

The Murdock Weekly

A Quick Look at the Week Ahead

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Week at a Glance

- 4/7 Monday • Spring Break – No School
- 4/8 Tuesday • Spring Break
- 4/9 Wednesday • Spring Break
- 4/10 Thursday • Spring Break
- 4/11 Friday • Spring Break

Looking Ahead...

- 4/14
- 4/15 • 7:25 – 7:50am School Store (K – 2)
- 4/16 • 7:25 – 7:50am School Store (3 – 5)
• Spirit Day/Pizza Night
• Skating Party
- 4/17 • 6:15pm Kindergarten Sneak-a-Peek night
- 4/18 • WaMu Savings
• MBC
• Placement letter deadline



For the week of March 24th: **HOT, HOT, HOT classes** (0 absences, 0 tardies) – K – none; 1 – D. Moore; 2 – none; 3 – Trembley; 4 – none; 5 – none. **HOT classes** (0 tardies) – K – none; 1 – J. Smith, Reibel, Hawkins; 2 – Greenwald; 3 – Pitters; 4 – Kvenild; 5 – Dobos, Thornton, Van Nimwegen.

Word of the Week! Perseverance
– Working hard without giving up.

Parent Checklist

- ✓ Spring Break – HAVE FUN!
- ✓ Placement form deadline is April 18th!
- ✓ Remember your lunch money!

FYI

❖ There will be a Town Hall Meeting on **School Lunch and Nutritional Challenges in the Educational Environment** - Thursday, April 17, 7:00pm, Sope Creek Elementary Cafeteria. Don't miss this opportunity to learn from experts on these topics! Bring your questions, concerns, and opinions. Let's share our ideas on how we can work together for positive changes!

❖ Just one chance left! The final Birthday Book Club celebration will take place in the Media Center before school starts on Monday, April 21st. If you are interested in donating a book to the media center in honor of your child's birthday (no matter when it is!) or to honor a teacher or staff member, just download the form off the Murdock PTA website or find them outside the front office and send it in with your check for \$12 as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please contact Sharon Melcher at 770-509-1456 or Sharon@melch.net.

❖ **Grounds and Environmental News**
You can become a GECKO (Grounds & Environmental Clean-up Kids Organization) at any time. Please fill out the permission slip and send it in (extra ones are on the wall outside the front office). We welcome all interested 3rd, 4th and 5th graders. The next meeting is April 21 from 2:30-3:30.

Mark your calendar Spring Clean-up Day is Saturday, April 26 at 9:00am. Joining the Murdock families will be Johnson Ferry Church members in their Community Outreach Day. Questions Contact Donna Sprecher 770-973-1975, djsprecher@earthlink.net

❖ Jump Start Your Child's Musical Future!
What: Pope H.S. Tri-M Music Honors Society musical petting zoo and instrument consignment sale
• When: Saturday, April 19th 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.
• Where: Pope H.S. Gym
• Why: To buy previously played musical instruments* at lower prices than music stores to start your child's musical career. Bonus: experienced high school musicians will be present to answer questions and to test instruments.
* Instruments sold as is

❖ Join us for Summer Swim League! The Post Oak Blue Dolphins summer swim team wants you to come and join the fun! The summer swim team season runs from mid-May through the end of June, and our meets will be on Monday nights. Registration Info: When: Saturday, April 19, 2008, Where: Post Oak Pool on Post Oak Tritt Road, Time: 9:00am to 12:00 noon, Cost: PORA Members: 1 child \$65.00/2 children \$110.00/3 children \$115.00, Non-Members: 1 child \$100.00/2 children \$165.00/3 children \$175.00 *Children must be able to swim a lap of the pool without touching the bottom or sides. For any questions about the team or registration, please email Shannon Holst at holstt@bellsouth.net or call at 770-973-8628.