



2019

Manzano Mesa Newsletter

Important Dates

- Ongoing in February – Older Kids’ Club Canned Food Drive
- CQI Meeting – Thursday, February 7th @5:30 pm.
- Field Trips:
 - February 13th Bowling @Silva Lanes 1:30 – 4 pm
 - February 27th Albuquerque ZOO 1:30 – 4 pm
- Monday, February 18th – President’s Day
 - No school – CC Open 7 am – 6 pm @Bandelier

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Older Kid News



Older Kids’ Club has been looking for ways that they can make a difference in, and help members of, our community. As a result they decided to collect canned, and other non-perishable, food items for the Manzano Mesa Backpack Program. Please consider assisting

them in their efforts by making a donation of non-perishable food any time in the month of February.

Items recommended for this include (but are not limited to): Macaroni & Cheese, pastas, peanut butter, canned soups, and any other non-perishable food item that can be easily prepared and served with minimal ingredients.



Helpful Information

Site Phone: 974-9321

Office Phone: 296-2880

Site Email: ManzanoMesa@Childrens-Choice.org

Financial Assistance Available: 841- 4800



Joke of the month

**Q. What flower gives the most kisses on Valentines Day?
A. Tulips.**



Meet Our Newest Staff Members

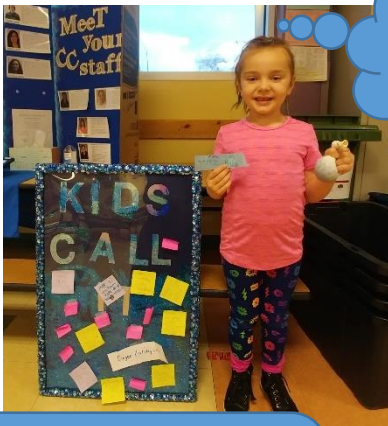


Leticia
&
Makenzie



KIDS CALL IT at Children's Choice

Hopefully you have seen our new KIDS CALL IT Board on the Parent Table. We are using this board, created by our own Older Kids Club, to get a better idea of what the kids want to do in our program. Kids now have more input into what we do (and don't always have to wait as long now) – it is a win for everyone. Alyvia recently asked to make "Stress Balls." Since we already had all the needed supplies for this activity we were able to make it happen right away. This activity came to be known as Sea Turtle Egg Stress Balls because many of our kids have been fascinated with, and loving on, our newest (stuffed) friend, George the Sea Turtle.



I want to make Stress Balls!!!



"OH NO!!! It went into MY MOUTH!!!"

"These can be GEORGE'S EGGS!!!"

It would be AWESOME if you could put a paint-filled cup and put it in those. Then it would be painted.



They put jell-o, fish eggs, and some kind of chemical together to make Orbies.



I am gonna name mine 'SQUISHY'!!!

