



# THE WEEKLY MEMO

Program Year 2023-2024  
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## OUR AGENCY VALUES

Transparent Respectful  
Communication



Compassionate Inclusivity



Teamwork



Integrity & Accountability



Safe & Responsive Culture

## OUR MISSION:

Southern Oregon Head Start prepares all children and their families for success in school and throughout life.

## WEEKLY MEMO SUBMISSIONS:

If you would like your submission to be shown in the following issue please submit any pdf's, jpegs, and text to Angie Salazar — [asalazar@socfc.org](mailto:asalazar@socfc.org) by Thursday at 12 p.m.



NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE,  
THE WORD ITSELF SAYS  
I'M POSSIBLE.

AUDREY HEPBURN

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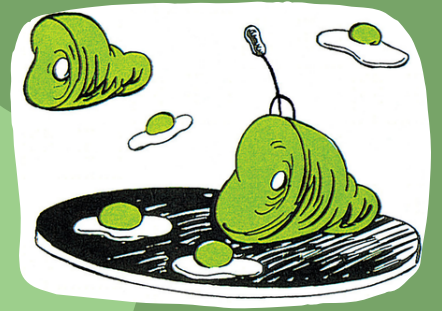
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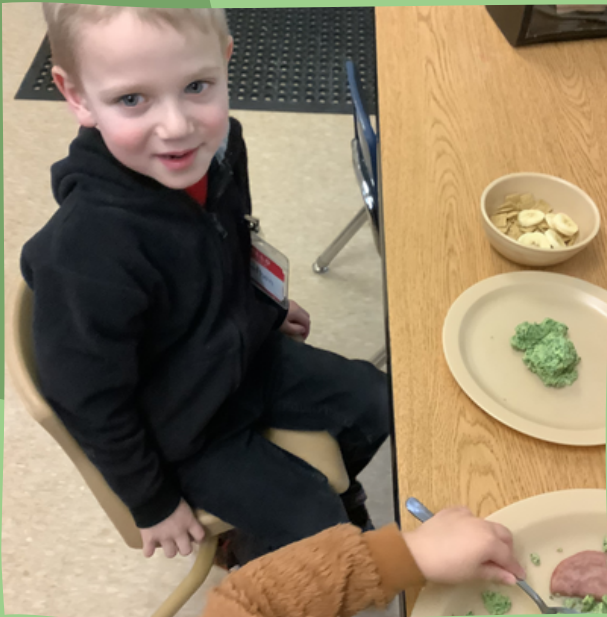


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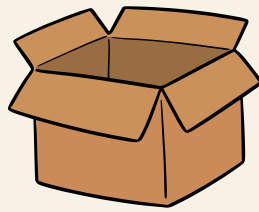
# GREEN EGGS & HAM AT REDWOOD AM1



Cook Dorie made green eggs and ham for Dr. Suess week!



Submitted  
by: Densie  
Pederson



# Pets Celebration

## PXT DUR

We decorated boxes as our favorite stuffed animals' homes. This was a two-day project!



Submitted by:  
Amber Gregory



# Rogue River Class Growing Lettuce!



Submitted by:  
Jamie Griffin





Administrative Assistant  
Rosalinda De La Cruz

Rosalinda De La Cruz is our LISTO Administrative Assistant. She joined us in July of 2023 and is a wonderful addition to our team. But she actually goes way back with LISTO...

Before I came to work with LISTO, I was a LISTO kid myself. My parents migrated to the US from Mexico when they were young, and I was born here in Medford.

Education is key to success in the US and my mom took every opportunity to educate herself and us kids. She enrolled me in Head Start and that was when we discovered the LISTO Family Literacy Program. LISTO, which was housed at Howard Elementary at the time, helped her learn English and some computer skills. Because LISTO is a family program, having a little one was not a barrier for her to learn these things. I could come too! I enjoyed going to classes where I met other kids who came from my same cultural background.

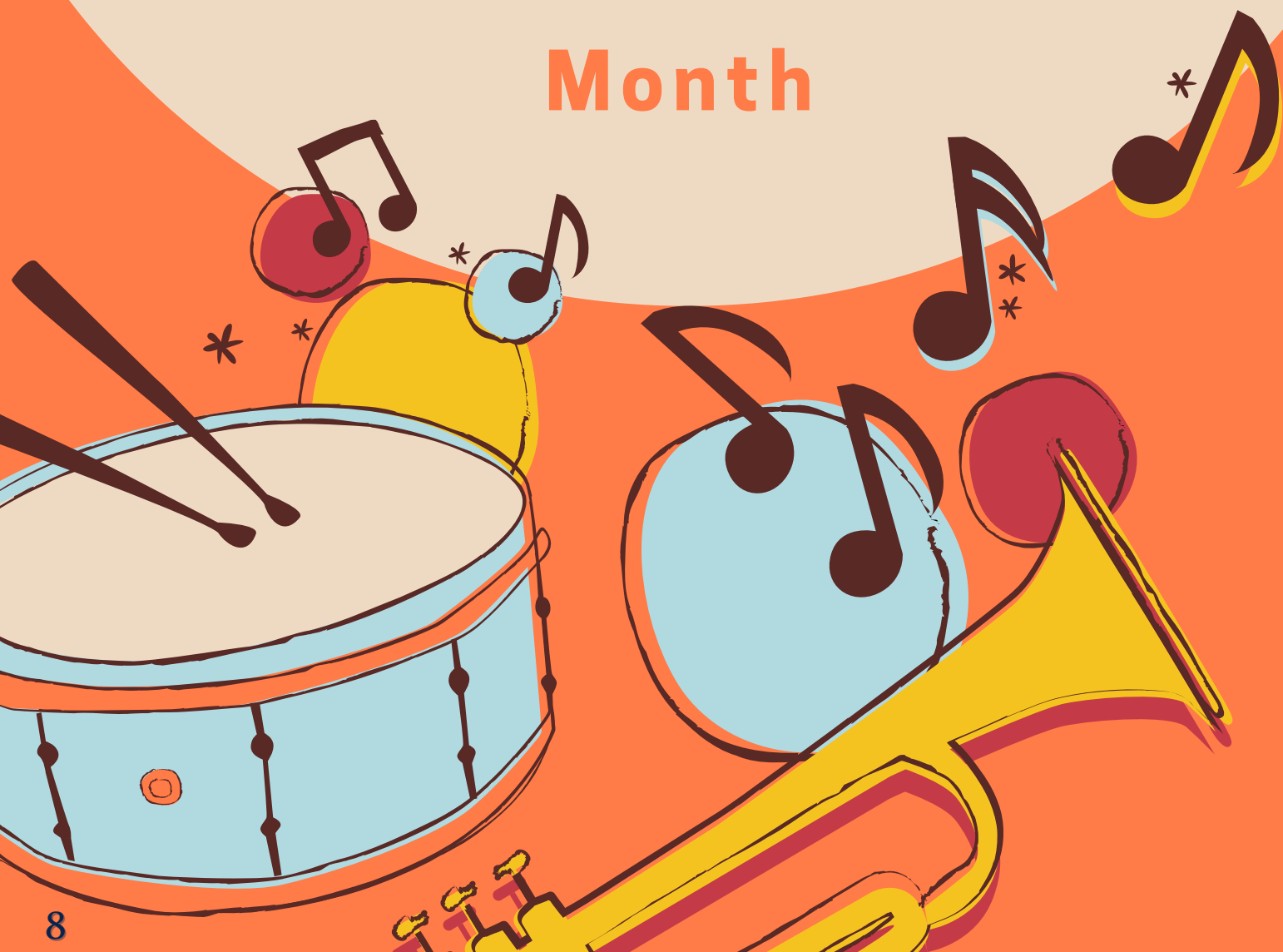
I used to be scared to be away from my family, but being in LISTO helped me become more confident and understand that a little independence could be a good thing. I formed new friendships and I was excited to see them every time we attended class. LISTO has been a huge part of my family's education and it's incredible to see how LISTO is still here to support new families. I often see myself in these kids who are so eager to learn. I feel good about being involved in LISTO in a new way, as the Administrative Assistant!



MARCH IS

# MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS

Month





NATIONAL  
**PLANT A  
FLOWER DAY**

MARCH 12, 2024





# **NATIONAL CHILDREN'S CRAFT DAY!**

**MARCH 14TH, 2024**

happy

# PI DAY

MARCH 14,  
2024

