Hancock Elementary School

"Rooted in Community, Reaching for the Stars"

Good Afternoon Husky Families!

As we approach the end of this unprecedented school year, I hope you are able to see the proverbial "light at the end of the tunnel". While we won't be able to celebrate the end of the year the way that we usually do, teachers are working to help children have a sense of closure over the next two weeks.

One of the fun events the elementary PE/Health teachers are planning is a Virtual Field Day on Wednesday, May 27. All children will be receiving a packet with instructions for the Virtual Field Day events. We hope that as many children as possible will participate in Field Day and send in pictures so we can create an end of the year slideshow. All of the instructions for submitting pictures will be in the Virtual Field Day packet.

Here are the plans for our end of the year celebration:

Thursday, May 21st at 2pm All School ZOOM Assembly

We will celebrate May, June, July and August Birthdays!

Thursday, May 28th 1:00 4th Grade Moving Up ZOOM Ceremony

Typically, all students participate in the event. In order to keep the event as intimate as possible, only fourth grade families will participate.

Friday, May 29th at 1:30 HES student parade

On Friday, the staff of Hancock Elementary School will be lined up and down the school entrance and parking lot - following social distance guidelines. Families are invited to **drive** through the parking lot so that we can offer our best wishes to all and give virtual hugs to our wonderful community! It is imperative that families not walk or bike through the parking lot for the safety of all participating.

A few housekeeping items:

- There is no school on Monday May 25th for Memorial Day
- Report cards will be mailed home on June 1.

• A schedule will be coming out next week to coordinate the pick up of any remaining student belongings and the return of district supplies.

<u>Here</u> is an article that appeared in the Monadnock Ledger-Transcript entitled <u>Parent Wise: Do the job you can, not the job you can't.</u>

Have a wonderful weekend. Enjoy the warm weather.

Best,

Amy