

# Mary K. Goode Elementary School

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Word of the Month: **Courage**

**Take care of you,  
Take care of each other,  
Take care of MKG!**



*"A Community of Learners Dedicated to Creating a Better Tomorrow"*

## What's For Lunch?

Monday	Cheesy Breadsticks
Tuesday	Nacho Day!
Wednesday	Popcorn Chicken Bowl
Thursday	American Sub
Friday	Pizza Day!

## Last Day of School 2014

The last day of school is on Tuesday, June 24<sup>th</sup>. It is an early dismissal at 1:00. Students will bring home their report cards with next year's class placement listed on it. Each family will also receive an MKG Mission Statement magnet in each report card envelope.



## Our Week in Review

Wow, it's been an amazing week of spirit at MKG! Each day was filled with spirited excitement from both students and staff! There were also lots of field trips to such places as the Roger Williams park Zoo, Boston Freedom Trail, Barney's Joy, The Middleborough Public Library and The Tom Thumb Museum. The fifth grade students participated in their annual field day on Thursday! The fifth grade teachers deserve a round of applause for organizing this team building event and to the fifth graders for working together all in the spirit of good old fashion fun! I can't believe we only have seven more days left, but we will make the most out of each day we have with our fabulous MKG learners!

## Did you know....?

Mary K. Goode will hold its annual Reading Rally on Monday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00 a.m. This is a time when our whole school gathers outside to sing and read as a school community! Students and staff each bring a book outside to read silently together in support of the importance of reading. Students grades 1-4 will also come home with their summer reading book, calendar and reading bag. Students in grade will receive information on their summer reading expectation when they visit the Nichol Middle School next week.





## Summer Reading Tips from Scholastic

What comes to mind when you think about summer with your children? Swimming? Summer camp? Barbecues? Music in the park? This year, why not make sharing books part of your family's summer fun?

Teachers and literacy experts agree that children of all ages need to be read to or to read by themselves and to talk about books over the summer. When you read or talk to your young child about books, she develops important language skills, understandings about books and print, and knowledge about how stories are constructed that will help him/her to become a strong reader and writer. Your school-aged child's summer

### Looking Ahead to Next Week....

Monday: Grade 5 Play Rehearsal

Thursday: Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast and Gr. 5 play practice

Tuesday: Gr. 3 Hats Play

Friday: Grade 5 luncheon and Mystery Theatre Dinner Performance

Wednesday: Gr. 5 visits NMS and play rehearsal

*Have a super weekend!*

*Fondly, Kathleen A. Valenti*

*Proud Principal*