# Weekly Notes March 24, 2022 Office Notes

Welcome, Spring!

The weather is warming up - Don't forget to apply sunscreen and insect repellent as the weather gets even hotter and more buggy outside! Many classrooms will be utilizing our outdoor spaces even more as weather permits, so it is best to be prepared.

#### **Re-Enrollment:**

Our current families have had the opportunity to re-enroll, and we are excited to see so many members of our community returning for the 2022-2023 school year! We are now offering enrollment to others outside our community, so if you know anyone who is interested in a Montessori education at our excellent little school, please email me their contact information.

We do have a **waiting list for Primary and Upper Elementary** and limited spots available in other programs. We anticipate the Toddler classes to be full very soon, so if you know of anyone who is interested in enrolling, now is the time to come for a tour and begin the admissions process.

Your children are the best advertisement for our school! Thank you!

Please also mark your calendars for an exciting on-campus outdoor event tentatively scheduled for Friday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>. This date is tentative as we know the weather can be very unpredictable this time of year. We will plan for an afternoon of food, fun, and inflatables for the kids! More information to come!

Thank you,

Ms. Jamie and Ms. Melanie





Quick reminder that the deadline to order Montessori apparel from the Adolescent/Secondary Logo Shop is Friday, April 1st. The merchandise will arrive approximately two weeks after the deadline.

There are two shirt designs to choose from: The Dolphin has print on the front and back, and the MSOR Logo has print on the front. Please print and complete the order form below to order.

We appreciate your consideration and support; if you have ideas for our shop, please email us at <u>adolescent biz@msor.org</u>.

Sincerely, Marissa Gonzales, Price Payne, Sophie Strickland, and Maddie Green

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# What we need:

\*Children's books for ages 0-6.

Where to donate:

\*Collection bins will be placed in the lower and upper buildings.

**Collection Dates:** 

\*March 16-30th.

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# Ms. Ginny & Ms. Kelly's Class

We are so excited about the farm animals coming to visit us on Friday!! Please make sure to let them wear clothes that can get dirty. We'll take lots of pictures!

Just one more week until Spring break!

I hope you will get to enjoy some extra time with your child!!

### Ms. Shannon, Ms. Rachel' & Ms. Savannah's Class

We are having so much fun this month! The kids are so engaged. We have been talking more about plants and gardening this week. We read the book, "Carrot Seed." They were so interested in where the different vegetables and fruits grow. This could be something fun you can do at home and let them plant seeds or talk about the various things in your home. Eliza had seeds in her apple last week and they were so excited to see them. She walked around the class and showed them at lunch time.

We will have our petting zoo here this Friday. She will be bringing a mini horse, mini donkey, baby goats and lambs, rabbits, a calf, and maybe chickens and ducklings for the children to feed and pet! We will be outside and with the animals so make sure to dress them in clothes and tennis shoes that can get dirty.

I think we have a bug in the classroom again. Please keep your child home if they are not acting like themselves. We have lots of runny noses but now we're starting to see some children presenting with stomach issues. Thank you for helping keep everyone well!

Big thank you to Sienna's parents for providing yesterday's Chick-Fil-A lunch, and another thank you to Noah's parents for today's pizza lunch. Happy birthday to both! As an extra surprise, my fabulous mom squad has come together to provide a picnic lunch on Friday from Duffy's Deli! I know this will make everyone's week better! Thanks so much to all the families for providing lunch for the rest of the week.

### Ms. Angie, Ms. Sydney, & Ms. Anna Kate's Class

We hope everyone has been enjoying the first few days of spring. With the warm afternoons and cool mornings we've had, we would like to encourage everyone to come to school in layers so that the children can be comfortable throughout the day. We have recently been having wonderful discussions about birds, flowers, and the changing of seasons. Your children love to share their favorite things about warm weather. Please keep in mind that spring break is right around the corner. We will be out of school April 4 - 8. The elementary students' science fair will be held on Thursday, March 31. Please join us that evening to check out all of their hard work.

Thank you and have a great week!

Ms. Angie, Ms. Sydney, and Ms. Anna Kate

# Ms. Valerie & Ms. Christina's Class

Hello,

Last week we had fun learning all about the weather. We talked about different types of weather, temperature, meteorologists, the water life cycle, how a cloud is formed, extreme weather, and we conducted some exciting weather experiments.

If your child would like to try the experiments at home, here are the links to the experiments:

https://www.giftofcuriosity.com/weather-science-how-to-make-a-cloud-in-a-jar/

https://eo.ucar.edu/kids/dangerwx/tornado4.htm#:~:text=Fill%20the%20jar%203%2F4,the%20center%20of%20the%20jar.

This week we will be talking about spring, the life cycle of a frog, and we will be learning about the Scientific Method. Next week we will do some fun science experiments. If your child has an experiment that they love, they can bring the instructions and materials into the class and we will do their experiment at line time.

#### **Important Dates Coming Up:**

April 4th-8th (Spring Break)

April 15th- Easter Egg Hunt - more details to come in a few weeks

April 22nd- Gardening Day

\*\*If you have not had your conference with us yet, please reach out to us and we will coordinate a day/time to have your conference.

Warm Regards,

Ms. Valerie and Ms. Christina

### Ms. Dolores & Ms. Robin's Class

This Friday we will celebrate the March birthdays of Dhiren, Lilian, and Jamesen. Special treats and cupcakes will be provided by the birthday families; students will need to bring a lunch.

As you know, the final science fair assignment pages were due today. All students should turn in the results page; third years also turn in the research page. Please send in the folder so that we can review the entire project. Students will assemble their display boards at school. If you have purchased a board for your child, you may assemble it at home. Pages may be mounted on colored background paper before placing on the board; students assembling boards in the classroom may bring their pages mounted on colored paper to school for use on the boards. Please make sure that all information is written neatly before attaching anything to a board.

Next week students will bring in their projects on the following days for presentations:

Tuesday, 3/29: third years

Wednesday, 3/30: second years

Thursday, 3/31: first years

Students should continue to practice their presentations at home until the scheduled day. Be sure to ask lots of questions so that they can anticipate what their classmates may ask them during the science fair.

Thank you,

Ms. Robin and Ms. Dolores

# Ms. Stefanie's Class

Happy spring! It's so nice to have warm temperatures, sunshine, and longer days. This is a wonderful time of year to allow children to explore the great outdoors! We are planning to finish our Zoology lessons shortly after we get back from spring break, then we'll be starting Botany lessons. The students always enjoy going outside to examine different leaves, plants, and trees.

This Friday, March 25th, we will celebrate our March birthdays! A birthday lunch and treat will be provided by the families of the students celebrating March birthdays. Happy birthday to Thomas, Charlene, & Levi! Thank you to their families for providing the birthday lunch!

Please remember that science fair boards and materials are due this Thursday so we can begin assembling them in class. Anything your child wants to include on his or her board should be brought in by Thursday also. Students will present their science boards to the class next week.

Some parents have asked about ITBS testing this year. 2nd and 3rd years are on schedule to test the week of April 25th-29th. First years do not test.

Spring break is the week after next. School will be out from April 4th through April 8th. I hope you all can take this time to rest, relax, and have fun together as a family!

# Ms. Rebecca & Ms. Kaitlin's Class

We hope you all enjoyed the first day of Spring! The students are enjoying the beautiful weather.

Science Fair is quickly approaching. Students will need to have their experiment completed by Monday, March 28th. Tri-fold boards will need to be completed and brought into the classroom on Wednesday, March 30th.

We are on lesson 9 in Classic Roots for the test on Friday.

Have a great week!!!

Ms. Rebecca and Ms. Kaitlin