

Dates to Remember

April 1 – 100th Day of School
April 19th – Easter egg Hunt
April 22 – Earth Day
April 28-May 1 – Parent Teacher Conferences
May 1 – No School: In-service Day

April Birthdays

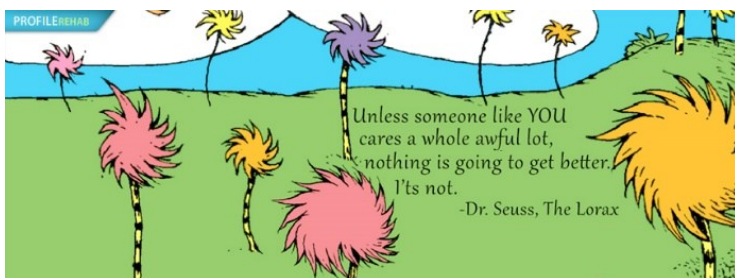
Zahra W. 4/3
Makayla R. 4/12
Easton S. 4/14
Adalyn V. 4/17
Jacqueline S. 4/18
Harbor H. 4/21
Lily H. 4/30

On your child's birthday you may bring treats for the classroom. **Due to health code, treats must be store bought and in the original container.** We enjoy celebrating each child's birthday and would love for you to bring in pictures of your child on their birthday that includes a photo from their birth and one for each birthday they have had. Please coordinate birthday celebrations with your child's teacher.

Earth Day

We believe that it is important to take responsibility and care for our environment. This month we will focus on being good stewards of our resources by reducing, reusing & recycling! Here are some things you can do with your family that will make a difference in caring for our planet:

- Avoid using disposable items;**
- "Unplug" for a day;**
- Recycle paper, plastic & glass;**
- Compost food scraps;**
- Donate used clothes, shoes and toys;**
- Use cloth bags when grocery shopping;**
- Go for a walk and enjoy nature!**



Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent Teacher conferences will be held April 28-May 1. School will be in session with conferences being scheduled after school on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday. There will be **NO SCHOOL** on Thursday that week. **Please send your child's teacher a text to schedule your conference.** We look forward to sharing your child's progress with you.

Classroom News

This past month we have been learning about rainbows and the weather, color mixing and continuing to learn about the seven continents. This month we will start learning about the vertebrated animal kingdom (Fish, Amphibians, Reptiles, Birds, and Mammals). We will continue with the animal kingdom through April and will switch to Invertebrates (insects) at the beginning of May. There is still so much to do as we enter the final few weeks of this school year!

Registration 2025-2026

We still have a couple of openings in our afternoon pre-k class for next year. If you know of anyone that is looking for a place for their 3-4-year-old, please have them call us soon! If your enrollment needs for next year have changed, please let Cheryl or Skylynn know.

Easter Egg Hunt

Hillsview Community Church is hosting its annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 19th at 11AM. Bring your own basket and don't be late! This is a community event so be sure to invite friends and family.

They will be collecting donations for candy and other fillers for the eggs until April 10th. Thank you to everyone who has sent in donations so far!

Clackamas Community Choir

Clackamas Community Choir will be performing their Easter concert on Friday, April 11th at 7pm and Sunday, April 13th at 6pm at Hillsview Community Church. The concerts are free.

Scholastic Book Order

Scholastic book orders for April are due by April 21st. We will have one more order before the end of the school year. Thank you for all of the orders this year, we love knowing the kids are getting some fun books to read at a good price and we have earned enough points to give every child a free book by the end of the school year! Shop and place orders at www.clubs.scholastic.com and type code HZ3BN to connect to Hillsview and select teacher Cheryl.

April Snack Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
	4/1 Ritz Crackers with String Cheese 100 th Day of School!	4/2 Goldfish Crackers with Apple Slices	4/3 Graham Crackers with Nutella
4/7 Mandarin Oranges with Peanuts	4/8 Goldfish Crackers with Apple Slices	4/9 Bagels with Cream Cheese	4/10 Ritz Crackers with Peanut Butter
4/14 Almonds with Olives	4/15 Cheez-it Crackers with Apple Slices	4/16 Ritz Crackers with Cheese Slices	4/17 Graham Crackers with Nutella
4/21 Pineapple Chunks with Pretzels	4/22 Crackers with Apple Slices	4/23 Pretzel Sticks with Dried Fruit	4/24 Saltine Crackers with Peanut Butter
4/28 Goldfish Crackers with Mandarin Oranges	4/29 Saltine Crackers with Cheddar Cheese	4/30 Almonds with Mandarin Oranges	5/1 NO SCHOOL

Lost & Found

We have several items in our lost & found! Please take a look and see if anything belongs to your child so we can return it to you.



Thank you!

A huge thank you to the Christman family and the Abbott family for donating games, puzzles and other items we can use in the classroom.