

CRA Newsletter, 3-9-2020

Enrollment

Tomorrow we begin inviting new students for next year's enrollment. The number we invite depends on the number we have leaving. We asked back in January if your student would be returning to CRA next year and that helped give us a total for next year's enrollment. We also know that things can change. If your plans have changed and your student/s will not be returning for 2020-2021 at CRA, please let us know ASAP. Or in the future if your plans change, we'd like to be informed ASAP. Because the lottery invitations are an ongoing process, we continue to fill our available spots over the next few months. Please keep us informed. 😊

Cookin' at Canyon Rim:

Attention please! There are a couple of changes that have been made to the March lunch calendar. Hazen's class menu was accidentally scheduled for the day of their field trip, Thursday the 12th and we just can't have them miss out on their wonderful class menu! The "Crazy Scientist Chicken Patty Sandwich" has been moved to Monday the 16th and Thursday's lunch will be Tomato Basil Soup. Corrections have been made to the online calendar. Sorry for the confusion!

CALENDAR

Tuesday, March 10:	Ms. Calli's class Field Trip to Natural History Museum, 9:00-2:30 pm
March 11 & 12:	Shakespeare Play "A Midsummer Nights Dream", 7:00 pm
Thursday, March 12:	Lowry & Hazen's class to Natural History Museum, 9:00-2:30 pm
Wednesday, March 18:	1:15 Dismissal
March 19-24:	No School, Spring Break

PTO Newsletter March 9, 2020

Today kicked off the start of Teacher Appreciation week. We are so excited to spoil our teachers this week. Today they all received air high fives from students, cinnamon rolls from Two Peas & Their pod, Josh and Maria Lichty and, lunch from the Olive Garden. Make sure you follow along on Instagram @canyonrimacademypto to see all of the fun things we are doing for our amazing teachers!

Teacher Appreciation Week: Teacher Appreciation is this week. We have so many fun things going on for the teachers. Wednesday is bring your teacher a flower day. Remember these can be made, drawn or bought. Be creative! Friday is give Thanks to your teacher. Write your teacher a thank you note and/or give your teacher a gift.

Staff Nominations:

Each month Mecham Chiropractic donates services to two staff members. The winners are determined by nominations sent to the PTO. During our monthly

meeting we read the nominations and then vote for the lucky winners. If you would like to nominate a staff member, please email us at canyonrimpto@gmail.com. For the Month of February our lucky winners were Mr. Fuller and Sami Cowan!

Mr. Fuller: A man that somehow knows each child he works with in his / her own way. He treats them like an individual and not as a number. He helps them to overcome their situation that led them to his office.

Mr. Fuller is ALWAYS there to help out with Books and Bagels early in the morning, shoveling snow early mornings, recess, or even after school to make sure all is safe. Evening science night, art night and perspective nights he will be there to encourage our children, help where help is needed, and clean up afterwards as needed.

If you need to speak to him as a parent or student, he will make a plan to be available.

We are a lucky school to have Mr. Fuller as our headmaster.

Thank you.

I would like to nominate Mr. Fuller. I know the “outside” people don’t really see the inside jobs that he does with the kids. How he makes a difference and in some cases a lifetime changing difference.

Sami Cowan: She is a great teacher that knows how to help each student to reach his / her potential in academics as well as in SPE. Miss. Cowan has helped our child to LOVE reading. A student that read every day because it was expected is now reading every moment there is an opportunity. She is teaching in many different ways, the same thing, so she can reach each student and can have each of them understand their work. Math has been a subject that she made my child enjoy, not just understand. She is always quick to get back when we have a question or problem that we need her help or advice with. My child really LOVES his teacher and going to school every day is an excitement because of Miss Cowan that will be there to care, love and teach my child. Thank you Miss. Cowan for your dedication!!!

Thank you PTO.

I would like to nominate Ms Cowan! She is the most wonderful teacher and she deserves to be pampered! The atmosphere in her classroom is always encouraging and supportive of all students regardless of their skills and challenges. She is wonderful about communicating with parents regularly. She has created a community within her classroom where everyone is important and special. She has incredible patience and is very wise. We adore her and want her to know how wonderful she is! Thank you.

Read-a-thon: For our fundraiser this year, we are focusing on raising money for our library and classrooms. For the last 3 years, our library has had a grant, but it runs out at the end of this school year. We are hoping to raise enough money to replace that grant and give each teacher some money to get new books for their classrooms. We are excited to help get new books for our school! More info to come!

Shakespeare Play: We are looking forward to the Shakespeare play this year, A Midsummer Night's Dream. Performances are this week, Wednesday, March 11 and Thursday, March 12 at 7 pm.

Art Night: Art Night is scheduled for April 3rd and we are still looking for volunteers. If you are able to help, please signup here <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f044aa4a92ea5f49-artnight1>

PTO Meeting: Our next PTO meeting will be April 7th in the library at 9am.

Upcoming Date

Teacher Appreciation Week: March 9th-13th

Shakespeare Play: March 11th and 12th at 7pm

Read-a-thon: March 27th

Art Night: April 3rd

PTO MEETING: April 7th at 9am in the library

Maturation: April 16th

Reminder

Please remember to use the **Amazon link** on the school website when making your purchases. CRA gets a percentage back.

Please remember to link your **Smiths** Account to our school. When you purchase groceries CRA will get a percentage back.

Follow us on Instagram @canyonrimacademypto to see the everyday happenings and upcoming events at CRA.

Thank you to all of you who are so willing to help and volunteer. The more helping hands we have the faster and smoother things go. WE ARE BETTER TOGETHER.