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Subject: Great Blue Heron Herald! Field Trip Tomorrow!!!!!

Good evening all!

This edition of the Great Blue Heron Herald comes to you first to remind you of our Earth Day Field Trip tomorrow to Captain Hook's Dive center in Big Pine Key! We will be leaving at 9:00am by school bus and will be returning to school by no later than 2:00pm. The dive center will be providing hamburgers and hotdogs for lunch, but if your child is a picky eater or has dietary restrictions, please be sure to provide them with a packed lunch. Ordering school lunch will not be available as we will not be at the school to receive it. Please make sure your child has the following tomorrow morning:

- 1. Close toe shoes
- 2. Water bottle
- 3. Packed lunch (if needed, see above)
- 4. Hat and Sunglasses (optional)
- 5. Sunscreen (please try to apply in the morning before school)
- 6. A small towel
- 7. A fabulous attitude for a great day!

As a reminder, we will NOT be snorkeling. The liability form you signed will be for the boat ride ONLY so the students can see the area that the coral will be going. This of course is weather permitting.

Rabbit Care!!!

Bili the Bunny would LOVE to have a family take him home for the weekend. It has been months since someone has taken him home, he gets very lonely! Billi is a *classroom* pet that should be taken care of by the entire class. Most weekends the rabbit stays on campus and a member of staff has to come in to ensure his care. Take a moment to sign up for a weekend (or two).

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054ca9ac2aa2f58-rabbit1

We would also like to request that we have donations made for his care. The supplies needed for him can get expensive so any little bit of monetary donations or just buying what is needed would be a great help! Thank you all in advance.

- Hickory Smoker Pellets- from Publix for his litter box
- <u>Litter box</u>- in need of 2
- Puppy training pads- any kind will do
- Rabbit food- any from Petsmart or Publix will do
- Treats
- Playpen

Important Dates

April 22

Field Trip to Captain Hook's-Big Pine Key for coral Fragging (Earth Day 2022!!!)

Volunteer/Service hour Opportunities

We have noticed a decline in family participation when it comes to assistance and involvement within our classroom community. It would be beneficial to all of the students on campus to have more families involved. Ask how you can help! We have more opportunities for involvement than just our designated campus clean-ups!

- Pet care over the weekends
- Carpet cleaning (we have the supplies)
- Lesson Rug washing (weekly)
- Upholstery cleaning-classroom couch
- Rip out old carpet tiles and replace them with laminate tiles in our new kitchen area!
- General campus up-keep

Thank you for taking the time to stay caught up! It takes a village!!!!

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