

May/June 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
April 29	April 30	1/Day 2	2/Day 3	3/Day 4	4/Day 5	5
		Grandparent Luncheons				
	Book Fair	Book Fair	Book Fair	Book Fair	Book Fair	
6	7/Day 4 Snow Make-up Day will now be Day 4	8/Day 1	9/Day 2	10/Day 3	11/Day 4	12
13	14/Day 5 2nd Grade Field Trip PTO Meeting 7:00pm in library	15/Day 1 1st Grade Field Trip	16/Day 2	17/Day 3	18/Day 4	19
20	21/Day 5	22/Day 1	23/Day 2 3rd Grade Field Trip	24/Day 3	25/Day 4 Wear Red, White and Blue	26
27	28 Memorial Day Break No School	29/Day 1 Snow Make-up Day will now be a Day 1	30/Day 5	31/Day 1	6/1 Day 2	6/2
6/3	6/4 Day 3 PTO Meeting 7:00pm in library—all are welcome	6/5 Day 4	6/6 Student's last day. Dismissal at 12:05pm.			

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Dear Cochran Families,

Gratitude turns what we have, into enough...

~Author Unknown

The end of the school year is truly “bittersweet” for all of us. Summer is exciting, but we know that we will miss everyone we have grown accustomed to seeing every day! I cannot tell you enough how grateful I am for all the wonderful memories this school year has brought. We still have several volunteer opportunities coming up this year, so look for opportunities to sign up if you would like to contribute your time. The PTO family is a GREAT group of people to work with!

Even though the end is closer than it appears, there is still a lot to look forward to before we truly wind completely down. The book fair is Monday, April 30 – Friday, May 4. Volunteers are needed to help run that, especially with the Grandparents lunches on May 1-3. The Art Show is the evening of Thursday, May 3. The evening book fair will also be held during the Art Show along with our usual family activities, including the basket raffle!

I want to recognize our wonderful students. They have worked so hard to reach their full potential this school year. Being a learner in today’s world presents a new set of challenges. Not only do they have to learn, they must be able to apply what they know... explain what they know... and restate what they know in a variety of different ways. They have come so far, and all of us celebrate everything they have accomplished this school year. Perhaps most importantly, we appreciate them for what THEY teach US every day. The way they help each other, and take care of each other, inspires the entire Cochran family.

I want to be sure to thank our exceptional PTO Board and all our members for a wonderful year and all their support. For next school year we are again looking for people who would like to help. If you feel you would like to help in any way, please come to a PTO meeting, give the school a call or ask your child’s classroom teacher how you can get involved.

It would be hard to mention all the people who helped make this year so wonderful and memorable. Thanks to everyone for your assistance. We could not do what we do every day without all of you and your support!

To our third-grade students and families who are leaving Cochran, we will miss each of you, but we know you will continue to be the wonderful people you are no matter where you are. Remember to follow the 4Bs!

On behalf of the entire Cochran staff, we wish you a safe and happy summer and look forward to seeing you in the fall. As always,

Yours in education,

Mrs. Schuyler

BEGINNING OF 2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR

School will begin for the 2018-19 school year on Monday, August 27, 2018. School assignments will be listed on the report cards that will be issued the last day of school. There will be no room assignments listed on student report cards. Class lists will be displayed August 20, 2018 on the back doors at Cochran.

CONGRATULATIONS TO APRIL'S STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Mrs. Beiter— Maurcello Frazier and Kian Hiller

Mrs. Boyles/Ms. Todd— Molly Boyer

Miss Kepner— Jaivion Alston and Chaedah Lockard

Mrs. Harpster— Austin Deitrick

Mrs. McClain— Gage Dunlap

Mrs. Getgen— Donald Bellinger and Izabella Shaffer

Mrs. K. Miller— Sweden Garret and Caroline Ritter

Miss McQuown— Layton Heisley and Maisie Saunders

Mrs. Rogers— Lyric Heim

Mrs. S. Miller— Brayden Harpster



Mrs. Adair— Jeremiah Miller and Angelic Yarborough

Mrs. Holt— Gavin Apker and Damian Wright

Mrs. Bower— Kirra Geiger and Giovanni Lopez

Mrs. Cox— Brooklyn Poust

Mrs. Landi— Izaiah Benjamin and Zoey Pepperman

Mrs. Difrancesco— Aletha Fletcher and Noah Gainer

Ms. Nenadal— Airyawna Beam and Bryce Hedgecock

Mrs. Gonzales— Samantha Jo Derr and Micah Tobias

Miss Sauers— Samya Barr and Trey Miele

Mrs. Potter— Bently Silvia

Mrs. Sick— Matthew Newman and Mila Veldhuis



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Warm Weather Dress

Please remember: If the clothing of your child is inappropriate for school to the point of interfering with the educational process, (for example, where other students are distracted from learning, or the teacher is distracted from doing his/her job in an effective manner), the child may be asked to change their clothing. Dress that is inappropriate for school may include, but may not be limited to: short shorts, halter tops, spaghetti straps, high heeled or floppy shoes without a back, and tight or revealing clothing. If shorts are worn on very warm days, they must be at least mid-thigh in length. Shoes must be appropriate to avoid a safety hazard on stairs and the playground. **Remember, no flip flops or footwear that does not have backing. Footwear worn to school must be held to a student's heel by at least a strap.** Information on the dress code for school is in the student handbook.



Buzz can't believe how fast this school year flew by! He wants all the boys and girls at Cochran to have a safe and happy summer and remember to practice the 4B's even when you are not in school!

Thanks to all the detectives who helped us find Buzz last month. He was hiding beside the word "Spring" on the calendar page.

Violet Sponhouse, Preston Trump,

Hayden Pelletier, Samantha Jo Derr,

Micah Tobias, Mason Geyer,

Sophia Butler,

Morgan Morse, Cameron Dority, and

Isabella Thomke



Snow Make-Up Days for May

Monday, May 7 will be a day 4.

Tuesday, May 29 will be a day 1.



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