# Specail Area Newsletter

#### Art

pril will be "crunch time" in the Art room and we couldn't be more excited about it! The students will be completing the last of their African Animal art projects and we will be putting the finishing touches on the student artwork that will be on display during Arts in the Park in May. Every student has a piece of art in the student art show and parents are welcome to visit the exhibit. This year we've used a variety of art materials and the students have grown in their artistic ability. The show is a perfect opportunity to see how much they have accomplished! Keep an eve out on our websites for more details about Arts in the Park, that is scheduled for Monday, May 7th, which will be our Kindergarten Night and Wednesday, May 9th, which will be the First Grade Night.

Mrs. Broaderick and Mrs. Sanchez

#### **Physical Education**

The month of April will be devoted to our Post-Testing for Presidential Fitness. This test will consist of five components; sit and reach, push-ups, sit-ups, shuttle run and ¼ mile run. We love to compare the Pre-Test to the Post-Test to see how our students have improved throughout the year. We will also be enjoying cooperative game activities, practicing our dance for Arts in the Park and going over summer safety with our students. As always we enjoy seeing your child 30 minutes each day keeping them active and engaged in fun activities.

Coach Carmichael, Coach Hicks and Coach Connor

## Spanish

HOLA! Throughout the month of April we will be working on school supplies and activities in Kindergarten. In first grade we will be preparing and practicing for an end of the year performance task. Students will do presentations about themselves for their classmates. We will also learn about the seasons and weather. Both grades will be working on Spanish songs for Arts in the Park.

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Spring

### Music

April is a busy month in the music room! The first grade is preparing for their end of year exam in music with fun games and short quizzes. I am so pleased with how much they have retained during the school year.

Both Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade are preparing for Arts in the Park, our final concert for the year. I am so lucky to now be teaching every student here at the Primary Center and I can't wait to show them off!

Ms. Fraser