

Serendipity Day School

April 2019 Newsletter



IMPORTANT DATES:

Mud Kitchen Meeting: Monday April • 8th at 5:45

Classroom Picture Days:

Wednesday April 10th and Thursday April 11th at 10:00

CLOSED Friday April 19th for Vernal Holiday

Parent Volunteer Work Day:

Saturday April 27th 8:00-11:30

"One looks back with appreciation to the brilliant teachers, but with the gratitute to those who touched our human feelings. The curriculum is so much necessary raw material, but warmth is the vital element for the growing plant and for the soul of a child."

-CARL JUNG

THANK YOU!

We want to thank all of you who participated in our Bulb Fundraiser and Paint Fundraiser. Your support means the world to us! The funds from these two events will go toward campus improvements. Bulb orders should be sometime during the first week of April. We will send you an e-mail when your package is ready.

SUMMER CONTRACTS

Summer contracts will be available to pick up on April 1st in the entryway.

Please let us know if you need to make any changes to your contract.

Paperwork is due on April 12th. If you have any questions please let us know.

PARENT VOLUNTEER WORK DAY

Please join us for a work day on Saturday April 27th from 8:00 to 11:30. We could use your help with painting, weeding, planting and minor repairs. A sign-up sheet will be posted in the entryway soon. We will provide donuts and coffee!





WEATHER

As you know, Spring time weather in Albuquerque can be a bit unpredictable. Please make sure your child has extra clothes and plenty of extra layers. Some days will be cooler than others. Don't forget to label everything! If your child needs to take medicine for a cold or for allergies please notify a teacher and fill out a medication form. All medicine must be given to staff and should NEVER be stored in a cubby. If you haven't provided your child'd teacher with sunscreen please do so now. Thank you.

SERENDIPITY WISH LIST

This month we would like to focus on our outdoor areas. If you have any of the following items, please consider donating to us =) Thank you!

Sand, play house or play structure, bikes, trikes, scooters, wagons, tires of all sizes, folding chairs, potting soil, flower pots.

MUD KITCHEN PROJECT

Our community building project for this year will be a mud kitchen for our sand box area. This idea will not only make a great addition to our playground and water play but will also enrich our outdoor learning environment! We invite you to be a part of this project. What is a mud kitchen? It's like a play kitchen, primarily made from wood, lifted off of the ground with a water source near it, for mud pies, dirt stew and any other product creative minds come up with! If you would like to volunteer to help with this project please join us for a Mud Kitchen Meeting on Monday April 8th at 5:45. We will discuss ideas, materials and more. For inspiration, check out "mud kitchens" on Pinterest. You can find lots of images and tips for making something like this:



CLASS PICTURE DAYS

Our local photographer (and past Serendipity parent) Adam Durant will be here on Wednesday April 10th and Thursday April 11th to take class pictures. Please plan to bring your child in no later than 9:30 on these days. You can purchase 5 x 7 pictures of your child's class for \$8.00. Serendipity will receive a percentage of the total amount collected from picture orders. Please mark your calendars!

WELLS FARGO READING PROGRAM

Employees from Wells Fargo will be coming to Serendipity every Tuesday to read books to our classrooms. These volunteers will spend approximately 30 minutes with the kids reading stories, conducting activities and leading discussions. Each classroom has their own set of books and once read they will be donated to our school. Thank you Wells Fargo for including us in your program!

HANDS ON LEARNING!





