



THE WEEKLY MEMO

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Mission Statement

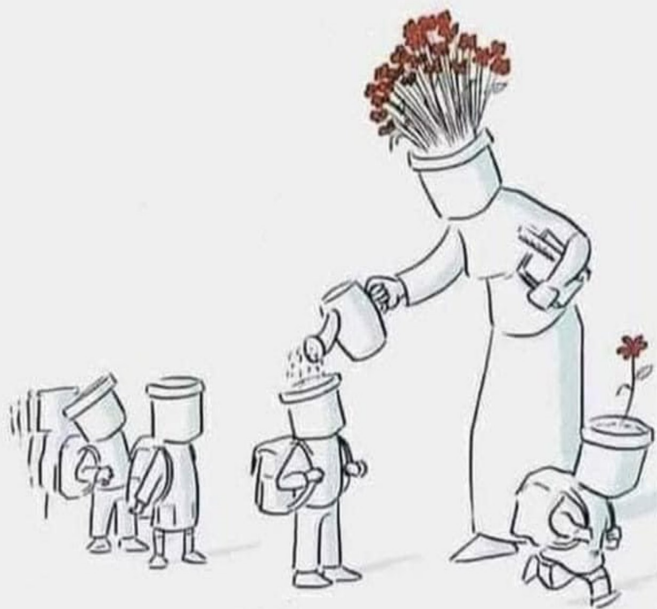
Southern Oregon Head Start prepares all children and their families for success in school and throughout life.

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The beauty of teachers...

Teacher



Students

Weekly Memo Submission

Please send your PDF's, jpegs, and text to

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By Thursday @ 12 p.m.

Meetings and Trainings

May 22 —Monday

- 8:00-9:00 PXT Meeting, Library
- 10:30-2:00 Health Check-in, Library

May 23 —Tuesday

- 9:30-12:00 Training with Mary Foltz, Off-site

May 24 —Wednesday

- 9:00-10:00 New SM Cohort, Virtual
- 10:00-11:00 Hands On CPR & AED Practice, Blue Building Conf. Rm.
- 1:00-2:00 NEP, Library

May 25 —Thursday

- 8:30-9:30 Health Dept. Meeting, Library

May 26 —Friday

- 9:00-10:15 0-5 Fall New TA Cohort Make Up (in person), Blue Building Conf. Rm.
- 9:00-10:15 0-5 Fall New TEACHER Cohort Make Up, Library
- 10:30-11:30 0-5 Winter New Teacher/TA Cohort Make Up (in person), Blue Building Conf. Rm.
- 12:45-2:30 CPR Hands On Training, Blue Building Conf. Rm.
- 2:00-2:30 Shared Family Staffings: DUE

ABC-B PMI BUZZING INTO the Summer!

Our friends from the PMI class, were excited to welcome a presenter from The Oregon Bee Project. She brought different kind of activities for children to learn all about the bee's work. Children got to dance, look at some amazing images of bees in action, wear the special gear bee keepers wear and lastly children got to try some honey./ Nuestros amigos de la clase PMI estaban emocionados de dar la bienvenida a una presentadora de The Oregon Bee Project. Ella trajo diferentes tipos de actividades para que los niños aprendieran todo sobre el trabajo de las abejas. Los niños bailaron, miraron algunas imágenes asombrosas de las abejas en acción, usaron el equipo especial que usan los apicultores y por último, los niños probaron un poco de miel.



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Then, families were invited to celebrate with their children by doing some activities like: making crowns, designing a bracelet, taking a picture and framing it, and decorating windsocks. / Luego, se invitó a las familias a celebrar con sus hijos realizando algunas actividades como: hacer coronas, diseñar un brazalete, tomarse una foto y enmarcarla, y decorar mangas de viento.



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Lastly, our amazing team of cooks put together an amazing snack for our families and children to enjoy. CACFP approved pumpkin muffins, watermelon cut into flower shapes, milk and water. *Thank you cooking team for going above and beyond on putting together with such detail an amazing snack. /Por último, nuestro increíble equipo de cocineros preparó un refrigerio increíble para que disfruten nuestras familias y niños. Muffins de calabaza aprobados por CACFP, sandía cortada en forma de flor, leche y agua. *Gracias al equipo de cocina por hacer todo lo posible para preparar con tanto detalle un bocadillo increíble.



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To the teaching Team in PMI class (David, Monse and Sandy), you are all so amazing. Thank you for making this day the best for our children and for all the hard work you have put during this year to make our children happy! Thank you so much. /Para el equipo docente de la clase PMI, todos ustedes son increíbles. ¡Gracias por hacer de este día el mejor para nuestros niños y por todo el trabajo duro que han puesto durante este año para hacer felices a nuestros niños! Muchas gracias.



EHS Cave Junction Spring Family Day

We enjoyed our outdoor play space together.
We had a yummy picnic lunch, planted
strawberries, and made plant markers.



Submitted by: Nalita Baumbach

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The Merlin Parade

On Saturday, May 6, the Merlin Head Start Center participated in the Merlin parade. The theme was "It' gonna to be a Dog-Gone Good Time". The center team, families, and children all worked very hard for several weeks to create a pet store themed float, and parent volunteers painted the children's faces. We had a wonderful day as we celebrated our community and our wonderful agency. I want to give a huge shout out and thank you to the Merlin Head Start staff, parents, and children for creating such a incredible float.

It was a doggone good time!



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Mercy Flight's Visit to Progress

We had a special visit from our friends, McKenna and Robert, from Mercy Flights for an ambulance tour. Each child was able to get inside and look at *all* of the paramedic tools, then ask questions about what each thing is/does. Thank you Mercy Flights!



Submitted by: Heather Kent

COOK ACTIVITY at Progress!

Last month at Progress, our cook assist, Ana Tovar, was able to get into the classrooms and make tortillas from scratch! Each child helped to mix the ingredients and watched as Ana showed them how to flatten the dough into a tortilla. We ate our homemade tortillas with some fresh salsa!



Submitted by: Heather Kent

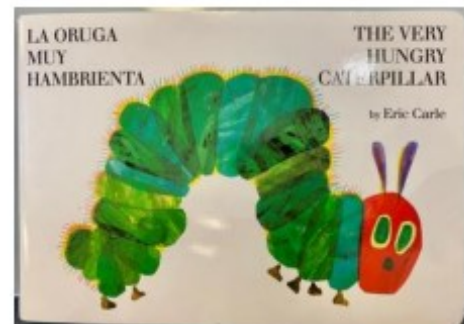
Butterfly Releasing at Patrick



17 Families (10 Adults and 37 children) On April 6, LISTO hosted a delightful reading and crafting afternoon at the YMCA's Roberts Road Facility. We kicked off the event by reading Eric Carle's "La Oruga Muy Hambrienta/The Very Hungry Caterpillar." After the story and a little dancing, we had some snacks. Families enjoyed creating their own felt story board and getting to know each other! Many of our staff wore costumes!



Some of the LISTO Family Literacy Team on hand for the preschool event held at the Roberts Road YMCA.



The talented LISTO staff who took the lead on this magical event.

Left to right...

- Marisol Rodriguez – aka La Monarcha Maravillosa
- Fabiola Reyes – aka – Faby Fly la Mariposa Fabulosa
- Rosa Torres-Paz – La Mariposa Poderosa

Best super heroes ever!





Maestra Fabiola has everyone's attention!



Teacher Assistant Rosa La Mariposa Poderosa (the Mighty Butterfly) gets our little orugas (caterpillars) moving.



LISTO Program Director Patty Gutiérrez and an inspired young participant. Check out this little lady's butterfly shirt!



Everyone is in creative mode making their own felt storyboards!



Now each family has their own story board so they can create new adventures for the hungry caterpillar at home!



Some of the beautiful families who are part of the LISTO Family Literacy Program. Many thanks to all who support these wonderful people who are so committed to learning together as families.



Each participating family received their own copy of the book!



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Family Literacy Program