



## Coker Cub Communication: Week of May 16

Quote for the month: "The best way to predict your future is to create it."

### Week at a Glance:

Classroom Talent Shows, 2nd - 5th grades (During music class)

Monday music classes - 5/16

Tuesday music classes - 5/17

Wednesday music classes - 5/18

Thursday music classes - 5/19

Parents may attend during their child's performance, must sign-in at the front office

Kinder & 1st grade will do a talent "show & tell" on these dates

#### **Monday, May 16 –**

Coker Library BOGO Book Fair 8:30 am -2:30 pm

After School AR Ice Cream Point Party –2:45-3:30 pm in the Texas Garden Courtyard. (Level 3 incentive)

#### **Tuesday, May 17 –**

5th Grade Bradley & Eisenhower tours 9:30 am-11:30 am

Coker Library BOGO Book Fair Family Night 8:30 am -5:30 pm

4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Track and Field Day Heroes Stadium 4:00-6:00 pm

#### **Wednesday, May 18 –**

Coker Library BOGO Book Fair 8:30 am -2:30 pm

#### **Thursday, May 19 –**

Coker Library BOGO Book Fair 8:30 am -2:30 pm

#### **Friday, May 20 –**

Family Fitness Field Day 8:00-11:00 am

Coker Library BOGO Book Fair 8:30-12:00 pm

### Information & Opportunities:

#### PTA News

Coker PTA would like to say thank you to all the volunteers who helped last week with showing how much we appreciate our teachers and staff. We had a great group of parents who took time out of their busy day to come and provide cafeteria and recess coverage for teachers and staff. All the teachers I spoke with were very appreciative with the extra time to have a nice lunch. Also, a thank you to Sandra Llanas, Lauren Puentes, Sandra Hidalgo, and Jackie Randall for setting up and running the very popular popcorn bar on Wednesday and the staff lunch on Tuesday. Thank you also to the room parents who were able to get the information out about teacher's favorite things to their classes, despite the short time frame involved.

We'd also like to thank the volunteers who helped with the pond lessons on Friday, May 6th, as they had a full day of classes with various grades. Thank you to Brenda Spradling and Katie Myers especially, for planning and running the whole event.

On Friday, May 20th, Coker will have its annual Field Day. Please join us for a morning of fun, fitness, and healthy snacking. We need volunteers to help staff each of our exciting field day challenges. Family members are also welcome to participate in the activities. As an added bonus the teacher with the most parent participation will be given a Fitbit and family members who participate will be in a drawing for a one month gym pass to Lifetime Fitness. Please consider helping us provide coverage for each event or participating along side your student to make family fitness day a success. Here is the link to the Sign-Up Genius: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090e48acae292-family>

As with all events, volunteers are required to be registered as a volunteer with NEISD, and DPS cleared. If you aren't cleared, there is time to get registered and cleared as a volunteer. Please try and arrive early to have time for parking, sign in, and making your way to the event.

Thank you very much, and we hope to see you there.

Coker PTA is always looking for volunteers not only for events, but also members to participate in our Executive Board, for the coming year. Time commitments and job duties may vary, but we are looking for passionate people who want to be a positive part of the school. Please view the list at the [cokerpta.com](http://cokerpta.com) website, and if something appeals to you, please contact me, Trey Meador, at [tmeador@satx.rr.com](mailto:tmeador@satx.rr.com).

**Pet – Tastic Cookie Decorating Class** – See attached file for more details.

**Captivate Language Academy Summer Program 2015-16** – See attached file for more details.

**US Tae-Kwon-Do Center Summer Camp** – See attached file for more details.

**Library News** - Please share the Library Newsletter in the Coker Communication. The link to the newsletter is below. <https://www.smore.com/9gvv4>

**The Jungle Book** – PTA's Accelerated Reader End of Year Party will be held on **Thursday, May 26th**. This year, all students in grades 2nd through 5th who have reached Level 7 of AR will be invited to a private showing of The Jungle Book at Santikos Embassy Theater. The PTA will be hosting this after-school event, so please make arrangements now to have your student attend if he or she has reached Level 7 of AR. The final deadline to reach all AR levels is today, Friday, May 6th.

## Plan Beyond:

Here are some important dates to mark on your calendar:

**Monday, May 23** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Field Trip (Mr. Gatti's)

**Tuesday, May 24** – Willie's Night

**Thursday, May 26** –

- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip (Bradley Cabins)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade End of Year Party (Shadow Cliff Pool)
- Accelerated Reader EOY Party - a private viewing of The Jungle Book

**Friday, May 27** –

- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip (Bradley Cabins)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade End of the Year Party 1:00-1:45 pm

**Monday, May 30** – Student Holiday/ Memorial Day

**Tuesday, May 31** – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Spelling Bee

**Wednesday, June 1**

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade End of Year Party 11:45-12:30 pm
- 1<sup>st</sup> Grade End of Year Party 12:30-1:15 pm
- Kinder End of Year Party 12:30-1:30 pm
- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade End of Year Party 1:30-2:30 pm

**Thursday, June 2** –

- Last Day of School
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Awards Ceremony 8:15-9:15 am

## **Our Mission**

We support and foster a positive community of successful, life-long learners and leaders by meeting the needs of every individual while challenging each one to reach full potential.