

KEEP IN TOUCH

EARLY CHILDHOOD LEARNING CENTER PARENT NEWSLETTER - May/June 2024



PRINCIPAL NEWS

A great big **THANK YOU** to all parents and everyone who helped make this school year SUPER! Thank you for all the cooperation and support!

We have lots of fun events planned for the end of the year. K5 will be going to the Erie Children's Museum for their field trip, and K4 will host Jungle Terry for an assembly. We will also have movie day, beach day, K5 to 1st grade transition field trip, and our school picnic on the last day of school. For movie day, students go to the auditorium and watch a children's movie on the big screen just like going to the movie theatre. During beach day, students can wear their swimming suits to school and bring a beach towel. If the weather is nice, we will go outside and dance to beach music, bump beach balls around, hula hoop and eat popsicles. We have invited a band to play beach music for this event. Our K5 students will also

visit their first-grade elementary schools as part of the TASD transition activities. Each child will go to their respective first grade building and meet the staff, visit the first-grade classrooms, and get a tour of the building. This will hopefully put some nerves to rest as our students transition to the elementary schools this fall. We will wrap up our year in a fun way.

Again, thank you for working with us all year. A good relationship between school and home makes all the difference in the learning process and bonds that we can form with students at school. We cannot express what your support means to all of us.



PTG

The last PTG meeting will be May 1st at 8:15 am.



The PTG has wrapped up this year's Read-a-Thon. Certificates and prizes were distributed to students that: read 100 books or more, to the top reader from K4 and K5, to the K4 and K5 classroom with the most participation, and to all students that participated. The treats and class parties will occur at the teacher's discretion. This is always a great way for us to motivate students to read and reward families that do this daily as part of their routine. This year we raised more than \$2800. Thank you to all of the students and families that participated.

Thanks to the PTG for all of their help and support. Everyone at the ECLC is grateful for your dedication to the students and staff and all you do throughout the school year. Without your commitment to our students and school, events and activities throughout the year would not be able to happen.

With that said, we will be looking for new members and board members at the start of the next school year. We really need the help to continue to make the ECLC great!

<u>Reminder</u>: No flip flops or slides at school. Shoes must have backs. This is a safety issue at school.

COUNSELOR'S CORNER - Mrs. Nichols

Happy Spring! As the year winds down, I will be visiting all classrooms for a final lesson. Our topic for the month of May will be Self Control.

It has been a pleasure working with your children this school year. If there is anything I can do to assist between now and the end of the year, including any types of community referrals needed for the summer months, please reach out to me.

MUSIC NOTES - Miss H



I can't believe how fast this school year has gone by! We had a great year in the music room. K5 students will finish up learning about the families in the orchestra and musical notation. K4 is ready for the concert on May 2nd! They are so excited to show off their hard work to their families. The K4 concerts are at 9:30am and 1:30pm. Please see the flyers sent home or contact Miss H for additional information.

IMPORTANT DATES

May 1	PTG @ 8:15 am
May 2	K4 Music Concert (AM at 9:30 and PM at 1:30)
May 3	NO SCHOOL for Students
May 6-10	Teacher Appreciation Week
May 7 and 8	PALS in K4
May 14 and 15	DIBELS in K5
May 17	K4 Gray Day
May 24	K4 Gold/Silver Day
May 27	NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day
May 28	K5 to Erie Children's Museum

K4 Gold/Silver Day

NO SCHOOL – Memorial Day

K5 to Erie Children's Museum

Jungle Terry Assembly for K4

K5 to 1st Grade Field Trip

Movie Day

May 31 Movie Day June 4 Beach Day

May 30

June 5 (1/2 day) School Picnic at lunchtime – Half day for students

NO SCHOOL – MAY 3rd or May 27th
STUDENTS LAST DAY – JUNE 5th - Half Day for Students
(June 4th Last Day for K4 PM)



HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE Summer Vacation!!!



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ECLC May 2024



	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5	Teacher Appreciation Week May 6-10	6	7 K4 PALS	8 K4 PALS	9	10	11
12	Mother's Day	13	14 K5 DIBELS	15 K5 DIBELS	16	17 K4 Gray Day	18
19		20	21	22	23	24 K4 Gold/Silver Day	25
26		No School Memorial Day	28 K5 Field Trip to Erie Children's Museum Jungle Terry Assembly for K4	29	30 Kindergarten to 1st Grade Field Trip	Movie Day	



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ECLC June 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	Beach Day Last Day for K4 PM	5 All School Picnic Half Day for Students	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16 Father's Day	17	18	19	20	21	22
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