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APRIL 20TH, 2024

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RESOURCES, FOOD TRUCKS & MORE FAMILY FUN!

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March Wellness Theme:
Self-Esteem

Workdays & Holidays
Break: March 14-15
For Parent/Teacher Conferences

Workday: March 13 & 29

A Note From Ms. Houser:
Thank you to all who placed t-shirt orders, we are excited to see students wearing them soon. Please remember to setup a conference with your student's teacher using the information they have provided. Please also ensure you have reenrolled with us if that is your plan for next year.

Things are Heating Up!

We are looking forward to an action packed spring season. We hope to have lots of opportunities for students to get outside to learn and play beginning with the Petals & Play event. You can support the event by attending or donating (givebutter.com/petalsandplay). Please spread the word to others who may be interested in the offering! Please be on the lookout for conference information from your student's classroom teachers. Parent/Teacher conferences will be held March 14-15.

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TADS APPLICATIONS

Please make sure you complete and submit all TADS applications as the deadline for determining eligibility is March 15.

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PROM FUNDRAISER

Please share the link to the right to your social media to help raise funds for our annual prom, this year featuring an enchanted forest theme.

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PROM FUNDRAISER LINK

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/hopocreek-prom-enchanted-forest>

PRIMARY:

Primary is looking forward to our field trip to the Life and Science Museum on March 12. Please let us know if you already have a membership or if you plan to meet us there. We have a few tickets donated from the school if you do not already have membership. We plan to try to stay together as a group to support the social growth of our students. We plan to eat lunch at the cafe or with packed lunches. Please let us know if you have any questions.

UPPER ELEMENTARY:

Parent teacher conferences will take place on March 14th and March 15th. We would like to remind upper elementary parents to sign up for parent teacher conferences via the following link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CA5A72DA4F8C07-48104172-upper#/>

If you are interested in leading a mini-lesson in the classroom, please contact the teachers to set something up.

SUPPORTED LEARNING:

Thank you for all the sweet Valentine's Day cards and treats –we really appreciated them! Conferences are only a couple of weeks away; please don't forget your conference time. We'll be sending a Zoom link that week for those who need it (please ensure that your child is not present for conferences). Our days are very full, so we won't have time beyond the allotted amount. We look forward to discussing your child's successes!

MIDDLE SCHOOL:

We are looking forward to seeing everyone on either March 14 or 15. If you haven't already, please sign up at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084AADA723A4FBCF8-47954177-spring#/>. Students will be working on a final project for the book Holes and a project in science about sound. Be sure to ask them about it! Our class has been working on our weekly writing assignment for writing an extraordinary paragraph. We are already seeing improvement in everyone's writing.

INDEPENDENCE ACADEMY:

We are looking forward to conferences. Please sign up if you have not already. If you have any particular life skills you feel your child could use more instruction on please send us an email and we will try to cover it during a classroom lesson.

HIGH SCHOOL:

Please sign up for conferences using the link provided: (<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CA5A72DA4FBC43-48170116-high#/>)

The class is also working on finalizing a field trip to the NC Museum of Art that will take place in late March or early April so keep an eye out for more information. Parent chaperones are encouraged.

A NOTE FROM THE SCHOOL COUNSELOR:

I am incredibly excited to announce a community-based Parent Support Group that is available to anyone interested. The Parent Support Group is offered through the Emerge Pediatric Therapy organization and is designed to be "a safe space for parents of neurodivergent children to share, vent, and problem-solve together!" The service is available to families who do not currently receive services from Emerge but those interested should email (danielle@emergepeds.com) to RSVP. Emerge offers these Parent Groups in a variety of locations including Cary, Carrboro, Chapel Hill, and Durham. I would love to hear from those who are interested.

PARENT SUPPORT GROUP MEETING SCHEDULE

DURHAM 10AM	MARCH 16	CARY 10AM	JUNE 15
CARRBORO 10AM	SEP 21	CARY 10AM	DEC 14

JOIN THE FACEBOOK GROUP!