



Carl Sundahl Elementary School

# DOLPHIN DATELINE

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**April 29, 2009**

**Thursday, April 30, 2009**

8:45am-Rms. K1/19 to Zoo (Rm. 1 all early)  
Dazzling Dolphin Dessert Day

**May 4 – May 8, 2009**

Teacher Appreciation Week

**Wednesday, May 6, 2009**

9-11am – K1 to Fire Station (Rm. 1 all early)

**Wednesday, May 13, 2009**

8:30a-12p – Jump Rope for Heart



**JUMP ROPE FOR HEART**

A “heart healthy” thanks to everyone who was able to make a donation to the American Heart Association. Your thank you gifts should arrive right before the school year ends. Students need to turn in their permission slips in order to participate in the Jump Rope for Heart Event. There is no cost. The event date is Wednesday, May 13. Lastly, Mr. Morning is still in need of volunteers for the event. If you can help, please contact him at [kmorning@fcusd.org](mailto:kmorning@fcusd.org). The event begins at 8:30am and is completed around 11:45am.

Kindergarten Minimum Days

Friday, May 22 - Students all early (8:25-12:06)  
Thurs, May 28 - Students all early (8:25-12:06)

VOLUNTEER BREAKFAST

Please join the Sundahl Staff for a breakfast in your honor on Thursday, May 14 from 7:45 to 8:30am. It will be held in the multi purpose room. Please RSVP to Lisa Frazzetta, Parent Coordinator. Children will be supervised on the playground.

Donation of the Month

This month we have 2 donation items – band aids and disinfectant wipes for the desks. Please drop off donations in the school office. Thank you for your continued support.

**PTA GENERAL MEETING  
Monday, May 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm**

**Please join us for our last PTA General Meeting of the 2008-2009 school year. If you have ever considered chairing an event or have ideas for events you would like to see at Sundahl, please come and share them with the PTA Board. If you have any questions, please contact Kristin Rost at [kristonrost@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kristonrost@sbcglobal.net).**

**5<sup>th</sup> Annual FCUSD Track & Field Meet**

Participation forms are gradually being returned. They are due to Mr. Morning by Friday, May 1. Any student in grades 4, 5 & 6 can participate. There is no cost to participate in the meet. We are still looking for parents to participate in the 4x100 meter relays. If you are interested, please contact Mr. Morning at [kmorning@fcusd.org](mailto:kmorning@fcusd.org). Finally, Mr. Morning is in need of staging personnel for the meet. He needs 6 parents that can put kids in lanes for races that evening. Thank you.

**Attendance Winners**

Kindergarten – Ms. Lauck’s Class  
Primary – Mrs. Harris’ 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Class  
Intermediate – Ms. Walker’s 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Class

Please remember to call in to the school office when your student is absent – leave a message on the attendance voice mail. Thank you.

Dear Families,

As April winds to a close and I review Sundahl's calendar, I am amazed at all of the activities we have recently completed. (I am even more amazed at what we have coming up in May- be sure to check our website to keep current.) While we will be extending our thanks to our Sundahl volunteers at our upcoming Volunteer Breakfast in May, this Dateline offers the perfect opportunity to share some special thanks for recent activities.

Sundahl's PTA Talent Show, held on Thursday, April 2, 2009, under the direction of Kristie Matteoni and Denise Hackett, was worthy of its own television special! Our amazing Sundahl students danced, sang, and otherwise delighted not only the audience but each other. It was a true treat to watch. Thank you Kristie and Denise!

Dazzle Day, held on Saturday, April 18, under the organization of Tim Rost and our PTA, had numerous parents, students, siblings, and teachers, working hard to make our beautiful campus even more stunning. With Janet Young, 6<sup>th</sup> grade teacher, orchestrating the finishing touches of our Garden Grant purchases, our garden area is looking healthy and near completion. Thank you to all who attended and to Tim Rost for chairing this annual event.

The Foundation and Four Father Carnival, chaired by Kristen Metzinger, had Sundahl looking like a Carnival and raising enrichment funds for all Sundahl students. With the added expertise of teacher Susanna Clark as game coordinator, students had a wonderful afternoon of playing while parents had a chance to bid on Auction items. Watching the Four Fathers maneuver around the Life Lab as they fed hundreds of hungry families was amazing and entertaining. Thank you to Kristen and her committee for all of their hard work.

As our teachers and students bring a close to the 2008-9 testing schedule, our teachers will be revisiting student behavior in and out of class. We find that at this time of the year when students' thoughts venture more to summer behavior, therefore, forgetting that we still have a few months of school left. Our yard supervisors, teachers, and I are helping students to remember that recess behavior centers around safety and kindness. Thank you for taking a moment at home to help us reinforce our Sundahl School rules. They can be found in the front section of the student planner and in our student handbook for our K-2 students.

As always, please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. I can be reached at 989.9182 or [dchays@fcusd.org](mailto:dchays@fcusd.org).

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