

CMS Monthly News

May

2025



In some ways our school year is winding down, but in other ways the activities and fun are just getting started!

We have many special events, family involved projects, trips, and activities to fit in over the next two months. Please keep an eye on your newsletter and calendar for all of the information you may need.

And don't hesitate to ask at the school office if you have any questions.



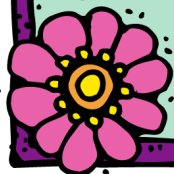
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Memorial Day Monday, May 26th

School Closed



A Special Thanks!

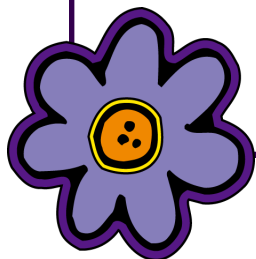
... To everyone who brought in their "Need For Seeds" and "I Heart the Earth" projects.

... To all of our parents and grandparents who have been so supportive of our school.

... To all of our teachers who love and care for all of the special little people each day.

... To the many families who have donated books, puzzles, and care toys for our classrooms.

Thank you! Thank you!!



Standardized Testing

Monday, May 5th through
Friday, May 9th will be
a time of
standardized testing
for some of our kindergarten and
elementary aged students.

The tests will happen
in the morning between
9:15 am and Noon.

If your student is involved in the
testing process, please be sure
he/she is present each test day
and arrives no later than 9:00 am.

Thanks for your help!

All School Bike/Trike Days

CH/Green -Friday, May 2nd
CH/Blue - Friday, May 9th

Elementary - Friday, May 16th



The students will be practicing their bike riding skills. Children's House students will stay and ride in the school parking area. Elementary students will travel to the parking area behind Target for some skill building and a short trip on the Chehalis Western Trail.

All students must bring their own bike and helmet in order to participate. Due to limited storage, student's bikes/trikes should be dropped off in the morning and picked up in the afternoon of their class's bike day.



Absolutely Incredible Kids Day

Wednesday, May 14th

Everyone will receive paperwork regarding this special day in their parent information file. If you do not, please contact the school office for details. All letters, emails, etc... need to be received by
Tuesday, May 13th.

There is a link on the CMS website for sending emails. Thanks!.



All School Trip and CMS Family Picnic

Friday, May 23rd
11:45 am - 1:00 pm

Meet Your Student at The Park - 11:45 am

On Friday, May 23rd, from 11:45 am to 1:00 pm, each student at the Capital Montessori School may invite their family as their very special guests to our annual CMS Family Picnic. Please refer to the following information when making your plans for this event.

Our upcoming picnic will be a potluck. This is a special event to spend with your family. It will take place at the Tumwater Historical Park and will last approximately one hour; however our families are welcome to stay as long as they wish.

Maps will be available from the school office for anyone who needs them.

Students will be transported to Tumwater Historical Park at 9:30am for a morning of outdoor discovering and fun.

Parents are then asked to pick up their student at the park no later than 11:45am and join the picnic. School closes at 11:45 am.

Sorry, there is no child care available at school after 11:45 am.

Families are asked to bring the following:

Food items to share for the potluck. Also, tableware and beverages for the family.

Outdoor games and lawn chairs are always an option but are not required.

See You There —





A note from your teachers:

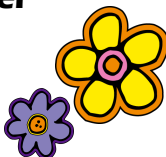
Hello CMS families, happy spring! We have all been enjoying the wonderful weather and spending time outside. We have a lot of fun activities planned for the month of May!

Before we dig into some of our special projects, we wanted to share something we have been talking a lot about in class that we can all work on together, taking care of each others hearts. AKA "the golden rule: treat others the way you want to be treated".

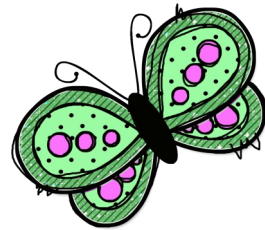
As a class we have had some great discussions about how we can take care of our friends hearts, and what to do if we accidentally hurt someone's heart and how we can fix it. Everyone had really great ideas to share on how to take care of their friends, show kindness and on how to help each other feel better when someone's heart is sad.

We hope as a whole class and families we can all continue to work together to help take care of one another and our hearts, doing our best to treat others the way we want to be treated.

From: Mrs. Johnson and Ms. Daniel



Children's House Green and Kindergarten Class



SOCK PUPPETS:

We have a special project this month making sock puppets. The kids really love Gerald our class duck (sock puppet) who comes to visit. We thought it would be a fun activity for the kids to make their very own sock puppet.



Here's what we need from you: Please help your student find a sock they would like to turn into a puppet that they can bring into class and decorate.

IN NEED OF:

I am working on a special project for our class and would love your help. Please bring to class a recipe your student loves to make! This can be something as simple as toast, yogurt, pancakes, or as complicated as alfredo pasta. Something your kiddo loves to help be apart of in the kitchen and eat. If your student hasn't helped in the kitchen yet, this could be a fun family night activity to come up with a recipe they like together.

Please bring in by May 16th

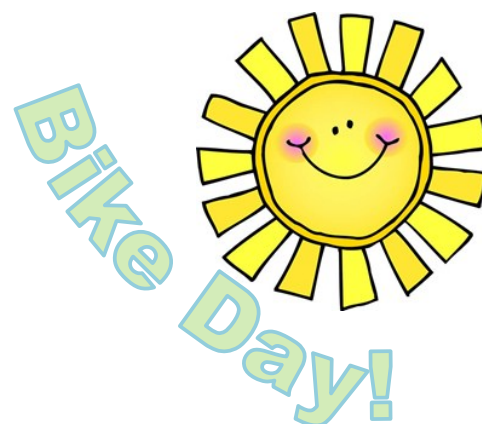
***recipe with instructions**

***a picture of your child you are willing to share to go with it.**

Special Days!



Working Hard!



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Monday

Tuesday

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National Family Month

Pacific Beach Family Trip Saturday, June 7th
Come for the day or stay the weekend!

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