



# Arbor Springs Elementary

May 2009



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- 1 - Spring Fling 5 - 8 pm
- 8 - **4<sup>th</sup> Grade Wax Museum**
- 25 - **Memorial Day (Holiday)**
- 29 - **Last day of school**

### ATTENTION PARENTS OF 5<sup>th</sup> GRADERS:

All rising 6<sup>th</sup> graders must have the current Georgia form 3231 showing that the new immunization requirements have been met. If you have any questions about this, please call Nurse Rebecca right away.

### YEAR END CELEBRATIONS PROGRAMS

#### SCHEDULE

- Thursday, May 14 - Pre-K program - 9:30 a.m.
- Tuesday, May 19 - Kindergarten program - 6:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, May 27 - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade - 8:30 a.m.  
4<sup>th</sup> grade - 10:15 a.m.
- Thursday, May 28 - 1<sup>st</sup> grade - 8:30 a.m.  
3<sup>rd</sup> grade - 10:15 a.m.
- Friday, May 29 - 5<sup>th</sup> grade - 10:00 a.m.

### KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten registration for Arbor Springs is the week of May 11-15, at the Central Registration Center, 8:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. every day except Thursday, when the hours are 8:00 a.m. to 7 p.m. Please call for an appointment 770-254-5551.



Kindergarten registration for Brooks Elementary is the week of May 4-8, same location, same hours, and same phone number for appointments.



### DONUTS ARE COMING!!

Mark your calendars – Donuts Days are just around the corner –  
 Donuts with Moms – Friday, May 8 - 7:10 - 7:50 a.m.  
 Donuts with Dads - Friday, May 15 - 7:10 – 7:50 a.m.

### Classroom Pictures

There are a few classroom pictures remaining. They are \$12.00 each. Contact Julie Mosby at 770-463-5903 or [julie.mosby@cowetaschools.org](mailto:julie.mosby@cowetaschools.org) if you are interested in purchasing a picture of your child's class.

### IMPORTANT REMINDER FROM FOOD SERVICE

Please remember that no charges for meals will be allowed after Friday, May 1. Alternate lunches (sandwich and milk) will be offered for any children whose meal accounts are not paid in full. Please see Cornelia Landreau, Cafeteria Manager, if you have any questions about this.

### STUDENTS MOVING TO BROOKS

To all our wonderful kids who will move over to Brooks Elementary in August: We'll miss you terribly, but we know what great students you are and how lucky Brooks will be to have you there! Remember how much we love you, that we expect good things from you, and that we'll stay in touch so that we can hear about the good work you are doing and the great fun you are having at your new school!

**\*\*Golf Tournament has been rescheduled for September\*\***



### Help Arbor Springs win 10,000 Bonus Box Tops

Go to [www.boxtops4education.com/bus](http://www.boxtops4education.com/bus) between March 1 and May 31, 2009. Sign up to support our school – it's easy and FREE! Each new person who signs up gives our school another chance to win the 10,000 Bonus Box Tops.



### Nurse's Corner

I know you are tired of hearing about immunizations, but...please make sure your student is up to date on his/her shots. We all pop into the doctor's office for sick visits every now and then, when you do, just ask if your child is up to date with their immunizations. Of special importance are those students starting kindergarten and 6<sup>th</sup> grade. All kindergarten students will need a new Form 3300 (Hearing/Dental/Vision Form). The Form 3300 used for Pre-K is not acceptable for kindergarten. Some Pre-K students and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students do need additional immunizations before the next school year starts. If you have any questions, please call.

And last but not least...the H1N1 flu. We are diligently working to follow the protocols set before us by our District 4 Health Services and our local Health Department. Our best line of defense is **good** hand washing and covering our mouth when coughing and sneezing. If your concerned that your child may have flu like symptoms (fever, lethargy, lack of appetite, coughing, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, sore throat) please contact your doctor. Early detection is an important key to successful treatment. And as always, I am here to answer any questions and help in any way!!

Mrs. Rebecca



### Curriculum Spotlight

CRCT is over and we are gearing up for the end of the year activities. Beginning May 4<sup>th</sup>, students will be grouped differently for our Year-end Focus. This plan will replace Coweta's Summer School Focus Program.

All students that may be border line for passing the CRCT will receive Acceleration. This is intensive instruction in the core reading and math subject areas. All other students will receive Enrichment. These students will receive instruction to prepare and expose them to the upcoming grade level's curriculum.

We are expecting to receive CRCT scores by May 14<sup>th</sup>. All students in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade not meeting standards in reading and all students in 5<sup>th</sup> grade not meeting standards in reading and math will have the opportunity to retake the CRCT test during the last week of school.

The reading retake will be held on Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup> and the math retake will be held on Wednesday, May 27<sup>th</sup>. We are confident that all students did their best and are expecting excellent results. Thanks to all of the Arbor Springs's faculty, staff, parents and community family for everything that you do to make our students thrive and excel!

As always, if you have any questions, please call the office at 770 463-5903.

### PRE-REGISTRATION DATES SET FOR AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Parents who wish to pre-register their child for the Coweta County Schools After School Program for next school year may do so **May 4-8, 2009** at the elementary school which the child attends. Students that will attend Brooks Elementary may register at Arbor Springs, Canongate, Northside or Arnco-Sargent.

Times for registration are **3:30-5:45 P.M.** All registrations will be conducted with the ASP Site Coordinator in each school's cafeteria. To enroll you must pay a \$20.00 non-refundable registration fee for each child.

**ENROLLMENT IS LIMITED!**



### THANK YOU TO ALL!

As the year nears the end, we want to thank all our parents, grandparents, and other family and friends for all your support during this school year. It does take all of us to provide the very best education and growth experiences for these children, and we couldn't do it without

you. We hope you have a safe, restful and fun summer, and are already looking forward to the new school year starting in August.



### Tech Tips

Make sure that your wireless router is password protected.