



Discoveryland News

Happy April to our school family! What a wonderful busy month we are going to have. There are a lot of things blooming in our classrooms form the kids blooming academically, socially and spiritually. We have seen many wonderful friendships bloom as well. Ask your child who their friends are, and why they are special. I hope the stories they tell warm your heart like they do us.

April is month of the young child! From April 10 through 14 we will be celebrating the Week of the Young Child. So we here at school will be showering your little ones with daily special love. **(We do that anyway...)** but will be adding small treats and special activities for them to as well.

Our little people are going to grow up sooner than we like, so we want to celebrate their time as children. Also check with your local town/city for activities. They usually have fun things planned for the Month of the Young Child as well.

We have a busy month, Parent/Teachers conferences, a day closed for Teacher In-service, and wheels day. We also have a field trip coming up. More to come on that later.

Discoveryland will be CLOSED Monday, April 17, for a Teacher In-Service Day. This day gives teachers time to collaborate together and to take care of some much needed things in the classrooms. Please plan for alternate childcare on this day. School will resume on Tuesday, April 18.

Parent/Teacher conferences will be held April 18-April 28. Sign up **sheets will be in your child's** classroom. Please be sure to

schedule an appointment to meet **and talk with your child's teachers** to discuss their development and, for pre-k students, their readiness for and transition to kindergarten.

Come join us here on Sunday, April 30, 10am-2pm, in support of **Foothill Elementary School's** annual Spring Fling. There will be plenty of food and fun activities for kids and parents alike. And for those wanting to know a little bit more about our elementary school program, it will also be a great opportunity to meet and mingle with the teachers and get more information.

Our annual Wheels day Thursday, April 13. Please bring **your child's bike or tricycle**, including helmets/pads, etc, to school that morning – **don't forget** to label everything! Also, remember, for the safety of your child, if he or she does not have a helmet, they will not be allowed to ride on their bikes.

Make sure to check the important date box in case I missed anything. **Enjoy the sunshine!** It's been great to feel its warmth. Thank you for letting us help your little ones bloom.

Have a wonderful month of April!

Ms. Penny Corpus, Director



Dates to Remember

April

- 11-14 Week of the Young Child
- 12 Celebrate ME! Day
- 13 Wheels Day
- 17 No School/Teacher In-Service Day
- 18-28 Parent/Teacher Conference Week
- 30 Spring Fling

May

- 5 Happy Cinco de Mayo
- 12 **Mother's Tea – 3:30pm**
- 15 Parent Evaluations
- 25 Preschool Graduation
- 29 No School/Memorial Day Holiday



- 5 **Rishab Deepak (Rm 5)**
- 11 **Shomili Eldo (Rm 3)**
- 13 **Kingston Tran (Rm 5)**
- 16 **Leia Allen**
- 19 **Jayan Makwana (Rm 5)**

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3 Raisin Bran Cereal, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Penne Rigate Pasta w/Alfredo Sauce, Toss Salad, Garlic Bread, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Pita Bread w/Cream Cheese & Grape Juice	4 Waffles, Stripples, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Crunchy Tacos, Corn, Spanish Rice, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Ritz Crackers & Orange Juice	5 Bagels, Fresh Fruit & Milk Chik'n Nuggets, Broccoli, Jam Sandwich, Fresh Fruit, & Milk Wheat Thins Crackers & Cranberry Juice	6 Egg & Cheese Burrito, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Teriyaki Hamburger, Steam Rice, Peas & Carrots, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Animal Crackers, Milk & Mango Juice	7 Cheerios, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Tater Tots, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Goldfish Crackers & Apple Juice
10 Corn Chex Cereal, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Spaghetti w/Marinara Sauce, Toss Salad, Sliced Bread, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Triscuit Crackers & Orange Juice	11 Pancakes, Fresh Fruit & Milk <i>Cheese Burrito, Green Beans, Spanish Rice, Beans, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Cheese-it Crackers & Cranberry Juice	12 Blueberry Mini Muffins, Fresh Fruit & Milk Chik'n Salad Wrap, Cucumber, Fresh Fruit, & Milk Granola, Yogurt, & Apple Juice	13 French Toast, Fresh Fruit, & Milk Mac' & Cheese, Big Franks, Broccoli, Toasted Bread, Fresh Fruit, & Milk Wheat Thins Crackers & Mango Juice	14 Raisin Bran Cereal, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>BLT Stipples Sandwich, Curly Fries, Fresh Fruit, & Chocolate Milk</i> Ritz Crackers & Grape Juice
17 Teacher In-Service DISCOVERYLAND CLOSED	18 Waffles, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Haystacks, Corn, Spanish Rice, Beans, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Vanilla Crackers, Milk, & Apple Juice	19 Cinnamon Toast, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Hamburger Steak, Mashed Potato, Toasted Bread, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Goldfish Crackers & Orange Juice	20 English Muffins, Fresh Fruit, & Milk Chik'n Chow Mein, Peas & Carrots, Fresh Fruit, & Milk Granola, Yogurt, & Grape Juice	21 Cheerios, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Pizza w/Sausage, Tater Tots, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Wheat Thins & Orange Juice
24 Cheerios, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>South of the Border Pasta, Toss Salad, Garlic Bread, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Pita Bread w/Jam & Apple Juice	25 Pancakes, Scramble Eggs, Fresh Fruit, & Milk <i>Cheese Quesadilla, Spanish Rice, Broccoli, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Ritz Crackers & Mango Juice	26 Mini Muffins, Fresh Fruit & Milk <i>Corn Dogs, Broccoli, Fresh Fruit, & Milk</i> Wheat Thins Crackers & Cranberry Juice	27 Bagel w/Butter, Fresh Fruit, & Milk Fried Rice w/Egg, Turk'y Strips, Mix Vegetable, Fresh Fruit, & Milk Goldfish Crackers & Grape Juice	28 Corn Chex Cereal, Fresh Fruit & Milk <i>Cheese Burger, Tater Tots, Fresh Fruit, & Chocolate Milk</i> Cheese-it Crackers & Orange Juice



Start your Day the Smoothie Way!

Grab a blender. Grab the kids!

Blend together:

1 cup berries, 1 ripe or frozen sliced banana,

½ cup yogurt, ¼ cup 100% juice.

(Nutritional value determined by what you see.)

Try: peach or kiwi slices, watermelon, silken tofu, honey, ice cubes, milk, or cinnamon.

Throw in a handful of lettuce, spinach or kale, too!

