

From the Desk of the Principal: During this time of the school year, students, staff members, and teachers are putting in their final and best efforts in preparing for the move of students to their next grade level. As a parent, you can help by continuing to support your student(s) with their homework and reading at home. Please make sure if your student is assigned to Friday School they attend and are on time. This precious time during Friday Schools, allows teachers to meet with students in a small uninterrupted group. Teachers can work on specific standards and skills students must master to be successful in the next grade they attend. This is also a time of year when teachers, support staff, parents, and myself meet to make plans and preparations for students' academic futures. Please know that along with you we only have the best intentions in regards to your students' academic success and that every student's academic movement is not the same and that is alright. Spring is in the air and as the weather warms up, we are finding more and more discarded jackets and coats. Our lost and found is loaded with students' lost items. If your student is missing a jacket or coat please come down and look through our lost and found items. Please also remember as the weather warms up to dress your student in the appropriate attire. Shorts should be an appropriate length to allow your student to move freely on the playground and equipment, without worrying about unnecessary exposure. We do not allow any tank tops or flip-flop shoes for boys or girls. We want to express our gratitude to all the parents who came and participated in our "Love of Reading Week". It was a huge success and we could not do it without you. Please keep reading with your students and have a safe, but exciting Spring Break! ~ Mr. Gifford



## **Calendared Events:**

## March



Kinder Registration on Website (see below) When you register, you will be sent a link to sign up for screening/testing

14<sup>th</sup> -21<sup>st</sup> SPRING BREAK-NO SCHOOL

15<sup>th</sup> **Open Enrollment Due for Current Students** (see website for more information)

Tues. 25th JDPS Disney Music Spring Concert in **Multipurpose Room** 8:15-8:45: Gutierrez, Taylor, Vining

9:15-9:45: Stevens, Roskelley, Lawson 10:15-10:45: Scoggin, Clonts, John

Thurs. 27th JDPS Disney Music Spring Concert in **Multipurpose Room** 

> 8:15-8:45: Gerber, Barney, Hatch 9:15-9:45: Palmer, Claridge, Nelson 10:15-10:45: Ayers, Roark, Fox



Happy spring from the music room! The kids have come so far since our last concert, and we are so excited to show what we have learned in the last few months. We have been working hard on a variety of Disney songs, and are excited to present lots of different skills through them. Dress for the concert will be anything Disney or bright colors. Although we welcome t-shirts/dresses and attire related to Disney, no mouse ears or any other headpieces will be allowed, so we can all see each student. The concert will be in the multipurpose room here at JDPS right after Spring Break on Tuesday, March 25th or Thursday, March 27th at the times listed above. As parking will be tight, we ask that you promptly leave following the concert so the next group can enter. Please make sure your student is on time to school that morning, and we'll be excited to see you at the concert! Thank you for all you parents do, and the support we see for both your kids and for Jack Daley Primary School. ~ Mrs. Carly Angle

March is bringing us the character trait cooperation. Cooperation is working together to reach a shared goal. Our school goals include doing well academically and being kind. Listening is an important life skill and helps to grow in cooperation with others (and reaching our goals). Listening can sometimes be challenging to students, especially when spring approaches. You can help your child's listening skill with these strategies: 1. Eyes are watching (point to your eyes). 2. Ears are listening (cup your ears). 3. Brain is focused (point to your brain). 4. Heart is caring (put your hand on your heart). Listening and cooperating lead to success in and out of the classroom. ~Counselor-Skemp