### Weekly Newsletter April 21, 2022

# French Gulch-Whiskeytown School

We are entering the home stretch for this school year but there is still much to do. State Testing is coming up next month for grades 3-8. This is a snapshot in time that tells part of your child's learning journey but certainly not the whole story. We encourage parents to talk positively with their children about doing their best on the test. Relieving test anxiety is paramount. FGWS students really rocked the math portion last year. We are confident that they are prepared to do so again.

#### **MOTHER'S DAY MIDMORNING COFFEE BREAK**

On Thursday, May 5, Mrs. Swayne's class will have its annual coffee and strawberry sundae event for moms, aunties, grandmas and all those

who fill in in mom type roles. Students will be taking your orders and serving you. Can't make it? Please fill out your order and we will make up a "to go" sundae to enjoy later. Order forms are on the back of the newsletter. Looking forward to honoring you for the awesome job you do day in and out!

#### **OPEN HOUSE**

It has been a few years since we have been able to hold an Open House at FGWS. The staff is excited to debut Ms Hill's Living History presentations that evening as well as a gallery walk of projects and art work from Mrs. Swayne's classroom on May 10 starting at 6:00 pm. We will have a variety of both savory and sweet hors d'oeuvres for you to snack on as you view the works of our talented students. If there are a number of students with softball games that day, please let us know and we will change the date. In order to better plan and alternative date we will need that info ASAP.

#### **SUMMER SCHOOL**

FGWS is planning a 4 week summer school program available to students of all grade levels. The session will start on June 13 and run through July 8. Hours of operation are 8:30-12:30. Lunch will be served. Project SHARE will offer an extended day program until 5:30. Mrs Swayne will be focusing on Montessori lessons and materials. Bob will have many STEM related projects for students to explore. Project SHARE will be ordering STEM kits for students. Many of the materials will be going home with students for further exploration and discovery. Students may attend both summer school and SHARE or one or the other. It would be helpful if you gave the school an indication if your child will be attending either program so that we can better plan and get a head start on ordering materials.



#### **Upcoming Events**

May 5
Mother's Day Midmorning Coffee
Break and Strawberry Sundaes
10:00 am-11:00am

May 10
Open House Living History and Art
Gallery Walk
6-7:00 pm

May 17 SSC Meeting 4:00 pm Board Meeting 5:00 pm

## LUNCH MENU



Menu for April 25-29

Monday: Corn Dog, veggie beans, chips and peaches

Tuesday: Sloppy Joes, cucumbertomato salad, Lays Chips and fruit

Wednesday: Macaroni and Cheese, rolls, green salad and apples

Thursday: Taco Thursday!



Friday: Chicken Nuggets, fries, cole slaw and applesauce

Milk served at every meal



# Coffee and Strawberry Sundae Pre order Form (Please circle if this is for Take Out or Dine In) Order is for \_\_\_\_\_ Check everything you would like on your sundae $\square$ Ice cream ☐ Chopped Nuts □ Whipped Cream □ black □ half & half □ sweetener Coffee Coffee and Strawberry Sundae Pre order Form (Please circle if this is for Take Out or Dine In) Order is for \_\_\_\_\_ Check everything you would like on your sundae Strawberries 🙀 🗆 Chocolate Syrup ☐ Chopped Nuts □ Whipped Cream Coffee □ black □ half & half □ sweetener