

Indian Creek School
6701 Green Valley Road
Placerville, CA 95667
530-626-0765
Parent Bulletin May 2, 2008

Planning Dates:

Monday, May 26th

NO SCHOOL!
MEMORIAL DAY

≈

MINIMUM DAYS

May 9th and May 29th
1:30 Dismissal

≈

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
MAY 29TH

OPEN HOUSE
6:00 p.m.

⌞
May 8th – Grades 3 – 5
May 15th – Grades K – 2





Principal's Message:

The 2007-2008 school year is quickly approaching its final weeks. It has been an exciting year as we have continued to evaluate and improve the learning opportunities we provide our students. We have already begun to look forward to the next school year. Our teachers and staff are already setting goals and planning for improvements to benefit all of our students for the upcoming school year.

On behalf of the entire staff I would like to thank all of our volunteers for giving so generously of your time. Both our academic programs and fundraisers would not be successful without your dedication and constant support. We deeply appreciate

every one of our parents and volunteers for making this year a successful one.

I would personally like to thank the support staff, classified staff and teachers. We are fortunate to have wonderful, warm and caring people to work with and nurture our children. During these difficult times of economic uncertainty, I feel truly blessed that I work with such positive and dedicated individuals.

I wish everyone a safe and restful summer and look forward to seeing all of you in August.

ATTENDANCE

Please remember to call the school office each and every time your child is absent from school. If you call before or after office hours, leave a message on our answering machine. Leave your child's name, teacher, reason for absence and your name. Even if you have already notified the teacher that your child is going to be absent, the office still needs to be notified. If you do not call the office and we cannot reach you or no note has been received, the absence becomes unexcused after 3 school days.

Please make every effort to call and report absences the morning they occur.



530-626-0765

Thank you for your cooperation.



Annual Spelling Bee
In
Pollock Pines
Friday, May 16, 2008

**VOLUNTEER TEA
3:45 – 4:30 PM
Multi-Purpose Room
MONDAY
MAY 19TH**

* * * * *

**5TH GRADE VISITATION
TO
HERBERT GREEN SCHOOL
Tuesday, May 20, 2008**

* * * * *

CAFETERIA: NO MORE charging breakfast or lunch. Either put money on your child's account or have them bring a lunch. Also, check with the cafeteria to make sure your child does not **OWE** any money. If so, paying off the balance would be appreciated.

Thank you for your consideration.

* * * * *

Lost & Found: Check the lost and found for any belongings your child may have left at school. Any items **NOT** claimed by May 30th will be discarded.

* * * * *

STAFF APPRECIATION WEEK

Each year we celebrate appreciation for our outstanding teachers at Indian Creek School. This year, the Parent Club would like to take it to the next level. Even though we do have a great group of dedicated teachers, we actually have over 60 staff members ranging from nurse, librarian, counselor, aid, maintenance, custodial, recess supervisors, kitchen staff, teachers & administration who teach, serve and provide a safe and happy educational experience for our children. So, this year we would like to start a new tradition and have a Staff Appreciation Week that allows students & families the opportunity to show appreciation to the

various Indian Creek staff members by sending in a little something to someone different each day of the week. Below is the schedule of theme by day and some suggestions for each of those days:

Monday is Flower Day: A single flower or small plant.

Tuesday is Relax Day: Scented bath soap, candle, stress ball, crossword puzzle book or have your child write a suggestion on the best way to relax.

Wednesday is Sweets Day: Sweet treats such as a candy, cookie, muffin or fruit

Thursday is Note Day: Color a picture, write a poem/note stating why this librarian, cook, recess supervisor, etc. means so much to you.

Friday is Anything Goes Day: Send in any kind of appreciation you would like. Be creative.

Please remember to send a little something in each day to someone different.

Remember, it is the thought that counts. If your child is bringing something in for a staff member who is not working that day or works on campus after school, they can leave it in the office and we will be sure to pass it along to the recipient. Our hope this year is to empower our children and parents with pride, creativity and excitement in showing their appreciation for all of our awesome staff at Indian Creek Elementary School!

We are in the process of organizing a Staff Breakfast for Thursday, May 8th. If you are interested in helping with set-up or donating a breakfast item, please contact Michelle Brittain at: mmariebrittain@hotmail.com.

The newly formed
"Indian Creek Parent Club"