expectations of being Kind/ Respectful, Safe and Responsible. Our scholars and CARE team did a marvelous job planning, preparing and presenting for the entire school. I'm sure our Clissold Moms loved the opportunity to spend a little additional time with their sons at the PTA Mother/Son event!

Finally, a huge thank you to the entire school community for all of your incredible support of the Miceli family. Our school community raised \$3,400 for Nick and the Miceli family. Students took part in the creation of a couple wonderful pictures of our scholars creating the yellow cancer symbol to show their support. We hope to see these soon in the local media to elevate the awareness of Alveolar Rhabdomyosarcoma, the type of cancer Nick continues to fight!

**Here are a couple reminders:**

The PTA would like to start a Teacher/Staff appreciation week committee. The week is May 6th-May 10th. We are looking for a few ideas (we have some) and parents who can be available to help set up or clean up if need be. Please email us at [clissoldpta@gmail.com](mailto:clissoldpta@gmail.com)

**Planning Ahead:**

April 1: Dental Cleanings  
April 2: 8th Grade Picture Retakes  
April 4: End of 3rd Quarter  
April 5: No school for students- School Improvement Day  
April 10: Parent/ Teacher Conferences  
Spring Break: 15th - 19th

**Save the Dates:**

April 26: Father/ Daughter Dance  
April 27: Clissold Golf Outing  
May 3 & 4: Alice in Wonderland Jr.

As you know, we are a Montessori and IB MYP educational community who believes in the gift of every child to inspire and empower the future of our humanity.

**Collaborate with one another**  
**Support one another**  
**Care for one another**  
**Encourage one another**  
**And**  
**Remarkable things will happen!**

Kindly,

Your Clissold Administration