

Look for info in this edition about Spring Break, April Conferences, Literacy Night, teacher surveys, and Coffee with Admin!



PARENTS!
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THURSDAY FOLDER – NVA WEEKLY COMMUNICATION

Don't forget to go online and do your survey! Great way to provide feedback on teachers here at NVA! During conferences we will also have the **TIPS** survey available, which is a comprehensive survey for us to check in with your ideas on goals and the **Quality of Ed survey** sponsored by the state.

Over the break don't forget to read to your kids, or have them read to you. Raz-Kids is also a great way for them to stay up on their skills. Log on for 30 minutes a day!

Just a reminder –

- We just completed our **annual PED site visit** this week. We are on track to meet our goals and prepare for our charter renewal next year. Great news!
- **Coffee with Admin** will be hosted on **Friday, March 27**. Come by for a cup of coffee and informal chat regarding NVA.
- **As you probably know, Spring Break will begin on Monday, March 30** and students return to school on Monday, April 6. The following week will be our Spring mid-term conferences. You should hear soon from your child's teacher regarding a schedule. **Early release days will be April 15, 16, 17 – 1:00.**
- **Literacy Night** will be held **Thursday, April 16th**. That is an early release day and also during the week that our **Spring Book Fair** will be held in the Center for the Arts. On that Thursday, students will be encouraged to dress up as a favorite story character. We will have a character parade at about 10:00 that morning. Parents and cameras welcome!
- We are still looking for a parent to sit on the **budget committee**. Is anyone out there interested? It won't take very much of your time...Please call the office and let us know.

*New
Feature*

Myths in the Media – Things are pretty quiet right now...

Some important pieces of information. It might seem small, but in the grand scheme of what we do these things are very important.

1. NVA has applied for a **K-3+** grant. If we are awarded, it will mean that **all incoming kindergarten through 3rd grade students will be eligible for 25 additional days of instruction beginning July 1**. Also, we are trying to create a **"3.5"** group (a different source of funding) for incoming 4th graders that need a little more 3rd grade practice before they start their new school year. Our question to you – **WHO IS INTERESTED? Email me at smcconnell@nvanm.org. We will hear about this grant on April 15.**
2. **4th and 7th grade** students will take 3 sessions, on paper, of the **SBA Science** exam the week of April 6. Check with your teacher if this affects your child, and be conscious of appointments and missed days of school.

As always – we appreciate your support. Use any of the avenues offered to share your thoughts with us, whether it is to attend *Coffee with Admin*, talk with us at the gate, or give us a call. If you have questions, concerns, ideas, or kudos, please feel free to contact any of us.

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
 6 REESE'S PUFFS FRESH FRUIT EGG ROLLS PINTO BEANS APRICOTS	 7 BREAKFAST BURRITO FRESH FRUIT FRITO PIE MIXED VEGETABLES MIXED FRUIT DICED LETTUCE & TOMATO TORTILLA	1 8 STRAWBERRY MINI PANCAKES FRESH FRUIT MACARONI & CHEESE GREEN BEANS PEACHES DINNER ROLL	2 9 NUTRIGRAIN BAR & YOGURT FRESH FRUIT CHEESEBURGER ON A BUN OVEN FRENCH FRIES APPLESAUCE SLICED LETTUCE & TOMATO MUSTARD / KETCHUP	3 10 BISCUIT, EGG & CHEESE FRESH FRUIT CHICKEN NUGGETS BAKED BEANS FRESH FRUIT
13 PLAIN BAGEL & CREAM CHEESE FRESH FRUIT CORN DOGS OVEN FRENCH FRIES PINEAPPLE CHUNKS MUSTARD / KETCHUP	14 BREAKFAST PIZZA FRESH FRUIT SPAGHETTI & MEAT SAUCE CORN PEACHES DINNER ROLL	15 PANCAKE WRAP FRESH FRUIT CHICKEN FRIED STEAK WHIPPED POTATOES COUNTRY GRAVY CINNAMON APPLE SLICES DINNER ROLL	16 ASSORTED COLD CEREAL FRESH FRUIT FRENCH TOAST STICKS HASH BROWNS SAUSAGE PATTIE FRESH FRUIT WHIPPED CREAM	17 CHERRY FRUDEL FRESH FRUIT PIZZA ITALIAN BLEND VEGETABLES MANDARIN ORANGES
20 PB&J SANDWICH FRESH FRUIT RAVIOLI WITH BEEF & TOMATO SAUCE OVEN FRENCH FRIES FRESH FRUIT DINNER ROLL KETCHUP	21 BREAKFAST COMBO BAR FRESH FRUIT SLOPPY JOE ON A BUN MIXED VEGETABLES FRESH FRUIT	22 EARTH DAY BLUEBERRY MINI WAFFLES FRESH FRUIT BBQ MEATBALLS GREEN BEANS MIXED FRUIT DINNER ROLL	23 SAUSAGE PATTIE & TORTILLA FRESH FRUIT LASAGNA WITH MEAT SAUCE BROCCOLI APPLESAUCE GARLIC BREAD	24 BANANA BREAD FRESH FRUIT CHICKEN NUGGETS FRESH VEGETABLES FRESH FRUIT
27 ASSORTED MUFFINS FRESH FRUIT FIESTA BURRITO TATER TOTS FRESH FRUIT PICANTE SAUCE	28 SAUSAGE BISCUIT FRESH FRUIT BEEF TACOS (HARD SHELL) PINTO BEANS APRICOTS PICANTE SAUCE	29 FRENCH TOAST STICKS FRESH FRUIT BBQ BEEF SANDWICH CORN PEARS	30 ASSORTED COLD CEREAL FRESH FRUIT PIZZA ITALIAN BLEND VEGETABLES MANDARIN ORANGES	

 Your cafeteria is managed by
Canteen of Central New Mexico

Food bar and variety of milk available daily
We use whole grain breads - All foods are baked

Full Lunch - \$2.75
Reduced Lunch - 40¢
Adult Lunch - \$3.00

Full Breakfast - \$1.50
Reduced Breakfast - 30¢