



LUCKY'S LEGEND

"Leading, Learning, and Growing...TOGETHER"

MAY 2018

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GREETINGS GREEN GABLES FAMILIES,

Where has the time gone? I seem to ask myself this question every school year and I still cannot believe how quickly it goes. I am so proud to serve the wonderful students at Green Gables and I cannot tell you how often I have felt so incredibly "lucky" to be the school principal in this amazing community. I reflect on the amazing staff, how much they continuously go the "extra mile", and the energy and commitment they give every day to our students. I reflect on our supportive families who are side by side in our work and give of their time both at school and behind the scenes, families who put their trust in us every day to help their children learn and grow. I reflect on our outer community, the time spent from community members on our school garden, along with other volunteering; whether it is a crossing guard or Watch Dog, or reading with our students.

Our students thrive as a result of our collaborative efforts. It takes the partnership of families, students, staff, and community members to "lead, learn, and grow together". This will remain our guiding theme at Green Gables as we move into next year and beyond. I believe we will continue to work together to help our students grow.

We also know schools are always in a cycle of continuous improvement and we can get even better! We must never relax our efforts to improve as every child deserves the best we can possibly give. I look forward to next year and I welcome your ideas and input along the way. I wish our 5th and 6th graders all the best in middle school and know they will continue to leave their mark on the world. I welcome new kindergarteners who will join the GG family and become leprechauns.

Let's finish strong in May. Please join us for our end of school celebration and the 50th birthday of Green Gables on May 18th at 5:30. This will be wonderful community celebration. The last day of school is May 24th and school will be dismissed at 12:35.

Finally, I would like to wish you all a safe and fun-filled summer and I look forward to many more years ahead.

Warm Regards,

Suanne Hawley
Principal

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IMPORTANT DATES

May 1st—**Flex Testing-Student Come At Their Scheduled Time Only**

May 2nd—Young Rembrandts 3:15-4:15pm

May 3rd—Chess Club 7:40-8:10am

May 3rd—Run 4 Funds Day

May 4th—Kindergarten Field Trip to Red Rocks Park 9:15-1:00pm

May 4th—3rd Grade Field Trip to Plains Conservation 9:15-1:15pm

May 7th—Math Tutoring 3:05-4:30pm

May 9th—National Walk/Bike to School Day

May 9th—Advanced Band and Orchestra Tour

May 9th—1st Grade Field Trip to Heritage Center 9:15-1:45pm

May 10th—Chess Club 7:40-8:10am

May 11th—Volunteer Tea 7:30-8:20pm

May 14th—Math Tutoring 3:05-4:30pm

May 14th—PTA Meeting 6:30-7:30pm

May 14th—Kindness Club 3:15-3:55pm

May 15th—Band and Orchestra Concert at Bear Creek High School 7:00pm

May 16th—5th/6th Grade Field Trip to Denver Water Festival

May 17th—3rd Grade Native American Play 2:00pm and 6:00pm

May 18th—End of Year Celebration 5:30-7:30pm

May 21st—GOLD Assembly 2:45-3:00pm

May 21st—Accountability Meeting 5:15-6:15pm

May 23rd—5th Grade Continuation 9:00-10:30am in the Gym

May 23rd—Kindergarten Continuation 2:00-3:00pm in the Gym

May 23rd—6th Grade Continuation 6:00-7:30pm in the Gym

May 24th—Report Cards Go Home

May 24th—**Last Day of School, Early Dismissal at 12:35pm**



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Run 4 Fund\$

Thursday, May 3rd 2018



Run times:

Kindergarten and 1st Grade 9:00am to 9:40am

5th and 6th Grades 9:40-10:20am

2nd and 3rd Grades 10:20-11:20am

4th Grade 11:00-11:40am

Pledges are due on Thursday May 10th

Prize Day is on Friday, May 18th



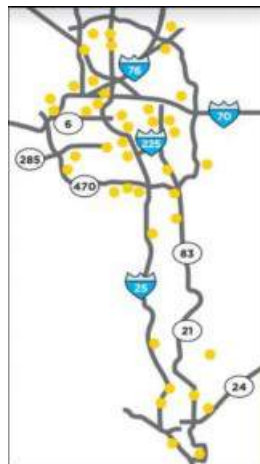
Green Gables Elementary Continuation Ceremonies Wednesday May 23rd, 2018

Fifth Grade- 9:00-10:30am

Kindergarten- 2:00-3:00pm

Sixth Grade- 6:00-7:30pm

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Wednesday, May 9th at 8:00am
 Please join us on the front lawn
 for our walk/bike to school day
 celebration!



Important

Parents, please be sure that all of your contact information is current in JeffcoConnect by

May 15th, 2018.

This will ensure that you receive information over the summer break regarding our 2018-2019 registration process.

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of Green Gables Elementary!!



Friday, May 18th

5:30pm - 7:00pm

Special Recognitions at 6:00pm

Birthday Cake cutting immediately following

All Green Gables Elementary students and staff, past and present, and their families, are invited to celebrate our 50th Anniversary!

- School tours and open house with history displays
- DJ and Raffle Prizes
- Bouncy House
- Cakewalk
- Free hot dogs and chips (while supplies last)

*If you have any pictures, memorabilia, stories, etc. that you would like to share with us for the evening, please email greenables50th@gmail.com.

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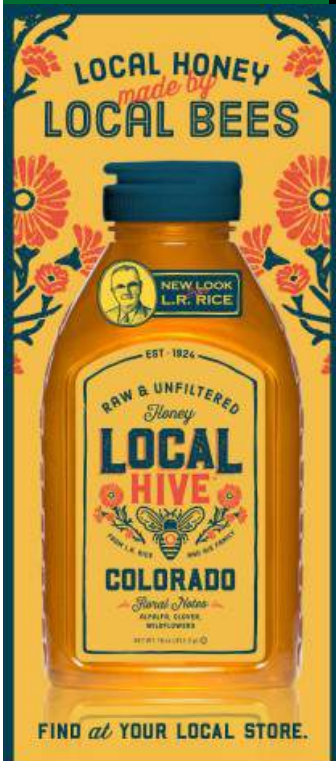
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5th/6th Grade Parents! We need photos of your kiddos!!

Our continuation committee will be making a video presentation for your student's continuation ceremony. The committee is requesting a kindergarten and a current picture of your student as well as any group or candid pictures you may have from Green Gables events from kindergarten to the current school year. If you have any pictures you would like to share, please email them to Catherine Bryant at Catherine.Tritano-Bryant@jeffco.k12.co.us. We prefer digital copies, but we can take paper pictures to scan and return to your student. After the 2018 Continuation Ceremonies, we will be posting our video presentations to YouTube using a private link that can only be viewed/shared by using this specific link.

Our absolute deadline for pictures is Friday, May 11th! If we do not receive pictures by the deadline, your student will not be included in the slide show.

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Crossing Guards
Watch DOGS
Christmas GivingTree Donations
Donations to the Health Room
Garden Committee
After School Clubs Leaders

You have made our school year more successful!

Please come in and check our lost and found for any items your student may be missing. All items will be donated after the last day of school.





Summer is Time to be Active

Summer is time to get outside and be active. Take advantage of the different opportunities to be active with your family in our community.

Hiking Near By:

- Green Mountain Trails
- Bear Creek Trail at Stone House
- Red Rocks Trading Post Trail
- Bear Creek State Park

Activities Near By:

- Splash Pads (Ray Ross Park, Surfside Spray Park)
- Playgrounds (Kendrick Lake, Carmody Recreation Center, Green Gables Elementary,)
- Swim (Carmody Recreation Center, Glennon Heights, Green Mountain Indoor Pool)

Home:

- Playing Basketball, Soccer, Frisbee and Flying a kite
- Use Green Gables Elementary Fields to Play
- Play Backyard Games

Have a wonderful and safe summer.

Mrs. Miner (Physical Education Teacher)



**Community
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Upcoming Events

May 7-May 11 Teacher Appreciation Week

Look in Friday Folders and Messengers for ways to applaud the wonderful teachers and support staff of GGES

May 18, 2018 Green Gables Elementary 50th Birthday/Year End Party:

Can you believe our school is turning 50 this year? Join our school community for the celebration of this happy occasion.

Fundraisers



Run4Fund\$ April 26-May4:

Our annual Run4Fund\$ fundraiser is up and running. Check your April 25 Friday Folders for details.

PTA Newsletter



**Thanks to
everyone who
volunteered
for all the
PTA
sponsored
events and
activities this
year. We
couldn't do it
without your
help!**

On-Going Fundraiser Information

- **Box Tops:** Each Box Top Clip is worth 10 cents. Clip Box Tops and return to school.
- **Shutterfly:** Shutterfly will donate 13% of your total order when you order through our Shutterfly storefront page.

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- **Milk Caps for Mooola:** Longmont Dairy milk caps are worth 5¢ each and are redeemable for cash. Bring your Longmont Dairy milk caps to school and put them into the collection box in the office.