

March 2020

Dos Rios School

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2.	3.	4. Early Release	5.	6. Early Release
Fruit Brkfst Bar	Pumpkin Bread	Egg & Cheese Bun		Berry French Toast
Apple Juice	Fruit Juice	Grape Juice	Manager's Choice	Orange Juice
Chewy Craisins	Mandarin Oranges	Sliced Apples	55	Cinn Applesauce
BBQ Rib Sandwich	Beef Soft Taco	Mac & Cheese	Beef & Bean Burrito	ABC Nuggets
French Fry	Spicy Pinto Beans	Broccoli Florets	Chuckwagon Corn	Read to Me Fries
Fruit & Vegetable Bar	Book Veggies			
				Fresh Fruit
9.	10.	11.	12.	13.
	SPRING		BREAK	
16.	17.	18. Early Release	19.	20.
Maple Brkfst Bar	Cinn Mini Bagel	Pancake Sandwich	Raspberry Yogurt	BBerry Pancake
Apple Juice	Grape Juice	Fruit Juice	Scooby Grahams	CranRasp Juice
Chewy Craisins	Sliced Apples	Peach Bowl	Orange Juice	Cinn Applesauce
			Fresh Grapes	
Corn Dog	Cheese Enchiladas	Hamburger	Beef Meatloaf	Deep Dish Pizza
Tater Tots	Refried Beans	French Fry	Mashed Potatoes	Green Salad Mix
Baked Beans	Fruit & Vegetable Bar	Fruit & Vegetable Bar	Fruit & Vegetable Bar	Fresh Veggies
Orange Wedges				Pineapple Chunks
23.	24.	25. Early Release	26.	27.
Cereal Bar	Blueberry Muffin	Oatmeal Bar	Coffee Cake	Pancake Stick
Grape Juice	Cheese Stick	CranRasp Juice	Apple Juice	Orange Juice
Cherry Applesauce	Fruit Juice	Fresh Grapes	Pear Fruit Bowl	Chewy Craisins
	Sliced Apples			
Chicken Sandwich	Crunchy Tacos	Asian Chicken	Cheeseburger Mac	Chicken Burrito
Potato Wedges	Spicy Pinto Beans	Stir Fry Veggies	Green Beans	Chuckwagon Corn
Fruit & Vegetable Bar	Mix Veg Cup			
				Fresh Pear or Apple
30.	31.	April 1st	2.	3.
Crunchmania	Cinn Mini Apple	Egg Cheese Wrap	Choc O	Strawberry Yogurt
Fruit Juice	Apple Juice	Orange Juice	Jack Cheese Stick	Graham Sticks
Pear Fruit Bowl	Fresh Grapes	Chewy Craisins	CranRasp Juice	Grape Juice
			Sliced Apples	Mandarin Oranges
Sloppy Jo on Bun	Cheese Nachos	Meatball Sub	Grilled Cheese	Pepperoni Pizza
French Fry	Pinto Beans	Pasta Salad	Smile Potatoes	Green Salad Mix
Fruit & Vegetable Bar	Fresh Veggies			
				Pineapple Chunks

Substitute menus are sometimes necessary; we offer 1% white and non-fat flavored milks at meal service.



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Read Across American Day-Friday, March 6th

Read Across America Day is a nationwide reading celebration that takes place annually on Dr. Seuss's birthday. Across the country, thousands of schools, libraries, and community centers participate by bringing together kids, teens, and books. Union District will have volunteers reading to kids the week of March 2-6. I will be at Dos Rios and Hurley reading my favorite books to classrooms.



Food service has a book themed lunch for Friday, March 6th. It's also lucky tray day, we have some things to give away.



Johnny Appleseed



You might have heard of the legend of Johnny Appleseed, the man who supposedly randomly planted apple trees all over the United states in the early 1800's. John Chapman was born in 1774, at age 18 he left the family to become an apprentice nurseryman. John learned the trade of growing tree and plants. He slowly moved from Massachusetts, down through Pennsylvania, Washington DC, Virginia, into Ohio and Indiana. John would plant apple seeds behind fenced areas (nurseries), returning about once a year to check on the plants. This is how he became known as Johnny Appleseed. John would have a nearby farmer, sell the young trees to farmers heading west. At the time heading west was into Michigan, Indiana, and Minnesota.

John Chapman was a very religious man, keeping his life very simply. He wore tattered clothes, usually went barefoot even into the winter months. Story tells that once he meet a farmer who had an injured horse that could no longer work, the farmer was going to have to put the horse down. John bought the horse, then bought some land nearby, letting the horse loose to eat and recuperate from an injury. When he returned 6 months later the horse was alive, healed and walking normally again. John then gave the horse to a family in need.

I am so glad that John Chapman got interested in growing apples and started apple tree nurseries. One of my favorite fruits is apples, we have so many varieties to choose from. Older varieties that we eat often are Red and Golden Delicious, now I love HoneyCrisp, Tango, Opal, Envy and Pink Lady's. Worldwide over 7400 varieties of apples are grown, it would take you over 20 years to eat 1 apple of each kind.

It is Spring Time in Phoenix

Do you like baseball? My family are huge baseball fans, we love to go yell at High School games and cheer for Major League Games. My cousins get a copy of Spring Training schedule and plan when they are coming to visit. If they can arrange to come on days with night games, they can watch 4 games in a 2 day period. For 4 weeks each March, my house is popular with my cousins visiting and Baseball. I grew up as a Dodger fan, now we have switched allegiance to our Diamondbacks. I am counting the days until I can go to a few games.

We have a week off school for Spring Break this month. Yeah! I hope that you all some exciting plans. Vacation to California? Attend Spring Training games, do something fun.

Stay safe, healthy, and read a book in your spare time.