

SOMBRA DEL MONTE CHRONICLE

MAY 6TH – MAY 17TH



Monday 5/6	Tuesday 5/7	Wednesday 5/8	Thursday 5/9	Friday 5/10
Water Day 1  MAKE UP CLUB 	Water Day 2 MAKE UP CLUB	FIELD TRIP: Hiking at Elena Gallegos  Leave Sombra: 2:45 pm Return by: 5:45 pm	FIELD TRIP:  Skate -O- Mania Leave Sombra: 3:00 pm Return by: 5:30 pm	<i>Foodie Friday:</i> Chocolate Covered Strawberries 

Monday 5/13	Tuesday 5/14	Wednesday 5/15	Thursday 5/16	Friday 5/17
Crochet All Day 	Basketball 	Kickball 	PRESS ON NAILS 	<i>Foodie Friday:</i> Sushi 

Coffee Stand Week



Helpful Information

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Really Important Reminders

- We have two upcoming field trips: May 8th and 9th – both are optional; we *WILL* have stayback groups.
- It is time again for our Coffee Stand Week! The kids will be making fancy drinks to sell during afternoon program. Drinks will be \$1-\$3 (and decaf only). All profit will be donated to the animal shelter!
- Summer registration is *completely full* at every site. If you need childcare this summer, please email welcome@childrens-choice.org to get on the waitlist.
- If you know your *child(ren)* will be *absent* from program, give us a **call or text** to let us know. **EVEN IF** you call the school, we still need a message too!
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Hey, Jeryn!



“My name is Jeryn, and I am 92, in fifth grade. I got held back a little.”

“The scariest thing that has ever happened to me was that me and my friend Julianna were trick or treating, and we went to a house, and it had a scarecrow holding the candy. I poked it to see if it was alive, and it wasn’t, so I went to grab a candy, and it jumped up at me. I screamed!”

“I was dressed up as Barbie and Julianna was dressed up as Stitch, and we went to a Trunk or Treat at a church before we went trick or treating.”



DIY Bouncy Balls



How to Make Your Own Bouncy (ish) Balls:
Step 1: Pour glue into a bowl...

“Soooo satisfying.” Eli, 11

Step 2: Mix in Borax...

“It looks like you took water, melted it, and poured it in.”

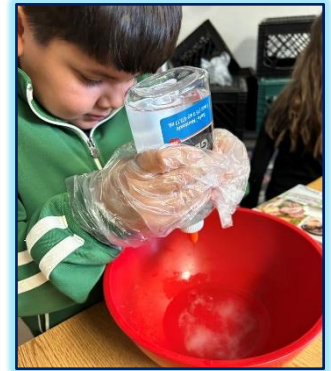
Sadie, 8

Step 3: Admire your mixture...

“The clear one looks like a slushie.” Annette, 8

Step 4: Put on gloves, grab a chunk of your mixture, start rolling it around in your hands to form your bouncy ball shape – if it looks weird at first, keep trying!

“Mine is getting better! My hands are magic!” Sadie, 8



Hiking Fieldtrip

The kids from Sombra took the kids from Manzano Mesa to go hiking! The Copper Trailhead has so many different routes the kids can choose, and this group chose to go all the way up!!

They conquered fears:

“I’m too scared to stand all the way up!” Annette, 8

They looked out for each other (especially when we ran into cactus):

“Watch out for the bumpy rocks.” Catalina, 9

“I like bumped into it, but it didn’t hurt me.” Abby, 6

They had a great time:

“Hiking was the best part. I get to climb rocks, and it was fun to sit on them and play on them.” Kash, 7

Drip Drip Drop



“To play you get in a circle, and you get water. You pour a drop on their head, and when you get to a person you choose, you say drop. Then you run to their spot. It’s like the goose game!” Jordynn, 10

It has been getting hot, hot, hot outside, and the kids have only wanted to play drip, drip, drop!

“I like that people get to dump all of the water. It’s nice cause it is so hot and the water was cold.” Kash, 7

It is a fun game that serves multiple purposes!

“Good thing I got dropped because I haven’t taken a shower in a year!!” Maddox, 9



Sticky Pennies



“Here, you can keep this penny as a tip.” Greyson, 10

We try all kinds of interesting games at Sombra. Sometimes those games last for an hour, and sometimes they quickly turn into new games!

“Well I got the paper. Does that count?” Greyson, 10

For this game, you only need pennies and sticky hands. The goal: get as many pennies as you can, only using your sticky hand! It is definitely harder than it sounds.

“Charles! I actually pulled it off the table!” Andrew, 8