

Green Elementary- A Leader in Me School

# PARENT UPDATE



May 2017

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## New Menu!

Our school has been selected to pilot a new lunch menu for the month of May. The new menu will contain two hot tray choices, salads and peanut butter and jelly pockets. We will not offer deli sandwiches as of May 1. This new menu will be reviewed weekly to see if students are interested in the new lunch options. A new menu was sent home.

## Dress Code

Please remember that all shirts must cover the shoulders and flip flops are discouraged as they often lead to injury on the playground.

Thank You Families!

**S** A HUGE thanks to our gr 3 & 4 families for getting all students to school during testing and to our K-4 families for the AMAZING turn out at the Music Program. Green Families ROCK!



*Just one example of student leadership- our kindergarten students have been using their reading skills to read to our preschool students before they lay down for a nap. The kindergarteners take their browsing boxes of books that they can read well and let the PS students pick stories for them to read! It is a great example of a win-win situation!*

## FAMILY NIGHT!



Mark your calendars! Our Spring Family Night will be held on Thursday, May 4th from 6:30-8pm. The theme is a Night at the Museum and families will have the chance to participate in a variety of art & literacy related activities. Come see local artists do demonstrations, create some family art of your own, learn about famous artists, design an edible artwork and see the AMAZING collaborative Chihuly inspired chandelier creation. This is why we collected all those plastic bottles!



## HABIT HINT

We are reminding students to put first things first and to be proactive with their end of the year behavior. We still have leading and learning to do no matter how many school days are left!

*We will be hosting our 3rd annual Leadership Day on May 9th and have our Leader in Me Review on May 16th! Our students will be demonstrating their leadership and learning to school and community members! Way to go Green Leaders!*

## TRACKING OUR WILDLY IMPORTANT GOALS (WIGS)

Our school is tracking some Wildly Important Goals (WIGS) in order to ensure school-wide success. These areas are being tracked at the individual student level, class level and school level so we can see how our reading strategies, behavior and attendance come together to help us be successful in school.

### BEHAVIOR

The end of the year is always a challenge with everyone getting anxious for the end of the year. Behavior has been between 85%-87%. Our goal is to lead til the last day.

### ATTENDANCE

Attendance has been back up to 97% with all of the crazy winter germs behind us! Being at school everyday is an important key to your child's school success from preschool all the way to graduation.

### READING SKILLS

We had 98% of our students show growth on their latest round of STAR assessments! We also have had tremendous success with students meeting their AR goals!