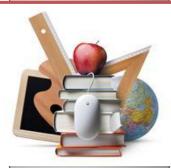


Around the House



Thank you!!!

... to all of our wonderful volunteers!

... to the PTO for all you do!

....to our BOD for continued work at CHM

... to the helpful parents who grabbed a shovel on snowy mornings to clear our sidewalks

...to our Playground Planning Committee

Inside the House

Greetings! The school is buzzing with learning! You'll want to mark your calendars for Montessori Show & Tell Night on Feb 22nd

Plan to come and see what your child is working on. Please note that this is a special night for you and your child, we ask that you leave siblings at home. We have staggered the starting times to allow for better parking options as well.

The 2018-2019 registration application is in your child's Wed folder. We look forward to receiving these before Feb. 28^{th} as open registration begins March 1^{st} . CHM has a bright future and we hope you are a part of it! Hope you can attend the parent meeting for new kindergarteners and elementary students on Thurs Feb 1.

Thank you for keeping your child at home when coughing & sneezing. We are trying not to spread germs. I do appreciate you calling the office when your child is ill, we do miss them.

Did you know that when shopping on Amazon, you can choose CHM under charity and we will receive 5% of purchases? Check it out!

Have a wonderful month and please feel free to give me a call if you have any questions regarding registration. Thank you, Gayle Simons

PTO NEWS

Hi CHM families. We have some exciting things coming up the rest of the year. In April we will be hosting a fun family spring get together. In May the PTO will be having a yard sale so start saving those donations! We have moved our meetings to the second Tuesday of each month at 6 pm in the elementary building we would love to see some fresh faces with new ideas!

Thank you to the families who have been coming to the meetings we couldn't do it without you. Julia Atterberry, President



SAVE YOUR RUMMAGE FOR CHM WE ARE HAVING A SALE IN MAY YOU MAY BRING IT IN ANY TIME.

Montessori Tidbit

"Of all things love is the most potent."

-María Montessorí

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In an effort to use the least amount of paper as possible and save the school administrative costs, we are posting all forms online. CHM is moving to make this site more interactive for the benefit of the school, families and perspective families. All necessary forms are in a pdf format enabling them to be downloaded whenever needed. You can even read all of the *Around the House* issues from this year.



Montessori Show & Tell Night Thursday, Feb 22nd

The 8:15 class,12:00 class & elem time is 5:30-6:15 pm

The 8:30 time will be 6:15-7:15.

Please save the date for this important event!

This is time the children will show you some of their favorite works at CHM.

See you then!

From the Primary Classrooms

8:15 class/8:30/12:00/Kindergarten

The children have finished their study of the continents. Ask them to sing the continent song!. Our Yoga class is awesome and we love our Spanish songs!

February is also Dental Health month. We will be learning how to keep your teeth healthy.

Kindergartners have begun working on writing addition sentences with subtraction sentences to soon follow. They will also be practicing counting by fives and tens. A lesson on directions (North, South, East, West) and how to use a compass will be incorporated with map work. Furthermore, Kindergartners are enjoying their tennis lessons! Please remember to have your child bring a lightweight jacket or sweatshirt on Tuesdays for tennis.

We look forward to our Valentine's Day party on Wednesday, February 14^{th} . Your child can bring in cards for all students in their class. The teachers will be sending a separate home more information soon.

Thank you, Mrs. Butler, Miss Parastou, Mrs. Verchio & Mrs. Gibson

From the Elementary Classroom

Dear Parents,

Let's type! That's what we are working hard on this month. Our technology projects are going well. We are learning adjectives, articles, adverbs, nouns, and verbs using the farm. In Math class we made many kinds of graphs; circle, bar, pictographs and line plots. We are learning backhand, and forehand in tennis lessons. Tennis is a fun activity! In Music class we are practicing the correct fingering for B,C,A,G,D, and F. We can play altogether. Our big project is Famous Faces! Each student is picking their person to study and write a report. We may choose to dress up like our famous face and share our reports with our parents on Feb 22 at Montessori Show & Tell Night! All of us can make a Valentine's Day box or bag at home and bring to school for our party. We'll have a card for each of our friends too. Miss Rebecca is teaching us Yoga on Thursdays. We are learning some poses like cat, cow, downward facing dog, and cobra. Yoga is a relaxing time and it feels good too.

Sincerely, Ben Loverich & Nadia LienDurso



Upcoming Events

February:

1st- Kdg & Elem Parent Meeting @5:30 PM

6th- PTO Meeting @6:00 pm

8th- BOD Mtg @ 5:30 PM

14th -Valentine's Day Party

16th - Professional Development - NO STUDENTS

19th - President's Day - NO SCHOOL

22nd - Montessori Show & Tell Night 5:30 pm