



May

The theme this month is "Best of". We will be finishing the year with some of our favorite activities, including:

Field Trips This Month

Our last field trip of the year will be to the Planetarium on Wednesday May 10th. We will leave at 2:30 and return by 5:30. As usual, we will have a stay back option.

Last Day of School

May 25th School will be dismissed early. Please send your child with a lunch. May 26th Children's Choice will be open 7-6 pm at Georgia O'Keeffe.

Remember to pack a lunch on all full days!

April Community Service Projects

In April, we had two community service projects. Kylie has been collecting donations for the UNM Children's Hospital and on May 6 she will shave her head in support of the Cancer Center.

The Older Kids Club has been collecting clothes for Big Brothers/Big Sisters. Each pound of clothes donated will earn Big Brothers/Big Sisters \$.20. The money earned from the donations will pay for sports equipment. The kids are very excited about their work. Here are some of the letters some of the 4th and 5th graders wrote explaining the clothes drive:

Hello, my name is Heather. Today I want to talk to you about Big Brother Big Sister. There are many kids that can't afford equipment because they don't have enough money so we decided to do a fundraiser.

Hi, my name is Brooke. I think it is important because everyone should be able to have fun. I also think it's important because I love helping people and every person should at least need help.

Hi, my name is Gabriella. I wanted to talk to you about how some kids don't have equipment because they don't have the money so we are doing a fundraiser. I think this is a great way to help others because [then]you know all about helping people.

Hi, my name is Amaya. Children's Choice is doing a donation box for kids our age that can't afford sports equipment, so we decided to make a donation to those kids. Every pound of clothing we get we get 20 cents to that donation. Helping out these kids would make them happy and Children's Choice happy.

Hi, my name is Savannah. I wanted to tell you that some kids can't do sports or can't afford any equipment for sports. If you bring a piece of clothing it would help our donation for kids who can't afford things. Every pound is 20 cents. I feel that you should help because it would be helpful so donate to Big Brother/ Big Sister.



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Reminders: Don't forget to check the lost and found for any missing items!

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