



# Palmer Lake Elementary

## Home of the Palmer Lake Panthers

June 2010



The Palmer Lake Community will promote academic excellence  
in an accepting, safe and respectful environment.

**Congratulations to our sixth grade students; the future Class of 2016!! We wish you the best as you pursue your goals to graduate from high school and beyond.**

***“The future belongs to those that believe in the beauty of their dreams.”*** Eleanor Roosevelt

**Mrs. Ahlver's class:**

*María Brandt, Tyshonan Brooks, Cierra Burks, Rhoda Dahn, Saira Deras Fuentes, Grant Engeman, Sistine Her, Tinesha Hite, Amani Hooker, Marion Kortí, Kennedy Lang, Andrew Lee, Nick Lindberg, Rene Martinez, Danny Nelson, Nina Nelson, Nkmdirim Orjinta, Anthony Palmer, Nancy Rutoh, Billy Sengsourinhet, Christopher Smith, Yue Thao, Tahj Thomas, Faith Vang, Pa-Der Vang, Andy Vue.*

**Ms. Bennett's class:**

*Agnes Bangura, Jasmine Baumgardner, Rond'e Berry, María Carbajal, Abdul Diakite, Timofey Drozdov, Ashley Gagon, Juan Garcia, Jazmyn Holman, Madison Jellum, Nathaniel Johnson, Binh Lu, Justin Moore, Makaila Myers, Irene Otieno, Lajahia Pate, Alifa Phomtalikhith, Melissa Reynoso-Villa, Hamdi Salah, Gilberto Sanchez-Tenorio, Lasana Sesay, Kevin Smith-Alvarez, Summer Sweeney, Nathan Thao, Jeremiah Truong, Nathaniel Wheaton, Maya Wooley, Ciecome Xiong.*

**Mr. Bergerson's class:**

*Vonkeisha Adams, Dennis Benton, Gabrielle Chanthavong, Linda Collins, Huy Dinh, Ja'Meicia Ford, Brackus Golden, Ashley Janni, Danika Kroh, Carlos Lara-Ambriz, Mesa Martines, Henry Martinez-Pena, Dawnielle Mosley, Tanisa Penland, Jasmine Phommahaxay, Malik Sheppard, Levonte Taylor, Elizabeth Theis, Vanessa Toe, Zora Toles, Shelton Tucker, Cha Vang, Jackie Vue, Tam Vuong, Alieja Williams, Jenny Yang, Neeshi Yang.*

**Mrs. Legg / Mr. Ewing's class:**

*Kejuon Burton, Shelby Coop, Delicia Davis, James Donoho, Blake Ellefson, Joe Michael Esparza Velezquez, Sammi Fields, Elliot Frenette, Abbit Genemo, Brett Gibney, Makaylia Johnson, Spencer Johnston, Julian Kanowitz, Soua Lee, Kasee Moua, McKayla Moua, Catherine Newman, Racheal Nyakundi, Jordan Otto, Jeane' Patton, Latoria Rankin, Tanner Rizner, Cruz Rosas-Martinez, Essence Scott, Kellie Thao, Steven Thao, Jerin Triemert, Kylee Vang, Yee Vang.*

Independent School District 279 does not discriminate on the basis of disability. If you need auxiliary aids or services in order to participate in or attend a district activity, please call your local school or the school district through Minnesota Relay Service (TTY/TDD) 1-800-627-3529 at least seventy-two (72) hours in advance (two-week advance notice preferred).

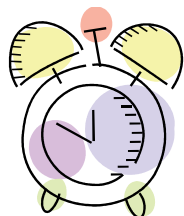


**2010-2011  
School Year  
begins on  
Tuesday,  
September 7!  
Bus schedules  
will be sent  
out in August.**



**SCHOOL  
START/END  
TIMES FOR  
2010-11**

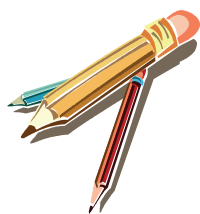
Palmer Lake  
will start the  
day at 8:50 am  
and end the day  
at 3:20 pm.



**CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR MAY/JUNE**

- June 1: School Patrol goes to Valley Fair (9:30am-6:00pm)
- June 1: Mentors/Mentees Luncheon (11:30-12:30)
- June 2: 6th Grade Jazz Performs (11:15-11:45) Gym
- June 3: Panther's Pride Evening (5:30-7:30pm)
- June 4: AR Assembly (9:30am) Gym
- June 8: 3rd Grade Picnic (12:15-1:30) West PL Park
- June 9: 4th Grade Field Trip (9:30-2:00) State Capital & History Center
- June 9: 2nd Grade Picnic (10:45-11:50) West PL Park
- June 9: Drums Alive Program (3rd Grade)
- June 10: 1st Grade Picnic (12:00-12:50) West PL Park
- June 10: 4th Grade Picnic (1:00-2:30pm) West PL Park
- June 10: 5th Grade Picnic (11:00-1:00) West PL Park
- June 11: 6th Grade Commemoration (2:00pm) Main Gym
- June 11: Last Day of School—Ends at 3:20pm**

**FALL OPEN HOUSE SET FOR SEPTEMBER**



Palmer Lake will host an open house for all students and their families on **Wednesday, September 1, from 5:00-6:30 p.m.** Students will have the opportunity to see their new classroom and meet their teacher. Parents/guardians will be able to put money in their child's lunch account as well as buy assignment books, calculators and file folders. Mr. Watson will be sending all families a letter in August with more details about the Open House. See you there!



## **GOOD BYE & GOOD LUCK!!**

Our 2009-2010 school year ends with us saying good bye to several wonderful staff members at Palmer Lake. We thank you for all that you have done for the students and families at Palmer Lake. Your contributions to Palmer Lake will not be forgotten!

Michelle Asche (Kindergarten)

Bridget Bennett (6th Grade)

Marian Duran (Full Service)

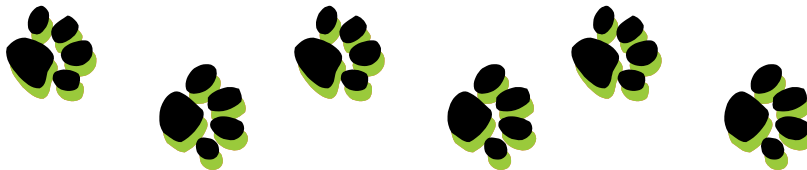
Linda Fredenburg (3rd Grade)

Kris Larsen-Johnson (5th Grade)

Vivian Markert (ATPPS Instructional Coach)

Lois Olson (Nurse)

Denise Shatto (Secretary)



## **PALMER LAKE YEARBOOKS**

The 2009-2010 yearbooks will be distributed to students during the last week of school. Every student receives a memory book free of charge. Students with outstanding library books or fines will not receive a yearbook until the fines are paid. The office will be open through Monday, June 21, and will be able to collect fines.



## **REPORT CARDS**

Progress reports for Trimester 3 will be mailed out from the district office. You should receive them in the mail the during the week of June 21-25. Supply lists will be included in the Progress Report Envelope.



# 2010-11 SCHOOL CALENDAR

**ISD 279 - OSSEO AREA SCHOOLS**  
**11200 93rd Avenue North**  
**Maple Grove, MN 55369**  
**Ph: (763) 391-7000 Fx: (763) 391-7070**  
**district279.org**

August 26-27 . . . . . New Licensed Staff Workshop  
 Aug. 30-Sept. 2 . . . Licensed Staff Workshop  
 September 6 . . . . . Labor Day (No School)  
**September 7 . . . . . First Day of School for Students**  
 October 8 . . . . . Licensed Staff Workshop  
 (No Regular Classes Scheduled for Students)  
 October 21-22 . . . Education MN Professional Conference  
 Conference Release Days for Pre K-12  
 (No School)  
 October 28-29 . . . Conference Release Days for Half-day K  
 (No School for these Students)  
 November 25-26 . . . Thanksgiving Holiday (No School)  
 December 3 . . . . . Mark Reporting for Pre K-12  
 (No Regular Classes Scheduled for Students)  
 December 6 . . . . . Tri II Begins  
 December 22 . . . . . Last Day of School Before Winter Break  
 January 3 . . . . . First Day of School After Winter Break  
 January 17 . . . . . Martin Luther King Jr. Day (No School)  
 January 28 . . . . . Licensed Staff Workshop  
 (No Regular Classes Scheduled for Students)  
 February 10-11 . . . Conference Release Days for Half-day K  
 (No School for these Students)  
 February 18 . . . . . Conference Release Days for Pre K-12  
 (No School)  
 February 21 . . . . . Presidents' Day (No School)  
 March 11 . . . . . Mark Reporting for Pre K-12  
 (No Regular Classes Scheduled for Students)  
 March 14 . . . . . Tri III Begins  
 March 25 . . . . . Last Day of School Before Spring Break  
 April 4 . . . . . First Day of School After Spring Break  
 April 22 . . . . . Conference Release Days for Pre K-12  
 (No School)  
 May 6 . . . . . Licensed Staff Workshop  
 (No Regular Classes Scheduled for Students)  
 May 30 . . . . . Memorial Day (No School)  
 June 9 . . . . . Last Day of School for Students  
 June 10 . . . . . Mark Reporting for Pre K-12  
 (No Regular Classes Scheduled for Students)

## AUGUST

23	24	25	(26)	(27)
(30)	(31)			

## SEPTEMBER

		(1)	(2)	X
X	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	

## OCTOBER

				1
4	5	6	7	(8)
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	(21)	(22)
25	26	27	(28)	(29)

## NOVEMBER

1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	X	X
29	30			

## DECEMBER

		1	2	(3)
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	X	X
X	X	X	X	X

## JANUARY

3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
X	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	(28)
31				

## FEBRUARY

	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	(10)	(11)
14	15	16	17	(18)
X	22	23	24	25
28				

## MARCH

	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	(11)
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
X	X	X	X	

## APRIL

				X
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	(22)
25	26	27	28	29

## MAY

2	3	4	5	(6)
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
X	31			

## JUNE

		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	(10)

- X - No school for students and licensed staff
- - No regular classes scheduled for students
- - No regular classes scheduled for half-day Kindergarten only
- △ - Conference Release Days

Tri I . . . Sept. 7-Dec. 2 . . . . . 58 days  
 Tri II . . . Dec. 6-March 10 . . . . . 58 days  
 Tri III . . . March 14-June 9 . . . . . 56 days  
 Spring Break - March 28-April 1