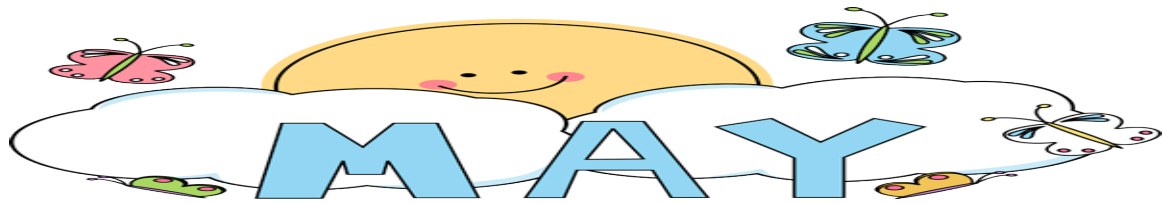


Ms. Luca and Mrs. Premus UPK Newsletter



We hope you had a wonderful Spring Break! **On Thursday, May 9th, we will be hosting a "Muffins for Mommy" breakfast at 8:30am.** We will be having breakfast, singing songs and playing the game, "Guess Whose Mommy!" If you are unable to attend the breakfast, one other special woman in your child's life may attend. Please return the tear off from the letter sent home so we can plan accordingly. **On Tuesday, May 21st at 2:30pm** please join us for our workshop *Getting Ready for Kindergarten*, a notice with further information will be sent home with details.

Happy Birthday: Class 001: Cheyenne 5/8 and Isaac 5/13 **Class 002:** Valentina 5/9

Parent Involvement

5/9 - Muffins for Mommy breakfast- 8:30am

5/9 - Parent Teacher Conference -5:00pm-8:00pm

5/10 - Plant Sale – Schedule to follow

5/15 – PAWS Awards, 6:30pm - PTA Meeting, 7:00pm

5/21 - Getting Ready for Kindergarten Workshop- 2:30pm

Upcoming Dates

- 5/27 - Memorial Day- No School
- 6/4 - Eid al-Fitr- No School
- 6/6 - Chancellor's Conference Day- No School
- 6/7 - Memory Walk - 9:30am
- 6/11 - Clerical Day- No School

Wish List

- Paper Towels
- Gallon of Water
- Clorox/Lysol wipes



Literacy Corner

Suggested Books

The Very Hungry Caterpillar- Eric Carle

Caterpillar to Butterfly- Laura Marsh

The Very Grouchy Ladybug- Eric Carle

Ladybugs- Margaret Hall

The Tiny Seed- Eric Carle

From Seed To Plant- Gail Gibbons



Themes

- Five Senses
- Life Cycles of plants, insects, and animals
- Mother's Day
- Memorial Day
- Nutrition & Healthy Eating



PTA News

* Pretzels for our Panthers Friday May 3 (\$1/pretzel)

* Teacher appreciation week! May 6th - 10th

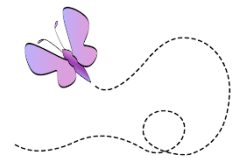
* "Principal for a day". Raffles on sale until May 9th.

(\$1/ticket; \$10/12 tickets; \$20/25 tickets)

* Street Fair May 9th from 5pm - 8pm. Join us for dancing in the street, face painting, games and a live drawing of our "principal for a day" raffle winners.

* Plant Sale Friday May 10th (class schedule times to be distributed closer to event)

* PTA meeting May 15th at 7pm. Elections held for PTA board members as well as SLT board members for the next school year (2019-2020)



A Note from Ms. Ponzi

Hello Petrides Families,

Spring has sprung-hopefully everyone can get outside and enjoy that sunshine!! The feeling of excitement is in the air as we near the end of our school year. Let's make sure to stay focused and bright until then.

We would like to commend our dedicated 3rd and 4th graders for their hard work and commitment with preparing for the NYS ELA and Math tests. We are confident you did great!

We look forward to all of the exciting culminating events that are quickly approaching. Please mark your calendars and save the dates accordingly. I can't wait to celebrate with you all.

Sincerely,
Ms. Ponzi

