

## MAY 2026 PARENT CIRCLE MEETING MINUTES:

### **Admin Updates (Sam):**

- T-shirts/hoodies are available to order through Friday, May 8 at 4 PM! Proceeds will go to Ms. Beatty's 8<sup>th</sup> grade class 2027 trip.
- Summer camp registration is open!
- Strings Concert Wed. May 13 at 3:30 PM (Grades campus)
- Eurythmy/Choral Performance Tuesday, May 19 at 3:30 (Grades campus)
- No school – Memorial Day (Monday, May 25)
- Wednesday, May 27 – EC last day:
  - 11 AM carline dismissal
  - 11:30 Flyaway Ceremony on grades campus, followed by picnic on the field
  - Full day for Grades Students
- Thursday, May 28 – Grades last day - Noon Dismissal
- Friday, May 29 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation (held in church sanctuary)

From Becky Sykes (gardeing & handwork teacher): Would you like to volunteer to help care for the gardens over the summer? Wednesday and Friday mornings. Sign-up Genius will be sent out soon via email.

### **Committee Updates**

- *Teacher Appreciation Week*: Classes are organizing their own treats for teachers this week, Admin also providing treats for all staff during the week.

Admin will have cards for every teacher & assistant the last full week of school - grades teachers in grades office, EC teachers in EC office. Stop in to sign cards or leave monetary gifts (not required). Cards will be given to teachers on the last day of school.

- *Family Care*: Please reach out to Analisa Pratt with any needs: [analisa.dkbc@gmail.com](mailto:analisa.dkbc@gmail.com)
- *Craft Circle*: Meeting every Friday morning in the EC kitchen after drop-off.

- *Guy's Night Out*: Meets at 5:30 PM the first Thursday of each month at Paradigm Brewing Co. (Coming up this Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup>!)
- *Ladies Group*: Have you joined the WhatsApp GOWS Mom's Community?
- *Gala*: What a blast! Thank you to all who attended & donated!
- *Parent Advocate Committee*: Much gratitude from 8<sup>th</sup> grade on all the fundraising efforts for their amazing class trip to Alaska this year!
- *Park Playdate*: (No update)
- *Parent Education*: (No update)
- *Welcome Committee*: (No update)
- *GOWS Women's Retreat*: (No update)