Room 5 Newsletter

Week of 02/05/24-02/09/24

<u>AM snack/flowers/ pizza Snack</u> <u>Assignments</u>

35 red apples 1 large jar of peanut butter (40oz jar) 6 FAMILY SIZE boxes of graham crackers *(or 10 small boxes)

Bring flowers on Monday and pizza Snack on Thursday please 2/05-Martin Damaso (no pizza snack needed, ½ day) 2/12-Hazel Smith

2/20- Rose Clement 2/26- Emilia Thompson

Laundry and Dish Duty Reminders

February Laundry: Hannah Landon February Dishes: Briyana Humphries

March Laundry: Missy Lee March Dishes: Hannah Landon

Messages from Miss Maria

- Early Release- Friday, February 9th, is an early release day for ALL STUDENTS. Carline will begin at 11:15. Nap items will be sent home on Thursday, but if your child will not be at school then please let me know so I can send their things sooner.
- Fun Run- As you may have read in the Fun Run emails, the children have won certain special days for their classrooms such as "pajama day" or "mismatch day". These special days will take place in May, and more information will be given as we get closer to those days.
- Valentine's Day- It will soon be time for our classroom book exchange. Please see below for more information. Even if your child is absent that day, they can still participate by bringing a book and we will be sure to save a book for them when they return.
- Valentine Grams- Please avoid sending treats/valentine cards to school. Our class will be doing a book exchange for Valentines Day. Instead, you can also buy Valentine grams through the E2 program. Please see Villa's newsletter for more information on that.
- Mystery Reader- As the name suggests, this volunteer is to remain a "mystery" to the children. Please help us in not spoiling the surprise by letting your child know when you are coming. You can let them know you have signed up, but please avoid telling them the specific day. As you can imagine, it's pretty tempting for them to spill the beans =)



Hello all,

Valentine's Day is almost here! Rather than handing out cards, every year our class does a book exchange instead. This year it will be **Wednesday**, **February 14th**. The children will get to experience the feeling of giving to their friends and receiving too!

Please make sure:

- You buy one NEW book
- The book is suitable for both genders (aged 3-6).
- Please no religious books
- Please no board books (these tend to be geared towards toddler-age children)
- The book comes to school <u>already</u> wrapped and should say:

"For: My friend"

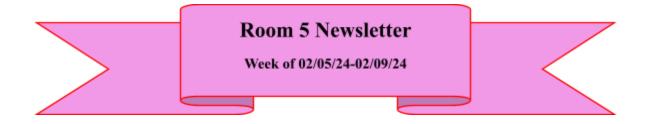
"From: (your child's name)"

All books must arrive **<u>BEFORE</u>** February 14th. If you are unable to send a book, please let me know with enough time so that I can make accommodations.

Thank You,

Miss Maria

P.S. We don't exchange Valentine cards in class. Please do not send your child with cards or candy. As an alternative, the E2 program will be selling Valentine grams that will then be distributed by them on February 14th. For more information, please read the upcoming Villa Voice Newsletter in the following weeks.



-Valentine Grams are on sale now and help sponsor overnight field trips! It's time to send your loved ones a little treat - or perhaps show some appreciation for your favorite teacher or administrator?!

We continue to offer Smencils, delicious-smelling pencils. We're excited about this fun, eco-friendly treat that we know all kids and adults will love. We also offer adorable, tiny plush animals and sweet Hershey's Kisses.*

<u>CLICK HERE</u> to download the Valentine Gram order form. Please fill out a separate form for each person. You may enclose the orders in an envelope with cash or a check made out to Villa Montessori School and deposit it in one of the Valentine boxes. Boxes are located at the elementary, early childhood, and middle school offices.

The sale runs from Thursday, February 1, 2024, through Wednesday, February 14, 2024. Deliveries will be made on Wednesday afternoon, February 14th. Extra order forms will be available in each campus office.

We are still accepting Hershey's Kisses donations at each office. And if you want to help with prepping and delivering, we would love to have you! You can sign up <u>here</u>

*Infants and Toddlers will receive an age-appropriate treat instead of chocolate kisses.

-Tax Credit Campaign

Time to file taxes and Villa can benefit greatly by your donation which is 100% REFUNDABLE!

Click here to contribute!

IMPORTANT DATES

February 1st - 14th - Valentine Grams go on sale!

February 9th - Friday - Infant and Toddler program CLOSED, All School (including Circle) 1/2 day 11:30 dismissal

February 14th - Wednesday - Valentine's Day Grams are delivered!

February 19th - Monday - All School CLOSED Presidents Day

February 20th - 23rd - Land Lab Campbell - Friday is Early Release for Campbell only at 1:30PM

February 21st - Wednesday - Dine Out for Dollars! Moto Pizza @ 3945 E. Camelback Rd from 2:00 -8:00 PM

- February 26th Monday Friday Anti-Bullying Awareness Week
- February 28th Wednesday Pink Shirt Day
- March 5th 8th Land Lab Orlando Friday is Early Release for Orlando only at 1:30PM
- March 8th Friday Infant and Toddler Program CLOSED All Day
- March 11th 15th SPRING BREAK All School CLOSED except for Infants and Toddlers
- March 18th Monday AASA Science Testing Opens
- March 23rd Saturday PTO Movie Night



RAISING \$\$ NEVER TASTED SO GOOD!



ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT **MR. MOTO PIZZA WILL DONATE 30%** OF ALL PRE-TAXED FOOD SALES FROM ANY GUEST WHO PRESENTS THIS FUNDRAISER FLYER, OR MENTIONS VILLA MONTESSORI SCHOOL UPON CHECKOUT

> Location: 3945 E. Camelback Rd. Date: Wednesday, February 21 Time: 2 PM- 8 PM Phone: (602) 675-2774

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(Dine-in or pickup only)

