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Falcon Flyer March 25, 2022

Happy first week of spring Deerfield! It has been a great week filled with lots of smiles and sunshine. It's hard to believe we are entering the last week of March. Time seems to be flying by. Spring conferences are next week which means we have an entire week of minimum days for all students K-6. TK will be following their own special schedule. Please be sure to make arrangements for early pick up. We will have the week of April 4-8 off for spring break.

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

- March 25 April 1: Minimum Days
- March 26: PTA Move N' Groove Yoga Event
- March 28: Spring conference week
- March 29: Coffee with the Principal
- April 4 8: Spring Break Week
- Apr. 23: Move' N Groove Event with PE Coach F
- Apr. 30: Yearbook Orders and Custom Pages Due
- May 2-6: Staff Appreciation Week
- May 6: Movie Night / Food Trucks
- May 13-20: Scholastic Book Fair

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

No Dashers Next Week: Due to the minimum day schedule, Dashers will not be held on Tuesday, March 29. It will resume on Tuesday, April 12 after spring break.

Irvine Junior Games: If you signed your 4th-6th grader up for Irvine Junior Games, Mrs. Uribe will be reaching out to you soon via email with all the information you will need.

Last Day to Complete Intent to Return: In order for us to plan for the 2022-23 school year, it is important that we understand your intentions for your child's schooling for next year. Please click on this link: Intent to Return and it will direct you to the Aeries Parent Portal. From here, please log in and it will send you directly to the Intent to Return form. Once on the Intent to Return screen, click on the "+Add" button on the right hand side and this is where you will

respond to only a few questions. For more information, please <u>click here</u>. Please complete by March 25, 2022.

REMINDERS:

Student Poster Contest: In celebration of Earth Day/Month 2022 we are having our annual Student Poster Contest. The 2022 Earth Day Theme is Invest In Our Planet (Act, Innovate, Implement). Entries are due by **April 25**. For more details, see the flier here. (insert link to flier)

OCTA Youth Ride Free: OCTA is offering free youth passes allowing youth ages 6 to 18 to ride all OC fixed-route buses every day for free. The new blue Youth Ride Free passes are valid from March 1 to September 30, 2022 and require a new Parent Request Form. To participate in the program, complete a new Parental Request Form by clicking here.

IPSF Summer Fun: This summer, students are only limited by their imagination with over 400 classes available with IPSF! Registration opens on April 13, see website for session dates and sign up for updates! See the following link: www.ipsf.net/summer

ACE Online Classes: IPSF is excited to offer a wide variety of interactive online classes after school for students in grades 1-12. Registration is now open at www.ipsf.net/afterschool.

Health and Safety: Deerfield, along with all of the IUSD, will follow the guidelines for schools provided by local and federal health agencies. For up-to-date district information, visit https://iusd.org/2021-22-safety-and-planning-guide.

Menus are always available on the IUSD website here.

PTA Announcements:

- Family Yoga with YogaSix TOMORROW, March 26, 9-10 a.m.: This event is great for all ages! Receive a complimentary class to YogaSix, FREE yoga mat (first 30 families that attend), and nutritious snacks and drinks. Hope to see you there!
- Coffee Chat with Principal Brewer March 29, 8:30 a.m.: Start your morning off right and enjoy coffee and donuts with us. Meet at the lunch tables.
- Yearbook and Custom Page Deadlines: Hurry, \$25 early bird pricing ends on 3/31/22.
 Price increases to \$30 in April. Both yearbook orders AND free custom pages are due April 30. <u>Learn More</u>

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