Dear Acres Green Families,

We had a wonderful time celebrating Carol Kendall at her retirement open house. Guests were able to share how much her work has meant to them. Carol has created a science program at Acres Green that is unmatched. It was great to stop and take a minute to celebrate her and the impact she has had on all of us. We are so thankful for all she has done for our staff and students. We are sad to see her go, but wish her well on her next adventures. Those adventures, of course, include science!
Michele Buntin and Marilou Berg!

2017 Certified and Classified Apple Award Nominees from Acres Green!

We are proud to announce our ESL teacher, Mrs. Buntin who was a top ten finalist for the award!
Learning Commons

We have had a great year in the Learning Commons! As the school year comes to a close, please make sure to return all library books. Our last AR party of the school year will be on Friday, May 19th. In order to participate, students must meet their AR goal AND have all library books returned or paid for.

We are looking forward to the 2017-2018 school year and are already starting to plan. If, over the summer, you come across any of the following items, we would be happy to add them to our MakerSpace.

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Summer Reading Challenge For 3rd-6th Graders

Reading is such an important thing for kids to do, even over the summer! In order to encourage our 3rd through 6th graders to read this summer, we are having a challenge! Dive in to reading the 2018 Colorado Children’s Book Award Nominees over the summer. If your child reads three or more books, they will receive a prize when school starts in August. If your child reads all ten books, they will receive an extra special prize. To show us that they have completed this challenge, students will be asked to take an AR test on each book that they have read.

A Night Divided by Jennifer A. Nielsen
Ghosts by Raina Telgemeier
Journey through Ash and Smoke (Ranger in Time) by Kate Messner and Kelley McMorris
Kid Owner by Tim Green
Rain Reign by Ann M. Martin
Save Me a Seat by Sarah Weeks and Gita Varadarajan
The Bad Guys by Aaron Blabey
The Last Kids on Earth by Max Brallier and Douglas Holgate
Took: A Ghost Story by Mary Downing Hahn
Upside-Down Magic by Sara Mlynowski, Lauren Myracle, and Emily Jenkins

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Running Club

Running Club is a program at Acres Green which is run by volunteer mentors through Kids Running America. Mrs. O’Neill and Mrs. Nuttall have been running the club for 4 years and Mrs. Crespin and Mrs. Wanstrath have been mentors for 1 year. Running Club is a program that takes place for 10 weeks in the Fall and 10 weeks in the Spring for grades 2 – 6. We meet on Tuesday and Thursday of each week from 3:30pm - 4:15pm. Runners have two different programs that they can sign up for. The first and most popular program is the Marathon 26.2 miles. Runners will run 25:2 miles over the 10 weeks and then run their final mile with all the other schools participating (usually a few hundred children) in Washington Park to receive their completion medal and t-Shirt. The second program is the Ultra 100 miles. Runners will run 99 miles over several weeks in their own time and then join us for the last 10 weeks and the final mile at Washington Park. We are proud to say that Acres Green had the most runners in the Ultra Marathon this Spring. Information about Running Club for the Fall season will go out to families immediately after Summer Break.
6th Grade Hexathlon

Our sixth grade students at Acres Green had the opportunity to compete in an Hexathlon event that was held at Echo Park Stadium in Parker. Our training for the event started right after spring break. The event allows 10 boys and 10 girls to compete in a track and field like atmosphere. There were nine other Highlands Ranch elementary feeder schools that were at the event.

Our boys and girls competed in several events. The events included the 4x100 meter relay, 100 meter dash, softball throw, long jump, 4x400 meter relay, and a school vs. school tug-of-war.

Our boys and girls did an amazing job at all six events. We would like to recognize all the boys and girls that were a part of our team.

**Girls**

Gabrielle Laquindanum  
Kelly Osorio Rios  
Kaylee Pieper  
Evelyn Wardell  
Rylie Cullinan  
Lauren Markwell  
Cameron Cheney  
Carly Bjorklund  
Addison Reis  
Jenni Burroughs

**Boys**

Aidan Stasiak  
Lucas Witte  
Dylan Bundy  
Jackson Kincaid  
Adam Berg  
Kevin Araujo  
Trevor Johns  
Ben Peller  
Jameson Collins Oster

Great job, 6th Grade Hex Team!
From the Healthroom

Parents if your students have medications of any kind here they will need to be picked up preferably the afternoon of May 24th but no later than May 26th. Medications that are not signed out by the parent(s) have to be disposed of per District policy.

Lost and Found

Please stop by and look through the Lost and Found, we have coats, hats, lunch boxes and water bottles galore. Any items that are not claimed by May 26th will be bagged up and donated to ARC. Items that are labeled will be returned to their owners.

Volunteers, we appreciate you!

We would like to thank you for all you do.

Please come to breakfast
Where: Acres Green Elementary (cafeteria)
When: May 18th at 7:45 am
**B.A.S.E. Summer Schedule**

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<td>Baseball! $Rockies Game @ 1:10 pm</td>
<td>$Nickel-A-Play Arcade 10:00 am – 1:00 pm</td>
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<td>Benjamin Franklin Pool*</td>
<td>Jump! Jump street 11:30 am – 2:30 pm</td>
<td>Casa Bonita * Lunch provided 10:30 am – 2:30 pm</td>
<td>Movie &amp; Pajama Day @ AGE Video game truck Pillow fort building!</td>
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<td>Walking trip to “Cars 3” – UA Meadows Stadium</td>
<td>Swimming @ Apex 11:30 am – 3:30 pm</td>
<td>Run! LaserQuest 10:00 am – 2:00 pm</td>
<td>$Rocksboro State Park &amp; Sonic Drive-In * Lunch provided 9:00 am – 3:00 pm</td>
<td>Firefighters @ AGE &amp; Sweetwater Park 10:30 am – 3:30 pm</td>
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<td>Paradise Island Swim Park*</td>
<td>Skate! $Skate City 11:30 am – 2:30 pm</td>
<td>Colorado History Museum 11:00 am – 3:00 pm</td>
<td>Rob the Magician! @ AGE 1:30 – 3:30</td>
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Cost: $40 per day, per child

Schedules are due Wednesday the week before care to ensure a spot.

**REMEMBER:**
- Water bottle + sunscreen, daily!
- A lunch (*unless otherwise noted), $ denotes spending money from home is allowed
- Arrive 30 minutes before field trip departure, field trip departures and returns are listed.
Here is next year’s calendar!

2016-2017 Conventional Calendar

KEY:
- No School/District Closed
  - Holidays
  - Full Week - Oct 10-14, 2016
  - Winter Break - Dec 19, 2016-Jan 2, 2017
  - Spring Break - Mar 26-28, 2017
  - Comp Days - Mar 23, 2016 & Apr 21, 2017
- No Students/Teachers Only
  - Aug 1 - New Teacher Orientation
  - Aug 4 - Teacher work day
  - Aug 5 - Professional Development
  - Sep 23 - Professional Development
  - Oct 7 - Teacher work day
  - Nov 8 - Professional Development

- SCHOOL IN SESSION

Approval by the Board of Education Nov 13, 2014
YOUR ADVENTURE AWAITS
REGISTRATION FOR SUMMER CAMP OPENS DECEMBER 8TH
WWW.STONECANYONEDGE.ORG/SUMMERCAMP

SESSION 1: JUNE 18 – JUNE 24
SESSION 2: JUNE 25 – JULY 1
SESSION 3: JULY 2 – JULY 8
SESSION 4: JULY 9 – JULY 15

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LARKSPUR, CO 80118
Order by June 7 for BEST pricing! Last chance to order is July 22.

Acres Green Elementary offers the EduKit program as a convenient option for busy families to order school supply kits for the 2017/2018 year.

EduKits are custom made to include the supplies selected and approved by our school.

Order by June 7 for the BEST pricing and FREE shipping. To order, there are two simple options.

1. Go to www.edukitinc.com. For online purchases, a confirmation will be emailed to you after your order has been placed.
2. Complete the order form below and return it to the school by May 24 with a check made payable to Acres Green PTO.

Your child’s EduKit will be in the classroom on the first day of school. A complete list of items included in each kit can be downloaded from Acres Green ordering page at www.edukitinc.com.

Please consider making a donation to help support deserving students in our school community.

Extended online ordering is available through EduKit’s Last Chance program from June 8 – July 22. Last Chance orders are subject to an additional fee and will be delivered to your home shortly before school begins.

Trish Constable, trishconstable@yahoo.com

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR ORDERING
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**ITEMS SOLD SEPARATELY**

| Water Bottle – required for grades Kindergarten - 2 | $3 | | | $ |
| Headphones - Required for all students K – 5 (not Discovery), 6th-2 sets, Earbuds are an option for 5th, 6th-2 sets. | $10 | | | $ |
| Earbuds – Required for 5th and 6th (2 sets) and all Discovery. Or headphones are option for 5th, 6th-2 sets. | $10 | | | $ |
| 2 GB Flash Drive – required for Discovery 5/6 | $7 | | | $ |
| 1” Binder – required for new Discovery students for Chinese | $3 | | | $ |
| 1” White View Binder – required of new students to Acres Green for Leadership | $3 | | | $ |
| Small Countertop 3 Drawer Organizer – required for new Discovery students | $8 | | | $ |

**DONATIONS**

I would like to donate $10 to cover the average cost of a kit for an Acres Green student in need $ |

Donate an amount of your choosing towards a kit for an Acres Green child $ |

*Prices are valid for orders placed by 6/7/17*