



April 12, 2019

Dear North Creek Families,

We enjoyed sunshine and a few snowflakes together this week. We also welcomed 2 more new students to North Creek this week!

It's Time to Register for Young 5's and Kindergarten

If you have an incoming Young 5 or Kindergarten student and have not turned in your registration packet yet, please do so **ASAP!** We are ready to begin balancing classes and the planning for staffing and space needs has already begun for the next school year.

Life Skill of the Month for March: You can help, even when you are not asked to do so..

School Safety

Recently, a school safety and security expert visited the district to work with our administrative team to help us assess each building for safety and security, especially at our points of entry. Starting at the beginning of next year, we will be changing the dismissal procedure to improve safety and security for our students and staff. The major change will be the dismissal for students who are park and pick up. We are in the currently in the planning stages to improve safety and security for our students and will communicate that process as soon as the details are finalized.

PTO - Help Needed

Our PTO is planning a week full of teacher appreciation events/surprises for our teachers during the week of May 6 - 10. If you are looking for an easy way to help, you could consider donating a gift card.

<https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/20f0c48a5a92fa31-teacher2>

Our next PTO meeting will be on May 16 at 6:30 p.m. at South Meadows. We hope you will consider attending a meeting or two this year. No dues, no obligations, just a chance to hear what is going on in our schools.

Follow our PTO on Twitter: @ChelseaPTO

Walk to School Wednesdays

Now that the weather is warmer, I'm hoping the number of students participating in our Walk to School Wednesday program will start to climb. You are invited to drop your child off at the Clock Tower on Wednesday mornings at 7:30. A group of volunteers who are waiting there will



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walk the children to school. Parents are welcome to join the group to walk as well! I joined the group last week and it was a fabulous way to start the day!

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Important Dates

April 25 Kindergarten Concerts and Arts Festival

April 30 1st Grade Concerts and Arts Festival

May 2 2nd Grade Concerts and Arts Festival

May 6 - 10 Teacher Appreciation Week

May 7 Young 5 and Kindergarten Orientation

June 5 - North Creek Field Day

June 7 - Ice Cream Social

Go Bulldogs!

Kimberly Gillow, Principal