

AFM Chandler Montessori March Newsletter



Upcoming Events

Monday, February 25 –Friday, March 1 - Cardinal P/T Conference

Monday, March 4 –Friday, March 8 - Goldfinch P/T Conference

Monday, March 18 –Friday, March 22 - Quail P/T Conference

School will be closed for Spring Break

Monday, March 11 - Friday, March 15

Show and Tell



March 1 - Show and Tell Boys

March 8 - Show and Tell Girls

March 22 - Show and Tell Boys

March 29 - Show and Tell Girls



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BIRTHDAYS AT AFM CHANDLER MONTESSORI

Birthday celebrations at school are not meant to be the major party for the child. We ask that you keep it simple by bringing a small treat to be shared at snack time. We suggest small muffins, cookies, donut holes or cupcakes with little or no frosting. Do not bring a cake. The treat must be in a store-bought package with the ingredients listed so we can check for allergies. The school provides the drink, napkins and cups.

Please, talk or email to the person at the front desk to get the party on the calendar.

Parents and family members are welcome to join us for the party!

It is not at all necessary to bring a treat bag for each child in the classroom. Your child may attempt to talk you into this. Some parents choose to bring treat bags. It is up to you and not at all expected.

Please bring photos of your child to show to their classmates. Some parents like to make a poster including a photo of the child each year from birth to the present.

You will get a birthday fact sheet to fill out and bring in when you book the party at the office.

The celebrations times are:

Cardinal classroom:	Monday – Friday at 10 AM (not on Tuesdays)
Goldfinch classroom:	Monday – Friday at 10 AM (not on Tuesdays)
Quail classroom:	Monday – Friday at 10 AM (not on Tuesdays)

The name March comes from the Roman god of war, Mars. For many years, March, being the start of spring, was also the start of the New Year. Much of Europe used March as the start of the year. Britain used March 25th as the beginning of the New Year until 1752.





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Grand Canyon State Games essay contest

Dear AFM Kindergarten Parents,

It is time for the Grand Canyon State Games essay contest!

This contest is optional, however we highly encourage all Kindergarten students to participate. We will have a **special event in May** for all participants. If your child should decide to write an essay, **please submit the essay to your child's directress by Monday, March 25th, 2019.**

Students will complete the final draft at school. If you have any questions regarding this special activity please do not hesitate to ask your child's Directress or your school's Site Director.

Parents may help their child with choosing and discussing a topic. They may help with grammar, spelling and punctuation, however, the thoughts, wording and essay must be the child's own work.

For essay topics and more info please check

<https://www.azsportsent.com/gcsg-essay-contest.html>

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