



Collegewood Elementary School

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Dear Collegewood Families,

We are preparing to close our school year! Our students are wrapping up state testing and we are so proud of the effort they put forth. Our TK and kindergarten students are completing end of the year assessments and we are planning great end of the year celebrations.

This Friday, we will honor our volunteers. The partnership between home and school is powerful. Our volunteers work tirelessly and we are truly grateful for the time they provide to help us make our school a place where kids make great memories. Many thanks to those of you who have volunteered to help us with recent events around school: Walk-A-Thon, Father-Daughter Dance, Book Fair, Muffins with Mom, Donuts with Dad and Family Math Night. These events help us build a stronger learning community allowing everyone to feel welcomed. We are always happy to welcome new volunteers! On Friday, May 17th we will be hosting our annual carnival. Any amount of time you can donate to help us make this event a success is needed and appreciated. We can always use extra hands on this day beginning early in the morning so that we can set everything up. If you are in the neighborhood and have any time, please feel free to stop in.

Survey Link- Serving a community of nearly 600 families presents challenges. It is important for us to gather feedback and know how we can best meet your needs and those of your child. If we are doing something right, please let us know so that we can be sure to continue. If you have suggestions about how we can do things better, please let us know. If you visit our school website and click on [Parent Feedback Survey](#). Please feel free to access this throughout the year.

Registration- is open for the 2019-20 school year. If you know of any new residents or have an incoming TK or kindergarten student, you can refer to our [website](#) for instructions and forms. You may call our front office for further information.



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Re-Registration- All students will need to have completed re-registration documents by the first week of school. These documents will be available to parents on the Parent Portal which can be accessed through our school website. An email will be sent by our office in mid-July to inform you that the re-registration process has begun.

Office Hours- Our office will re-open August 1st at 8 AM. Please refer to our website, emails sent from our school and district, and Twitter account for information about our school over the summer.

Important Dates:

May 2nd- 1st Grade to Discovery Cube

May 3rd- Volunteer Thank You Tea

2nd Grade Earth Day Celebration

May 6-10- Staff Appreciation Week

May 7th- 5th Grade to Suzanne for Field Trip (*Evening meeting at Suzanne for 5th Grade parents)

May 8th- TK to Cal Poly Petting Zoo

May 10th- 8:45 Kinder's Mother's Day Program

May 13th- Zimmerman and Ko Walk Through Revolution (Parents welcome to attend)

May 14th- 8:00 ELAC meeting in Library for parents of students who speak English as a second language

May 15th- 8:45 K/1 Trimester Awards

2:30 Ms. Holton's Pirates on Grammar Island Play

May 16th- 2:30 Mr. Navarro's Pirates on Grammar Island Play

May 17th- 8:45 2 /3 Trimester Awards

Carnival set-up all day

3:30-7:00 Carnival (Music will perform at 5:30 PM)

May 20th- 2:00 5th Grade The American Revolution Play

May 21st- 2nd Grade to Lemon Creek Park



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8:45 Community Club Meeting
May 22nd- 2:00 School Site Council
May 23rd- 8:45 4 /5 Trimester Awards
May 24th- Spirit Assembly- Wear your school shirt!
May 27th- Memorial Day- No School
May 29th- 1:45 5th Grade End of Year Assembly and school walk
May 30th- Last Day of School- Report Cards Go Home-
TK and Kinder Dismissal @12:00
Grades 1-5 Dismissal @ 12:10
August 8th- 5:30-7:30 PM Back to School Night
August 12th- FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL!

I'd like to extend my gratitude on behalf of our entire school team. We are grateful for the opportunity to be part of your child's academic, social-emotional journey. We love the joy and excitement our students bring to each day. We wish all of you a peaceful, memory-making end of the year and a wonderful summer with your family. I look forward to welcoming you back to school in August and wish you well.

Fondly,

Dr. Mary Wendland

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