PR Families,

Well the end of this school year is near and because of you and our dedicated PR family working together - we will make it. I just wanted to say, "Thank you, thank you, thank you." Thank you for your support, your resilience, and your willingness to adapt with our PR staff as we had to navigate through some challenging times. This final message contains 2 topics: important information about our upcoming Collection and Distribution Day scheduled for May 20 and a final message of encouragement.

**Topic 1: Collection and Distribution Day** - We have one more major task before closing out this school year and we need your help. On Wednesday, May 20, we are asking all families to come to the Rose one last time this school year at their assigned time to drop off items and to collect your child’s belongings (see FAQ #3 below for schedule).

**What to bring?** Please bring the following items with you at your assigned time:
- A huge smile
- Chromebooks and power cords that were assigned to your child/children
- Any library books that your child has checked out
- Any other items your teacher checked out to your child (ex. Counting cubes in the 2nd grade)

**What you will receive/collect?** When you drive in the parking lot and stop near the gym entrance, we will greet you with a big smile and likely tell you how genuinely happy we are to see you. Then we will hand you a Walmart bag (donated by Walmart and the Hedden family - thanks Hedden family) that contains some of the following items:
- your child’s possessions from his/her classroom,
- birthday pencils if your child has had his/her birthday between March and May,
- library books if you checked out books online,
- target tags your child has earned for carrying out our core beliefs,
- a Field Day sheet containing field day events that your child can do at home on Thursday and Friday.
- (5th graders only) All our 5th graders will receive a special basket and will be invited to get out of the vehicle to take a picture next to the 5th grade banner.
- Lost and Found items - We will have a table with all lost and found items so if you would like to browse through those items.

**FAQs**
1. **What if it’s raining?** If the weather does not cooperate, we will reschedule this event to Thursday, May 21st. We will make sure to alert you by Monday the 18th if we anticipate changing the date.
2. **Do I need to drop off the Chromebook if my child is registered for Camp Ed distance learning?** No, if your child is registered, he/she will turn in the Chromebook after Camp Ed ends on July 13.
3. **When is my assigned pickup/drop off time?**
   - 8:00 - 9:00 - student’s last name beginning with A-D
   - 9:00 - 10:00 - student’s last name beginning with E-J
   - 10:00 - 11:00 - student’s last name beginning with K-N
   - 11:00 - 12:00 - student’s last name beginning with O-W
4. **What if I can’t make my assigned time?** If you cannot make your assigned time but can make another time on Wednesday morning, email Mr. Guenther so we can make the necessary preparations. If you cannot make it at all on Wednesday, contact your child’s teacher to arrange a time for pick up/drop off on Thursday.

**Topic 2: Message of Encouragement** - Hopefully next Wednesday, I will get to see each of you one more time before summer. If I do, I will smile and share some kind words and my heart will be blessed. If I do not get to see you, I wish you a safe and restful summer. For those of you returning to the Rose in the fall, I will be counting the days until you return to the Rose campus. For those of you moving on to middle school, I wish you all the best and hope that you will continue to positively impact those around you in the future. I am thankful for the bonds that were formed this year and the memories that were created together. Thank you for making this a special year.

Your grateful principal,
Matthew Guenther