

May 6, 2024



Newsnotes

Chico Oaks Adventist School



Prayer Kids

Monday

Tobias J. & Lucia L.

Tuesday

Ava M. & Maddox N.

Wednesday

Kaia O. & Hannah W.

Thursday

Jackson C. & Lily C.

Friday

Brooklyn E. & Grayson E.

This and That

Happy Teacher Appreciation Week! I am so proud of you, our Chico Oaks teachers. You are truly the most dedicated, creative, professional, and loving teachers I have ever had the pleasure to work with. Thank you for making our school a light in our community and teaching our children about Jesus. I am continually inspired by your commitment to our kids and feel so blessed to not only call you my colleagues but almost my dear friends.

Blessings,
Leslie

~Project Share~

7th/8th Grade collected \$38.00 for the month of April. Thank you!

5th/6th Grade will be collecting offering for the month of May & June.

Thank you for your support!



MAP testing continues this week.

HOT LUNCH



Hot lunch is available for purchase every Monday & Wednesday. Cost of hot lunch is \$5.00 per meal and will be applied to your FACTS tuition account.

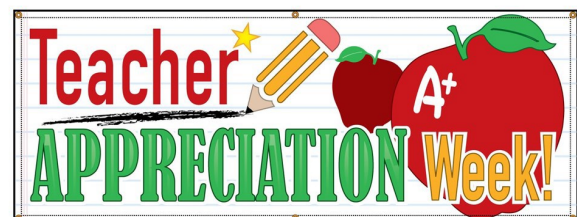
Monday, May 6

~Pizza~

Wednesday, May 8

~ Spaghetti~

Stacey & Kari



May 6 – May 10

Teacher Appreciation is this week! Let's shower our awesome teaching staff with special acknowledgements!!

Plan Ahead!

Please check the "Plan Ahead" section each week as the calendar is subject to change. Thank you.

MAP Testing Continues	May 6
5th/6th Grades Outdoor Ed.	May 6 - 9
School Board Meeting	May 9
Teacher Appreciation Week	May 6-10
MAP Testing Ends	May 10
Spirit Day	May 10
Spring Concert & Auction 6:30pm	May 16
Spirit Day	May 16
Skip-up Day	May 17
Memorial Day - No School	May 27
End of School Party-Cal Skate 11am-1pm	Jun.3
Last Day of School - Minimum Day	Jun 4
8th Grade Graduation	Jun. 4
End of 4th Period (44 days)	Jun. 4
School Board Meeting	Jun. 13
Pyramid Basketball Camp (PAA)	Jun. 10-14
School Work Bee	Aug. 4
Staff Dedication	Aug. 17
Parent Orientation	Aug. 18
1st Day of School	Aug. 21

Homework & Class Information---

Music

Mr. Hearn - Band
May 6 - May 10

Look for Mr. Hearn's assignments in next week's *Newsnotes*.

Ms. May - Grades 1st - 4th
May 6 - May 10

Music and Motion: 1st and 2nd Grade
This week is all about practicing our Do Re Mi harmony parts. All kids will be learning both parts and 'trading' them back and forth during the song, so we'll be having lots of fun with focus and concentration.

Ukulele 1 (Beginners): 3rd and 4th grade

We will be reviewing how chord spelling helps us begin to understand how harmony works - and why certain notes sound good with certain chords. We will break down the chords for Million Dreams into their individual notes and assess how these chords support the melody.

We will continue with our harmony part to the Flower Drum Song, and chord work with Million Dreams and A Sky Full of Stars.

Ukulele 2 (Intermediate): 3rd and 4th grade

This class is going all out with skill building on Million Dreams. Fingerpicking, bar chords, and working on three different strum patterns. We will also go over their rhythm key, focusing on 16th notes and dotted 8th notes. This will help them continue their work on the Flower Drum Song.

Those who are looking for a challenge are working even more on bar chords and fast chord switching for Happy.

Mrs. Moon - TK/Kindergarten
May 6 - May 10

Turtle Bay: We leave school by 8:15 to get to Turtle Bay by 9:30. Everyone should bring a lunch that we will eat in the park. Children and adults should wear our school shirts. If you do not have a shirt Turtle Bay requires name tags with the school name that I can provide.

Chicks Hatching: We are expecting our babies to hatch on the 15th!

Spring Concert: Kindergarten will join the school to perform two songs and the Spring Concert on May 16.

End of School Year Party: On June 3, at Cal Skate we will have our school party. The party will be from 11:00-1:00.

Manner's Tea: We will celebrate the last day of school with a Manner's tea to celebrate our good manners! This is an enjoyable end-of-school-year tradition for kindergarten. Please let me know if you want to help me put it on.

Ms. VanHook – Grades 1 & 2
May 6 - May 10

VIP: Finn is our VIP this week. We are so blessed to have him as part of our class.

MAP Testing: We will continue MAP testing this week. Please make sure your child gets a good night sleep and has a nutritious breakfast. Thank you.

Paint Smocks: We have about half of the t-shirts we need to use as paint smocks. If any of you have extra old t-shirts that you would like to donate that would be great. We will be using them to protect our clothes when we have painting projects. I will be keeping them to use next year as well. Thank you.

Bible: Please have your child memorize the following verse. There will be a test this Friday.
Treasure Verse: "Those who trust in the Lord will find new strength." Isaiah 40:31a

Math 1: Adding and Subtracting Tens

Math 2: Adding Numbers within 1,000

Spelling: Please have your child practice these words each evening. We will have spelling tests on Friday.

1st grade: two, four, six, one, three, five, seven, count, zero, number

2nd grade: clock, duck, talk, sick, back, truck, hang, bring, sing, milk, block, something, along

Reading: For reading this week please have your child read every evening for 20 minutes and fill out their reading log. 1st graders should be doing the reading now. Also, they should read two books in their level up section of RAZ Kids sometime during the week as well as recording one of the books.

Social Studies: We will be doing a short unit on Citizenship and US symbols.

Mrs. Miceli – Grades 3 & 4
May 6 - May 10

Memory Verse: "Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Matthew 6: 9-12

Spelling: Tests on Friday. **Spelling Homework** this week: Write sentences using the words or a Spelling word story. Due Friday.

Level C: football, shook, woman, neighborhood, good-bye, bushes, hood, push, hook, notebook, wolf, cookie, wool, brook, pulley

Level D: playground, yardstick, homework, bedroom, bedspread, fireplace, railroad, homemade, within, everybody, newspaper, herself, bathroom, bathtub, anyway, backyard, sunshine, somewhere

Level E: compound, account, crouch, snout, scowl, browse, whereabouts, announcer, boundary, counterfeit, coward, willpower, clout, drought, foul, mountains, pronounce, South Carolina, South Dakota, scoundrel

Reading Homework: Two books from Reading A-Z and quizzes are due weekly.

Upcoming Events:

May 7, this Tuesday - In-and-Out Tour - We will be leaving at 8:40. Please wear closed-toed shoes.

May 16 - Spring Concert

May 17 - Skip Up Day

May 30 - End of Year Class Party at Ezra's house. More details to come.

June 3 - End of Year School Party - Cal Skate

Mr. Raj – Grades 5 & 6
May 6 - May 10

At Outdoor Ed. this week. Look for Mr. Raj's assignments in next weeks *Newsnotes*.

Mrs. Lauderdale – Grades 7 & 8
Mr. Linhares
May 6 - May 10

Graduation: 7th Grade Parents- Well another year has come and gone and it's that bittersweet time of saying good-bye to our 8th Graders who are graduating this year!

It has been Chico Oaks' tradition that the 7th Graders' families help with the 8th Grade Graduation Reception. It can be a daunting task, but if we work together, it will not be overwhelming.

7th Grade Parents - Help setting up food, replenishing food, and cleaning up.

7th Graders - Will be walking in ahead of the 8th graders and walking out after the 8th graders. Please make sure they are dressed nicely for the service, no jeans or athletic clothing!

Graduation is the last day of school, Tuesday June 4th at 6:30pm.

Please contact Stacy Grau (916-308-5290) to help with graduation.