



MAPLE CREEK HUSKIES Chronicle

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For the Week of April 29, 2024

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Monday 04/29	Tuesday 04/30	Wednesday 05/01	Thursday 05/02	Friday 05/03
Track Practice 3:00-4:00	Testing Grams Distribution CW Track Area Invite 9:00 - 2:00 (CW) Kindergarten Learning Club 11:30-12:00 (RM K2) ECL 2:45-3:30 (RM 3)	Early Release Day Kinder AM 7:55-10:40 Kinder PM 10:40-1:25 Early Dismissal Grades 1-6 8:00-1:15 1st Grade to Downing Planetarium at Fresno State 9:00-12:00	Robotics Applications Due Kindergarten Learning Club 11:30-12:00 (RM K2) iReady Pizza Lunch Tech Lab 12:30 Kick-Off Rally for State Testing 2:00 pm (Amphitheater) Track Practice 3:00-4:00 Indian Education Advisory Council 5:30-6:30 pm (PLC 8)	Week 4 Progress Reports go Home School Lunch Hero Day HOC Award All Six Pillars HOC Donut Party 8:15-9:15 (MPR) 1st Grade Lunch on the Lawn 11:30-12:00 (Amphitheater) Track Practice 3:00-4:00

LUNCH

Pepperoni Pizza Pocket Cheese-filled Breadsticks	Beef & Cheese Taco Stick Grilled Cheese	Chicken Patty Sandwich Soft Pretzel w/Cheese	Thai Chili Chicken Rice Bowl Bean & Cheese Burrito	Chicken Drumstick Cheesy Pull Apart Bread
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Upcoming Events

- 5/06/24 SART Meeting via Zoom
- 5/07/24 CW Area Track Championship
- 5/08/24 CUSD Board Meeting
- 5/08/24 Robotics Student Interviews
- 5/08/24 Talent Show Tryouts
- 5/09/24 Cheer Parent Info Meeting

PTC CORNER

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK
IS MAY 6-10. LOOK FOR A
LETTER COMING HOME FROM
YOUR PARENT OR CHECK IN
WITH THEM TO SEE HOW YOU
CAN HELP SPOIL YOUR
CHILD'S TEACHER. MAPLE
CREEK TEACHERS ARE THE
BEST!!



Positivity Project

Leadership

You value each member of
your group and inspire
people to do their best.

“When the world is silent, even one
voice becomes powerful... Let us
remember: one book, one pen, one
child, and one teacher can change the
world.”

~ Malala Yousafzai



THE
POSITIVITY
PROJECT

Cultural Corner

Cinco de Mayo

On May 5 Mexicans and Mexican Americans in the United States celebrate Cinco de Mayo. Cinco de Mayo commemorates the Battle of Puebla which was fought in Mexico on May 5, 1862 between the Mexican Army and the French Army. It is seen as a victory that gave the Mexican people the confidence they needed to keep fighting. They finally forced the French out of Mexico in 1867. People celebrate Cinco de Mayo by eating traditional Mexican food and listening to Mexican music.

Many people believe that May 5 celebrates Mexican Independence Day. Mexican Independence Day is in September. On May 5, 1862, in the Battle of Puebla, Mexican General Ignacio Zaragoza defeated the invading French forces of Napoleon III. It was a battle in which a small Mexican army fought and defeated a large French army. It is thought that this victory marked the beginning of the end of foreign control of Mexico because the people were encouraged by this victory to continue their fight for independence.

Many cities hold street fairs or fiestas on Cinco de Mayo. There are parades, speeches, folk dancing (folkloric) and mariachi music. Food such as enchiladas, frijoles (beans), tamales, and churros are eaten. Children wear a blindfold and try to break a paper-mache figure called a piñata with a stick. The piñata is filled with candy. When it breaks open all of the children scramble on the ground collecting the fallen candy.

