

Mid-March Updates From Director



Parent-Teacher Conferences: Sign-up sheets for Parent-Teacher Conferences can now be found in every classroom. Conferences will be held on Monday, March 23rd. Please be sure to sign up for a conference to learn about your student's progress to date.

Open House and New Facility Tours: We will be hosting an open house for perspective new families on Friday, March 27th from 8:30-noon. We will also be providing tours of the new facility. Currently enrolled families may also join in on the new facility tours.

Budget and Calendar Committee Meetings: The budget committee met last Wednesday, March 11th to work on the 2015-16 school budget, and will meet again on Wednesday, April 15th at 4:15 at the Anansi Charter School. The calendar committee will hold its first meeting on Wednesday March 18th at 4:15 at the school; their next meeting will then be held on April 8th at the same time. Parents are welcome and encouraged to participate in this process.

PARCC Testing: The third through sixth grade students have completed their first week of PARCC testing which consisted of three English language arts tests. This week the students will have two math tests on Tuesday and Thursday. The following week the fourth grade students will take their science tests on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, and then the first round of state testing will be complete. The end of year PARCC assessments will be administered the last week of April for three more testing sessions.

Read-a-thon: We were pleased to have so many parents participate in the Dr. Seuss Read-a-thon, a huge thank you to all parents who were able to join us in promoting reading in our school. We are now collecting each student's pledges, which are due by Friday, March 27th. The proceeds from the event will be used to pay for the end of the year field trips for each class.

Surveys: If you are a parent of a kindergarten through second student and have not been yet able to fill out your parent survey to provide feedback to the teaching staff, the deadline to fill out survey has been extended by the New Mexico Public Education Department. We are now able to receive your surveys until March 27th. We appreciate your assistance and support of the teaching staff.

Dates to Keep in Mind:

Wednesday, March 18th: Calendar Committee Meeting, 4:15pm, parent input welcome

Friday, March 20th: No School, Teacher In-Service

Monday, March 23rd: No School, Parent-Teacher Conferences, please attend

Friday, March 27th: Open House and New Facility Tours, 8:30-Noon, K-2 teacher surveys due

March 30-April 3: Spring Break, No School

Wednesday, April 8th: Calendar Committee Meeting, 4:15pm

Friday, April 10th: Lottery Applications Due

Wednesday, April 15th: Budget Meeting, 4:15, Governance Council Meeting, 5:30

Friday, April 17th: Lottery Drawing, 10am