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May 17, 2013

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, May 20	4 th Grade Field Trip - Denver Museum of Nature & Science Planetarium
Tuesday, May 21	Hawk Quest Assembly
Thursday, May 23	5 th Grade Field Trip – Denver Museum of Nature & Science
Friday, May 24	Field Day Grades 3-4-5 Kindergarten Field Trip – Denver Museum of Nature & Science
Monday, May 27	NO SCHOOL – MEMORIAL DAY
Wednesday, May 29	5 th Grade Field Trip – Ameritown
Friday, May 31	Kindergarten Continuation AM – 10:30AM PM – 2:00PM 3 rd Grade Field Trip to Civic Center Park 4 th Grade Field Trip to a Gold Mine
Monday, June 3	5 th Grade Continuation – 9:00AM
Tuesday, June 4	Last Day of School – 12 Noon Dismissal Busses will run

Dear CHVE Families,

As the end of the school year rapidly approaches, I'm delighted with the multitude of successes we've experienced during the 2012-2013 school year. We have a supreme team of staff, students, parents and volunteers on the boat! Thank you for your commitment and dedication to excellence at Cherry Hills Village Elementary School. I'm inspired by the daily collaborative efforts of parents and staff. We are already planning for exciting changes for the 2013-14 school year.

I'm thrilled to announce Cherry Hills Village Police Department Chief, Michelle Tovrea, is providing a School Resource Officer (SRO) for schools in Cherry Hills Village. The SRO position encompasses three major components: law enforcement, education, and building positive relationships. Our SRO is Officer Heidi Berg. Join me in welcoming her on campus. You will see her often at drop off and pick up. She will visit classrooms to talk about safety and healthy choices. Don't be surprised by her patrol car parked in our lot most days. Officer Heidi has already become involved in the students' lives as a positive role model. She is developing positive relationships in classrooms, attending school performances, and greeting students each morning and afternoon. We are so grateful to have Officer Heidi at CHVE!

In other news, we have received our 3rd grade reading TCAP (formerly known as CSAP) results. Our third graders knocked it out of the park. We had 94% of our students perform at the proficient and advanced levels. Way to go kids! Our third grade reading test (ONLY) is administered early; therefore, we receive those results in May. The rest of the TCAP results will come out in August.

Please don't forget to go fill out the accountability survey. To access the survey go to this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/RDHRNVJ> or you may go the Cherry Creek School District DAC webpage at the link below and scroll down to Resources for the Elementary Parent Survey: <http://www.cherrycreekschools.org/AssessmentEvaluation/Pages/DAC.aspx> If you need a hard copy, pick one up in the CHVE office. The survey will be open through 6/4/13.

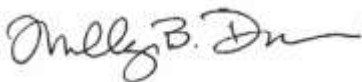
Look for the letter in your child's backpack on Tuesday, May 21, which will give the time for your child's DRAII testing on Thursday, August 15, 2013. Please return the confirmation page by Thursday, May 30.

“YIPPEE, YAHOO, YOU SPLASH!” sentiments go to:

- Our wonderful hospitality team for a great teacher appreciation week! It was truly outstanding and all staff members felt the love. Allison Levin, Mary Kawula, Liz Funk, Katharine Honnen, and Marian Beirne
- Lisa Schatz and Casey Perry for organizing “Apple for a Teacher” such a special way to show staff appreciation at CHVE!
- Michele Ienna and the 4/5 grade choir, incredible spring performance, and the music volunteers, Jen Sax and Hayden Collins.
- Tara Roberts and all students for the terrific display of artistic talent at the art show and the crew of volunteers that set up the show, Mia Berlin and Ruth Meissner.
- Karrie Dunkin and the entire yearbook team of creators, what a fabulous book this year!
- Bridget Marx and Sue Munro for “Breakfast at Tiffany's” muffins with mom. What a delightful event.
- A huge thanks to Annie Schlessinger and Karen Calderone-rock star accountability co-chairs.
- Winslow Waxter-promoting and organizing King Soopers/Target Cards.
- Brooke Domich-marvelous recording secretary.
- Buffy Chonchol-an amazing PTCO treasurer!
- And last, but not least, Kelley Digby and Lynette Richardson for an incredible job throughout the entire year as the PTCO Co-Presidents, YOU GALS ROCK!!!

Just a few more weeks, kids can taste summer just around the corner. Help us keep the wheels on the bus by reviewing appropriate language, safety and kind behaviors at home.

Together in education,



Molly Drvenkar
Principal

**CHECK THE LOST AND FOUND
IT WILL BE GIVEN AWAY ON FRIDAY, MAY 31**

Cafeteria News

Student Refund Procedures

Seniors and Students leaving Cherry Creek School District

Refunds **up to** \$5.00 may be given at elementary schools and refunds up to \$10.00 may be given at secondary schools. Students should request to speak with the kitchen manager to process their refund.

Refunds **over** \$5.00 at elementary schools and refunds **over** \$10.00 at secondary schools must be forwarded to the student nutrition center for payment via check. To request a refund of this type please contact the Food and Nutrition Services Accountant at 720-886-7186 or email the accountant at abilozub@cherrycreekschools.org.

Students transferring within the Cherry Creek school District

If students are planning to transfer to another school within the Cherry Creek School District, their meal account balance will be automatically transferred to the Cherry Creek School that they will attend next school year.

Returning Students

At the end of the school year, all remaining student meal account balances will be carried over to the start of the next school year.

Information for Elementary and Middle Schools ONLY

In an effort to collect school meal loans, as of May 17, 2013, no further school meal loans will be offered for 2012-2013 school year. Prompt payment of all outstanding loans is appreciated. Thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, please call the school and ask for the kitchen manager.