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Attention All Kindergarten Parents:

Due to kindergarten registration/screening for next year’s incoming kindergarten students taking place on May 13th and 14th, our current kindergarten students will not be in attendance at Mill Stream on these days. To simplify, our current Mill Stream kindergarten students will not be in school on May 12th (workshop day) as well as May 13th and May 14th (kindergarten registration/screening). Thank you for your understanding.

Throughout the year please do not hesitate to contact teachers, Mrs. Lovell or myself with questions or concerns that may arise. When we work together, students will continue to have a great year!

Dates to Remember . . .

- May 3rd-May 7th: Staff Appreciation Week
- May 6th: School Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
- May 12th: No School-Teacher Workshop Day
- May 13th-14th: Kindergarten Registration/Screening

PTG

- **Scholastic Book Fair** starts Monday, 5/3 and runs through Tuesday, 5/13. Cash, Credit Card and e-Wallet are accepted, and we will be available 11:30a-2:30p under the tent on school grounds. District COVID-19 guidelines will be adhered to and all parent volunteers are fully vaccinated. Please wear a mask and socially distance while you are visiting us. Help us put more books in the hands of students while building your home libraries in time for Summer Break!
- **Teacher Appreciation Day** is Tuesday, 5/4 and the PTG will be recognizing our MSES staff with a luncheon courtesy of **Wentworth’s Diner**. If you would like to help out, we are in need of individually wrapped/bottled treats and drinks. Please look for the drop box in the entryway on Monday.
- **MSES Scholarship Fundraising Raffle** the PTG and area businesses have pulled together 5 robust gift baskets to raffle off on Friday, 5/9. All proceeds will benefit our annual trade/college scholarship awarded to a former MSES student graduating this year. **Tickets are 3 for $5** and will be on sale during the Book Fair (11:30a-2:30a daily.) Check us out at [https://www.facebook.com/msptg](https://www.facebook.com/msptg) for more information.
  - Mother's Day **Spa Basket** which includes a gift certificate to the Apollo Day Spa in Waterville ($100 retail value)
  - **Mother’s Day Gardener’s Delight Basket** which includes a gift certificate to Trees to Please ($125 retail value)
  - **Father’s Day “Clean Me!” Detailing Bucket** which includes gift certificate to Everett’s Car Wash ($75 retail value)
  - **Family Movie Night Basket** which includes 4 tickets to The Strand Theater in Skowhegan ($100 retail value)
  - **Family Fun in the Sun Gear** which includes a gift certificate to McDonald’s Restaurants ($125 retail value)
- **Square1Art** was a great success for the PTG. We would like to thank all the families that participated, and we look forward to doing this again in the Fall for holiday gift giving! Big shout out to Mrs. Hayden and Melannie Keister for executing this new program and helping families generate new memories!! It was a joy to see the pride our children had in their work and the anticipation of sharing it with their families.