



# Oriole Outlook

*CES: REACH FOR THE STARS!*

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*Orioles are Respectful, Responsible and Safe!*

**11:40 Dismissal  
Friday, May 24!**

## First Grade Author's Tea Is May 20

First grade students of Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Singleton will be able to share their literary works with their parents at the First Grade Author's Tea. Student's will have the opportunity to read their writings to their parents. The event will be in the CES Cafeteria beginning at 6:00 pm on Monday, May 20.

## Field Day Is Friday

CES will celebrate the end of school with the annual Field Day on the last day of school. Generously sponsored by the Parent Teacher organization, the event is a highlight for students and staff alike. Mr. Willis organizes the events and students from CHS will be on hand to help. Students should wear clothes appropriate for being outside all morning. Students may wear hats on Friday. A \$1 donation will be accepted. Proceeds will go to the Concordia Senior Center.

## Food 4 Kids Summer Program

Beginning in June, there will be a free community-wide program for free meals. This free volunteer-run program will provide lunch Monday through Thursday until school begins in August. Free meals for any children up to the age of 18 will be provided between 11:30 am until 12:30 pm at the Concordia Community Center. This is a program for every child in our community and the surrounding areas. Meals are sponsored by the Sweet Springs Community Food Pantry and the Central Missouri Food Bank.

Transportation from CES to Food 4 Kids (but not from) will be provided Monday through Thursday during Summer School.

### Reminders

Monday, May 20	Ride for the Wall/Oriole Strong 1st Grade Author's Tea-6 pm
Friday, May 24	11:40 am Dismissal-Last Day! Field Day/Hat Day
Monday, June 10	Summer School Begins
Friday, June 28	Summer School Ends
Friday, May 31	CHS Baseball Camp-8 am

## Last Days Of School Information

The end of the school year is rapidly approaching and there are many details of which parents and students should be aware. Here is a list of the most important things to keep in mind.

- All students will take a Reading placement test at the end of the year. Most students will not require extra Reading services during Summer School. Parents and students will be notified if further services are required.
- Grade Reports will be sent home with the students on Thursday, May 23.
- Parents are asked to make sure all meal balances are paid by May 23. If your student has a positive balance, we will roll that over to next year unless you request refund. Sixth grade students who have a positive balance will be refunded in cash.
- The last day of school for the year will be Friday, May 24. School will be dismissed at 11:40 that day. There will be no lunch served.
- Check with your students about library books that may be out. Pay for lost or damaged books.
- Preschool parents should make sure that all fees have been paid.
- If you would like to unsubscribe or change your Text Me Concordia text messaging service settings, log on using the link on our website and click Text Me Concordia. Just follow the instructions for unsubscribing, change or add numbers or set up email notifications.
- The [2013-14 Concordia R-2 Calendar](#) is available on our website.
- The School Supply List for 2013-14 will be available soon on our [website](#).
- All 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade (Junior High, too) basketball players and cheerleaders are required to have a current physical form on file to participate. Download the [form](#) from the Missouri State High School Activities Association website.