

THIS IS THE LAST NEWSLETTER!!!

Let me start by saying thank you for all that you put into your children. They are each amazing in their own way. I expect they will do wonderful things as they grow and mature into happy, healthy adults. I have been lucky enough to have them in my classroom.

CNS has been one of the best decisions in my life. This is a special school. We truly become a family. My students become my family, my community!!! I have grown so much as a teacher and human being. I have experienced so much here that has challenged me and changed me. I want to thank you and every person that has been a part of CNS. I will forever be grateful.

I wish everyone the best as you all continue in this adventure.

#### LITERACY

We have completed our literacy units for the year. No more spelling tests. We will spend the mornings reading our chapter book and focusing on activities revolving around that story.

#### Go Math

**First Grade:** Test Monday, May 13th. We will try to finish the last chapter on Two-dimensional shapes. What we don't finish will be sent home for the summer.

**Second Grade:** Review

**Third Grade:** Quadrilaterals, Triangles, Problem Solving, Test Tuesday, May 21st

**Project:** We are going to finish up the year by wrapping up activities we started such as Plant the Moon, our height, and taking an arboretum walk. We will also work on cleaning up and packing the classroom.

**ART for the next 2 Mondays:** Water Painting, Closing up the Art Room

#### GENERAL INFORMATION:

Holiday World:

-Every parent is going. If anyone wants to reach out to another parent to drive together please feel free. We will all meet at Holiday World main gate at 9:30a.m.

-I would encourage everyone to eat a snack before coming in.

-The plan is to stay together as a group. If anyone goes off on their own, we will meet for lunch at the Good Ol' Days Picnic Grove at 12:00 p.m.

-Splashin Safari closes at 3:00p.m. Holiday World closes at 4:00 p.m. You are responsible for your child. When you leave, please text me and let me know 618-201-6390.

-I imagine some people will do Splashin Safari where others will not. We might find some people go separate ways after lunch. It is very important to keep me informed. But again, all parents are going. I will rely on you to keep track of your child.

-Ms. Rachel has sent out an email regarding weather policy. If the weather looks to be rainy, you may choose not to go while others do go. Just let us know. With that, know that there is no refund. The only way to get another day is to be at Holiday World and get your ticket stamped.

-Holiday World is cashless this year. You can visit <https://www.holidayworld.com/cashless> for more information.

-Park safety rules are posted on the website at [www.Holidayworld.com/rules](http://www.Holidayworld.com/rules) and at each of the attractions. Breaking these rules could result in the violator being banned from a specific ride or even the entire park for that day or longer.

-Remember that you are representing Carbondale New School. Please be respectful and kind.

#### LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

We will have a special day of fun on the very last day of school.

#### **Calendar of Events:**

May 16: Holiday World field trip

May 17: No School

May 22: Noon Dismissal/Last Day of School