

Leo R. Croce PTA Monthly Newsletter

May/June 2024

ANNOUNCEMENTS

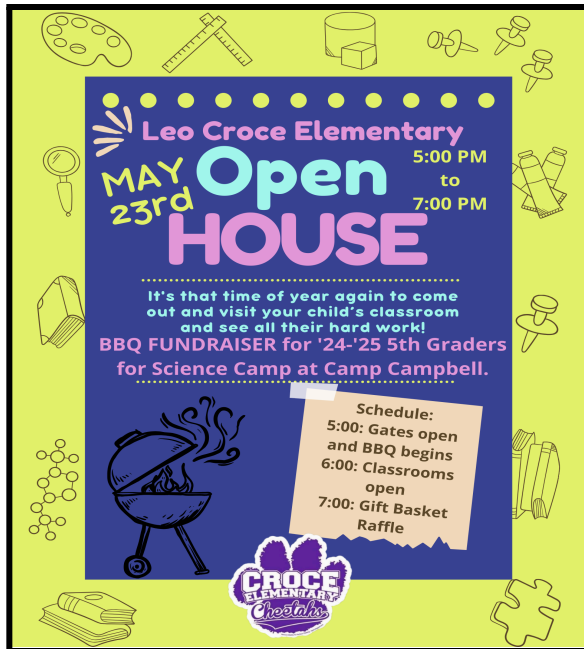
Reminder - No School on Monday, May 27th in observance of Memorial Day!



- **May 6th-10th: Staff Appreciation Week!**
- May 6th-31st: CAASPP Testing - Grades 3rd-5th
- May 10th: Talent Show, 8:40am/10:40am
- May 15th & 22nd: After School Ice Cream Sales
- May 16th: General PTA Meeting, 7:00pm virtual
- May 23rd: Open House & BBQ, 5:00-7:00pm
- May 29th: FREE Otter Pops after School
- May 30th: Public Library Summer Reading Program Assemblies
- June 3rd: Field Day
- June 4th: Croce Hoe Down, 8:45am
- **June 6th - 12:30pm DISMISSAL: Last Day of School**

OPEN HOUSE

Open House is **Thursday, May 23rd**. Gates will open at 5:00pm to support Camp Campbell's 2024/25 5th Graders BBQ. Classrooms will be open from 6:00-7:00pm. The Gift Basket Raffle fundraiser will be announced at 7:00pm in the MPR.

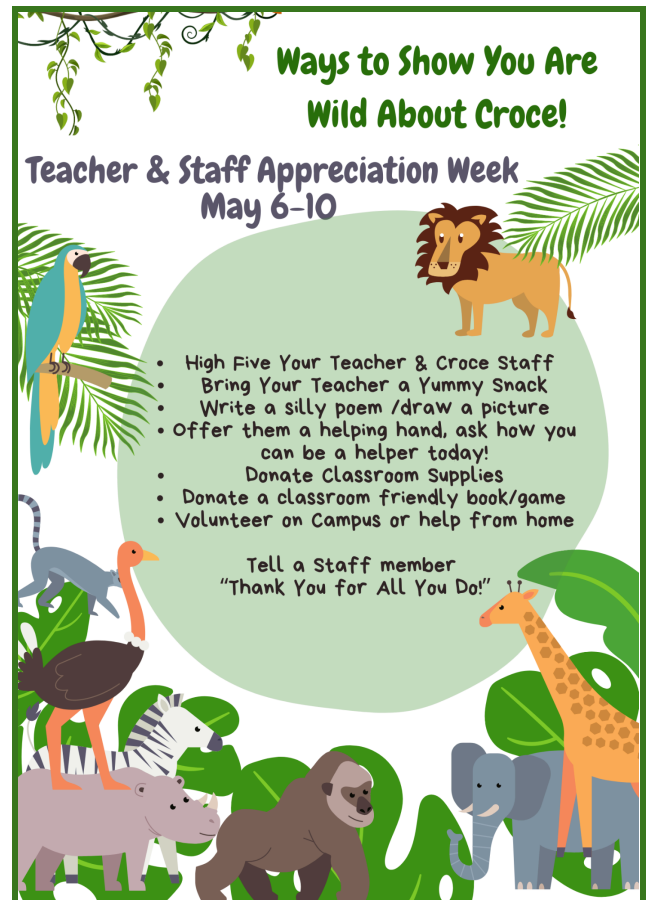


A MESSAGE FROM PTA HOSPITALITY



Hi Croce Families!

Help us ALL say thank you to the Croce Staff this week during Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week. Every little act of kindness matters. Here are just a few suggestions on how to get your kids involved in celebrating their teachers and everyone that works so hard at Croce every day!



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2024-2025 PTA BOARD



🎉 A big congratulations and THANK YOU to our 2024-2025 PTA Board that were elected into office. Please join us in giving them a big Cheetah round of applause!

President: Bethany Specht

Vice President: Ashton Stockstill

Treasurer: Kali Morris

Secretary: Rebecca Gutierrez

Financial Secretary: Candy Ruiz

Events: Meghan Rybczynski, Erica Cung & Odessa Silva

Fundraising: Diana Barnes

Membership: Praveen EK

Auditor: Kayleigh Vandenbusch

Hospitality: Brandi McCoy & Jamie Osborn

Communications: Sasha Sammonek

Parliamentarian: Ashley Midwood

Historian: Erin Lockhart

FINAL PTA MEETING



Please join us for our final General PTA Meeting of the school year on **Thursday, May 16th at 7:00pm via Google Meet.** All are welcome!

Want to get more involved? It is never too late in the school year to get involved! The PTA is always looking for volunteers and additional support with all of our upcoming End of the Year events. Please stay tuned for more info!



CHEETAH STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Have you had a chance to meet our Interim Principal, Dr. Sara Subbiondo, a.k.a Dr. Sib? Dr. Sib comes to us with over 27 years of experience in Education. She is also LVJUSD's very own YouthBuild's Program Manager. YouthBuild is a program that helps young adults obtain their high school diplomas and other certifications. She has also served as acting Vice Principal at both East Avenue Middle School and Joe Michell K-8 School.

Dr. Sib has been enjoying her time observing students and visiting classrooms getting to know both Staff and students. Her favorite part about Croce so far are the hugs from the students. She loves seeing the joy and sweet smiles coming from everyone in the morning. Dr. Sib also enjoys being outdoors and is looking forward to spending more time outside and near the ocean this summer. She likes to travel and has visited many countries; Greece is at the top of her bucket list.

If you have not yet had the pleasure of saying hi to Dr. Sib in the mornings, please feel free to do so during dropoff at the front!



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