



The Village at Ames

May 2017 Family Newsletter

Important Phone Numbers To Keep:

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Important Dates

- May 19, Friday – Family Surveys Due; Thank you for participating!
- May 23 & 24, Tuesday & Wednesday – Field Days & PBIS Pom-Pom Celebration!
- May 24, Wednesday – Last Day of Classes & Extension



Thank You for Coming!!

Thank you to our preschool families and friends for the amazing attendance at our Spring Musical Performances and Art Show Fundraiser! We easily had over 200 people attend each night and we were so touched by your kind words and support!

A big, big thank you, also, for your amazing generosity in “purchasing” our student’s art projects! We are excited to be able to purchase & refresh our outside toys and activities. Thank you for supporting our spring fundraiser!

END OF THE YEAR CELEBRATIONS!

The last week of school will bring a couple of much anticipated celebrations.

Our “Field Days” will be Tuesday and Wednesday, 5/23 & 5/24. Weather permitting, we are planning fun outside activities and snacks. Please remember to apply sunscreen on your child, especially on those days.

Also, NO SANDALS PLEASE – outside time will include running and playing on the playground.

During these fun days, we will also be hosting our PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions & Supports) celebration for the kiddos. This has been the goal of the pom-pom collecting all year long! This fun celebration will include a very special video and visit from Dina! She is always a crowd favorite!!

**FUN IN
THE SUN
FIELD
DAYS!**



**TUESDAY &
WEDNESDAY,
MAY 23 & 24**

Note from Our Director...

Dear Families,

As the Director of the Village at Ames, I would like to take a moment to thank our families for your constant support as we have continued to grow and expand as an Early Childhood Program. This is a wonderful community, and it's such a rewarding experience for all of us at Ames to get to know these amazing young learners and their families. The team at Ames thanks you for your sharing your children with us!

I would also like to take this opportunity to extend a heartfelt thank you to our Ames Family Partnership team and all our volunteers. Our program is enriched in so many ways by the generosity of our families. Thank you for sharing your time, treasure, and talents with us!

We wish our Kindergarten-ready friends a very fun year ahead! We will miss them!

We look forward to seeing our returning friends and new kiddos at the end of August! We are very excited for the 2017 - 2018 school year!

Please let me know if you have any questions over the summer. I will continue to check my emails on a weekly basis (THansen@lps.k12.co.us).

With warmest wishes to everyone, have a safe and fun-filled summer!

Tracey (Mrs. Hansen)

VILLAGE TEAM RUNNING THE COLFAX MARATHON...

A team from the Villages has come together to run the Colfax Marathon Relay on May 21st on behalf of the Littleton Public Schools Foundation. The team consists of staff from both our North and Ames campuses – Kerry O'Brien, Amanda Dreyer, Juan Mendoza, Caroline Riofredo, and Patty Vickery.

Please consider sponsoring our staff. Any amount will be most appreciated, and the LPS Foundation will get to keep 100% of the proceeds.

To donate, either follow the "Donate Now" link found on the LPS main webpage under Community Involvement and the LPS Foundation tab, (<http://littletonpublicschools.net/lpsf/donate-now>), or drop off checks made out to Littleton Public School Foundation, with "Village Preschool Colfax Marathon" noted in the check memo, to the Preschool office.

Coming this summer... the LPS Annual Family Check-In

During the summer, expect to see an email from LPS announcing the Annual Family Check-In – an opportunity to verify your family's contact information online. Your information will be managed through your **Parent Portal**.

If you have NOT set up your **Parent Portal**, please stop by the office to receive your activation code before the office closes for the summer. Thank you!

REMINDER:

May is the Last Tuition Payment of the Year

Just a quick reminder that the final tuition payment for the school year is due May 1st.

Please Note: For families who have opted for the automatic payment option, ALL credit card payments will be processed on Friday, MAY 5th.

Contact Shelly Cox, slcox@lps.k12.co.us, or stop by the office if you have any questions.