

LOCH LOMOND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Good Afternoon:

This is Greg Norton calling from Loch Lomond School, with a few updates regarding upcoming events at Loch Lomond School for Monday, April 19th – Friday, April 23rd.

Please be reminded that student drop-off is not permitted prior to 7:50 a.m. Upon arrival in the designated student "drop & go" zone, drivers are not permitted to idle to keep the flow of drop-off traffic moving and to be courteous of those waiting patiently in line and help prevent congestion on Evergreen Ave. and Loch Lomond Rd. Students being dropped-off are asked to exit the vehicle on the passenger side, closest to the school sidewalk. Thank you in advance for your cooperation in keeping our student "drop & go" zone moving safely and efficiently!

Many thanks to all the parents/caregivers, who took time from their busy schedules to connect with their child's teacher to discuss their school progress. It has been said before that parents/caregivers are vital partners in education. You influence your children's attitudes about learning, and support learning at home. Our parent/caregiver partners are a vital link between home and school. When you become involved in the life of the school, you help make our school a better place to learn, grow and thrive.

Loch Lomond School will celebrate *Earth Week* next week (April 19th -23rd). Throughout the week students and staff will participate in a different themed event each day. The daily events have been posted to our School Website Events Calendar. Events from *Litterless Lunches* to *Lights Out Day* all aim to raise awareness to "Take Care of the Planet" and promote the urgency required to act for the environment and our planet daily.

Thursday, April 22nd, Mme Casey's Grade 1FI Homeroom will set off on a PALS in the Park adventure at Rockwood Park. Students will participate in a "Caves & Critters' fieldtrip. This nature walk activity highlights the "Clean Air" trail near Fisher Lakes and explores the karst landscape leading to Howes Cave. Students will enjoy a walk through the forest and learn how natural erosion forms the landscape and how it effects the habits of small forest creatures and bats.

Yours in Education,

Greg Norton Principal

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