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Manchester Elementary Weekly News

Family Edition

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Dear Families,

Looks like we made it! Here we are at the end of the 2021-2022 school year. We are so proud of each and every student. They have learned and grown so much, strengthening friendships and building new ones. They have worked hard in class, on the playground, and in the garden. Our students have gained the knowledge and skills they will need for the 2022-23 school year. We even have a graduate who is on his way to Point Arena High School. But first, SUMMER!!

As we finish up with this last week, we are in celebration mode. We hope to see many of you at our Awards Ceremony at 12:30 on Tuesday and at our Graduation Ceremony at 12:30 on Wednesday (here at school).

Summer is a great time for students to enjoy some unstructured time exploring and having fun. I do encourage reading daily with your child. This helps them to maintain their skills and shows them that reading is fun. Additionally, keeping a journal of daily activities can be a way to build those writing skills. Children often enjoy drawing a picture and writing a sentence or two about what they did yesterday or hope to do today. (I used to have my children do this each day for 10 minutes before heading to the beach or pool. I still have those cute journals.)

Whatever your plans hold, we wish every family a wonderful summer full of making memories with your precious children. That is what it is all about!



- **Our Awards Ceremony is Tuesday, June 7th at 12:30 p.m.**
 - Parents are welcome to attend as we celebrate our students. Join us if you can! (Please sign in at the office.)
 - This will be a quick ceremony on the playground.
- **8th Grade Graduation is Wednesday, June 8th at 12:30 p.m.**
 - We are so excited for Aaron, who will be graduating 8th grade.
 - This year, graduation will be held on campus so all students can attend.
 - The whole Manchester Elementary community is invited to join us to congratulate our graduate. We are so proud of him.
- **Field Day is Thursday, June 9th.**
 - Students will participate in fun activities outside in the morning, then inside in the afternoon.
- **The last day of school is Friday, June 10th.**
 - Dismissal will be at 12:30 p.m.
- **Manchester's [Student Recruitment Flier](#) is posted all around town.**
 - Please encourage families you know to join us at Manchester in 2022-2023 if they are looking for an awesome school with small class sizes, fantastic staff, and a wonderful family atmosphere.

This Week's Happenings...

Tuesday, June 7th	12:30 Awards Assembly
Wednesday, June 8th	12:30 Graduation
Thursday, June 9th	Field Day
Friday, June 10th	LAST DAY (12:30 dismissal)



Summer Hours...

Mrs. Larson Balliet and Mrs. Elsie Piper will be in the office throughout June. Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions about school.

Next School Year...

Our first day of school will be August 22, 2022. Please mark your calendars!