

THE WEEKLY TIE-DYE

THE OFFICIAL NEWS OF FREMONT OPEN PLAN

LOOKING AHEAD

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Wed, May 22

- Pajama Day

Fri, May 24, 5:00-8:00pm

- FOP End of Year Celebration – Downey Park

Mon, May 27

- NO SCHOOL

Tue, May 28 through Fri, May 31

- MINIMUM DAYS

Thu, May 30, morning

- Play Day – Wesson Ranch Park

Thu, May 30, 2:00-4:30pm

- 6th Grade Bon Voyage Party – off campus

Fri, May 31

- LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!

Fri, May 31, 9:30am

- Farewell Ceremony – Fremont Stage

PLAY DAY

ANOTHER AWESOME DAY AT THE PARK!

Our annual Play Day, on the morning of **Thursday, May 30**, will be held this year at Wesson Ranch Park, 1001 W. Union Avenue in Modesto. Students will be bussed to the park around 9:15am and leave to go back to school at around 11:30am (back in time for kinder pickup at noon). This is one of the most fun FOP days; our kids really look forward to it. Siblings are welcome at this field trip also, so please bring the family! Parent help is necessary to make Play Day successful. Each department will have specific activities for parents to help with, and donations may be needed. Also, some parents will be needed at the park before kids arrive and after they leave to help with set-up and take-down. Please watch for department-specific sign-ups and information on how you can help. Students can bring a snack that will be taken to the park. Please make sure you've got your permission slips turned in. See you at the park!

END OF YEAR CELEBRATION

SENDING OFF 2018/2019!

The End of Year Celebration at the Downey Park Picnic Area will be held **this Friday, May 24, from 5:00-8:00pm**. There will be fun family activities, treats for all, and the FOP teachers even have a little something planned. Contact organizers Jessica Elkins (hearmyvoice66@hotmail.com) or Ann Griffith (209-247-5597) with questions. We look forward to seeing you there for a fantastic 2018/2019 school year send off!

FALL WALK 2019/2020

SAVE THE DATE!

Mark your calendars! Next school year's Fall Walk will be held on **Friday, October 4, 2019**. Are you interested in helping to plan this spectacular day? If so, please e-mail one of the committee leads:

Marie Price (thepriceismarie@yahoo.com)

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SHOUT OUTS!

SPRING PRODUCTION

Did you attend the Spring Production last week? It was a very special performance by a lot of hard working kids, led by some very dedicated parents, especially the organizers Beth Duey and Crystal Johnson. The message was brilliant: The world is a better place because of our differences. Thank you to all who participated!

FREMONT CARNIVAL

The Fremont Carnival was also a success! Special thanks go to: the 5th and 6th graders who helped run the games and face painting, Heidi Mendes for bringing her horse and pigs, Grandma Carol and family and Mrs. Ramirez for being so generally helpful, Modesto Fire for bringing one of its ladder trucks, ASES for doing henna tattoos, Levi, Ernestine, Mr. Griffith and Mr. Woodbridge for being such great sports, all who donated cakes and other items and pitched in to help in different ways, and finally to the organizer Rebecca Ford for another fabulous carnival! You all are the best, and we had a super fun time!

MEMORY BOOK LETTERS TO TEACHERS

IT'S NOT TOO LATE!

Primary and Middle parents: If your child would like to write a year-end letter to their teacher(s), there's still time! Teachers love receiving these special keepsakes. Please make sure the notes/letters are no larger than 8.5x11 and are flat, in order to fit into the teachers' personal memory books. Envelopes to turn in the letters are in each Primary classroom and at the Middle Department Parent table.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2019/2020

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

The full calendar for next school year (including minimum days, etc.) will be available at <https://www.mcs4kids.com>, but here's a handy list of important dates to know:

August 12, 2019	First Day of School
September 2, 2019	Holiday – No School
October 14, 2019	No School
November 11, 2019	Holiday – No School
November 28-29, 2019	Holiday – No School
December 23, 2019	
- January 10, 2020	Winter Break
January 20, 2019	Holiday – No School
February 10, 2020	Holiday – No School
February 17, 2020	Holiday – No School
March 23-27, 2020	Spring Break
April 10, 2020	Holiday – No School
May 25, 2020	Holiday – No School
May 29, 2020	Last Day of School

DEPARTMENT NOTES

WE'RE IN THE HOME STRETCH!

Please make sure to take a look at your Department Notes, which will have important department-specific info for the final two weeks of school.