The Anchorage Waldorf School

Awakening Wonder

# WALDORF WEEKLY **April 10th 2022**



# 8th Grade Project Presentations Were Amazing!



**Robert H. - 4/5** Lewis P. - 4/6 Aurora M. - 4/13 Roger P. - 4/15 Ayela M. - 4/18 Gabriel M. - 4/21 Penelope P. - 4/29



-Summer Camp Instructors -Lead Caregiver (April start) -Grade 2 Teacher (Fall '22 start)

WE'RE

**HIRING!** 

**Tell a friend!! Visit** waldorfak.org/employment for more details.

### **CAMPUS NEWS & UPDATES**

### **Upcoming Events**

### April: • 21st through 23rd - Campus Cleanup

- 23rd Free Bike Clinic
- 28th (6pm) All School Required Parent Meeting and Potluck

### • 5th - 5th Grade Pentathlon

- 7th (11 am-3 pm) MayFaire
- 18th (6pm) 8th Grade Rose Ceremony & Graduation
- 20th--End of School year day at Eklutna
  Lake. (If you want to camp, reserve a campsite. Or, come for the day. Hike, bike, hang out and celebrate the start of summer.)

### DIRECTIONS FOR SUBMITTING CASH\* TO AWS

#### 1) PLACE CASH IN THE COLORED ENVELOPE.

#### 2) WRITE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF WHAT PAYMENT IS FOR:

EXAMPLES:

May:

- "APRIL GOLDEN COTTAGE-[CHILD'S NAME]"
- "STORE-BEESWAX, 2 CRAYONS, HAT"
- "FUNDRAISER-CLASS OF 2024 BASKETS"
- "GRADE 4/5-ROCK CLIMBING FIELDTRIP"
- "APRIL TUITION-[CHILD'S NAME]"

### 3) PLEASE PLACE ENVELOPE IN THE "AWS BUSINESS OFFICE PAYMENT BOX" AT STAIRWELL.

#### :) THANK YOU :)

\*CHECKS CAN BE MADE PAYABLE TO <u>ANCHORAGE WALDORF SCHOOL</u> AND DROPPED INTO AWS BUSINESS OFFICE PAYMENT BOX AT STAIRWELL (WITH MEMO STATING PURPOSE OF PAYMENT)





### **CAMPUS NEWS & UPDATES**

What is the most fun station at May Faire? Some would say reed boats! At this well-loved station children construct sailboats using cow parsnip reeds, waxed paper and melted crayon shavings. The fun continues when the boats set sail down a water course complete with obstacles and rapids. Can your boat make it to the end of the course? Sound fun? Be sure to visit reed boats at May Faire! Cost is 3 beans.



## Register before April 15th & receive 10% off!

# SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN! Register by using the link below: <u>https://waldorfak.org/summer-camp-2022/</u>

This can also be found under the "enroll" tab on our website.

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For more info: 907-333-9062 goldencottage@ waldorfak.org

# Summer of Wonder Camp 2022 June 6 - August 5

Early Childhood Camp (preschool & kindergarten)

> Full-Day & Half-Day options available

Big Kid Camp (Grades 1-6)

fun weekly themes such as: Mud week, Weird Science, Summer on the Trails + more

Register online @ Waldorfak.org/summer-camp-2022 REGISTER BY APRIL 15 & RECIEVE 10% OFF

### **GRADE 1**



The first graders have completed their second 500 piece puzzle! Here are some of the kids who worked on it. This is something we worked on before we started class, between 8:15-8:30. It's amazing how quickly something like this can come together when we all work together! GRADE 2/3

# 2/3 preparing for their play, The Snow Queen, on April 14th from 11:30-12:30



GRADE 4/5



Congratulations to the Grade 4/5 class for performing their play, the Epic of Gilgamesh this week! The students also finished up their second block of fraction study, learning how to multiply and divide fractions. We are celebrating their accomplishments with a field trip to the Alaska Rock Gym.

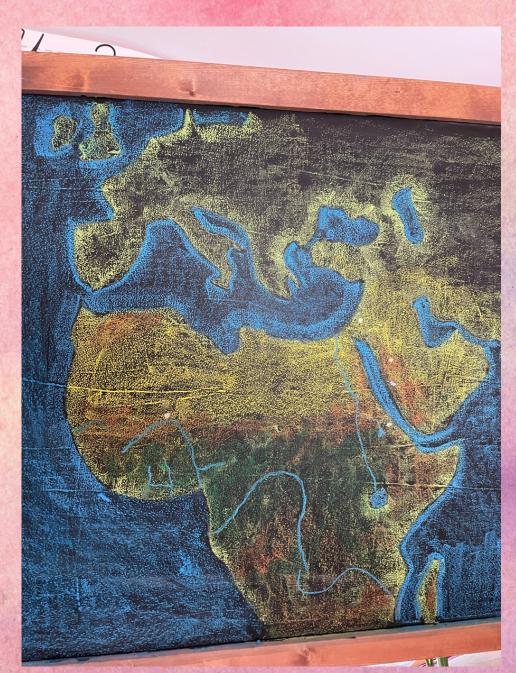
### **GRADE 6**

### Dear community,

Class 6 thanks you for your support of their fundraising efforts as they sold their spring baskets on Friday - hopefully these little oases of greenery brighten up your home until more greenery sprouts!

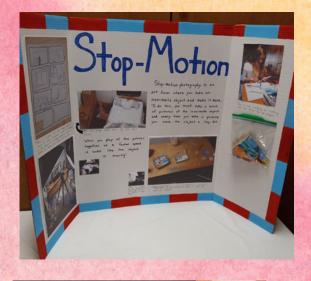
Our class is finishing off the year by studying the medieval time period. This is such an expansive period and our first introduction has come from our visiting intern Scott Misching who has brought some wonderful stories of the great African Kingdoms and their role in the saving of much of the great learning achieved in earlier times. Scott brings authenticity to this as he spent two years as a peace corp volunteer in Ethiopia and has loved this history.

#### with warmth, Shannon Herda



### **GRADE 8**

This week the 8th graders presented their 8th grade projects. I want to thank everyone who has helped these students on their projects, their success would not be possible without you. I also want to congratulate these students on their hard work over the last year completing these projects; the results are outstanding.



**Ms. Spencer** 





Aspen - Audio mixing and engineering Maria - 3-dimensional, layered octopus using graphic software and a laser cutter Sophia - research project and website tool for the funeral industry Hazel - remodeled an old shed into a tiny house Sierra - Made an animated movie Lucinda - used modern sewing methods to recreate an 1880's woman's silhouette





NEED A TUNE-UP?!

# AWS IS PARTNERING WITH OFF THE CHAIN BICYCLE COLLECTIVE TO OFFER A FREE BIKE CLINIC! SATURDAY, APRIL 23RD

#### DO YOU WANT TO LEARN ...

- When to put air in your tires?
- How to fix a broken chain?
- How to achieve a proper fit?
- Basic tune-up skills?
  MOBILE BIKE REPAIR SHOP AVAILABLE!



Off the Chain is a low cost, volunteer run, 501(c)(3) bicycle collective open to the Anchorage community. Off the Chain teaches people of all ages and backgrounds how to repair bicycles and strives to increase bicycle ridership, awareness, and safety through community service and education.

## SCHEDULE

### 10AM-11AM

Group & Individual Maintenance

### 11AM-12:30PM

Campus ride-off in pods

