

Teacher Appreciation

Greetings **Parents,**

I would like to start off by thanking; **Cathy Cox, Melinda Cantu, Nakita Phillips, Shyamala Murthy, Liddy Zierer and Jenny Platt** for assisting me with Mrs. Faulkner's reception. There was a great turnout of well-wishers and I know that Mrs. Faulkner was truly touched.

WOW! This school year has just flown by! We only have a few weeks left of school, but they will be very busy!

This next week (**May 4-8th**) is "**Teacher Appreciation Week.**" Cathy and I have come up with some fun ways to show Mrs. Faulkner how much we all love and appreciate her.

To start off each day, Mrs. Faulkner will receive a small treasure along with a sweet: **(NOTE: We already have these items)**

Monday: Hand-held Fan ("To a Great Teacher from your Biggest Fans!") and **Nuts** ("We're Nuts About Our Teacher!")

Tuesday: Flashlight ("Teachers Light the Way!") and **Milky Way** ("You Are Out of This World!")

Wednesday: Flower Pot w/Angel Dirt & Seeds ("Thanks for Helping Us Grow!") **Mounds** ("Thanks For the Mounds of Work You Do!")

Thursday: Highlighters ("Thanks for Making our School Brighter!") **100,000 Bar** ("You're Worth It!")

Friday: Candle ("You Enlighten Us!") **Snickers** ("Thanks for all the Laughs & Snickers!")

Also, each day during the week, Mrs. Faulkner will receive something extra special. **We need your help with several of the following items:**

Monday: Please send in a **letter of support for Mrs. Faulkner** addressed to our Principal, Mrs. Theresa Whistler and our Superintendent, Mr. Pascal D. Forgione, Jr., Ph.D.

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You can send them in via your child's folder. I will make sure that once Mrs. Faulkner reads them, to send them to our principal and our superintendent.

Tuesday: Formal Lunch for Mrs. Faulkner (We need volunteers to help bring items from her favorite restaurant; bring tea or water, dessert, etc.) Mrs. Faulkner will enjoy a very special lunch in her classroom. **More information to come, when we hear back from Mrs. Faulkner.**

Wednesday: "Bucket of Supplies" (Mrs. Faulkner needs several supplies for her classroom. To make this task easier so that there will not be any duplications, we have assigned a school supply to each of you. If for some reason you are not able to participate, please let us know so that we can assign the item(s) to someone else. **More information to come, when we hear back from Mrs. Faulkner.**

Thursday: Take Home Dinner (I need volunteers to bring specific dinner items at the end of the school day for Mrs. Faulkner to take home for her family dinner.) **More information to come, when we hear back from Mrs. Faulkner.**

Friday: We are currently making a **special book about our class** (with personal messages from the kids). We will present the book to her on this day.

The end of the school year party is also coming up, along with the "Three Ring Circus." I will send out a note prior to each one asking for volunteers. (Note: All parents are encouraged to join us for the End of the Year Class Party!) More information to follow----

Thank you **ALL** for your help! This has been an **AMAZING** year!

Jodi