



Take Flight at Meadowlark Ridge

A Note from the Principal

Meadowlark Ridge Families, it's hard to believe it's the end of the school year. It has flown by! My fourth year at MLR has been a great one! The staff, students, and families are what makes MLR such a great place to be! I hope you have a safe, fun and relaxing summer. See you in August.

Sadly, we must say goodbye to some wonderful staff members this month. We will miss them all and wish them the best of luck on their new adventures; Mrs. Burgoon, Miss Pica, Mr. Shirk, Ms. Nash, Miss Herzog and Ms. Morales. Thank you all for your time and dedication to the students at MLR!

-Heather Galvan, Principal

What's Happening at MLR?



Play Day

MLR Play Day is scheduled for Friday, May 15. Students will rotate through several stations inside and outside. Picnic style lunch will be served. Parents are encouraged to join and watch the outdoor fun. Please check the Play Day schedule for more information. You may want to bring a blanket to sit on if you are having lunch with your student. We look forward to a day filled with family and fun!



Star Base

DoD STARBASE Salina offers a free, 5-day hands-on STEM program for fifth graders in USD 305, located within the Kansas National Guard facilities. The program engages students in robotics, 3D CAD design, physics and chemistry through a 25-hour curriculum designed to spark interest in STEM careers. What a fabulous experience for all our fifth graders here at MLR.



Reminder

May 15 - Play Day
May 20 - Talent Show

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May 22 - Awards Assembly
May 22 - Last Day of School

Exciting News!

MLR Ukes group will be performing their Spring Concert at Rolling Hills Zoo on Saturday, May 9th, at 10:00 a.m. The performance will take place in front of the Overlook Restaurant. When you are done, you can take in the sights of the zoo.

Rolling Hills Zoo

Our first graders enjoyed beautiful weather while exploring the the Rolling Hills Zoo! A huge thank you to the Rolling Hills Zoo for hosting our fist graders and to all the parent volunteers we had to help make this a wonderful experience for our first grade classes at MLR.



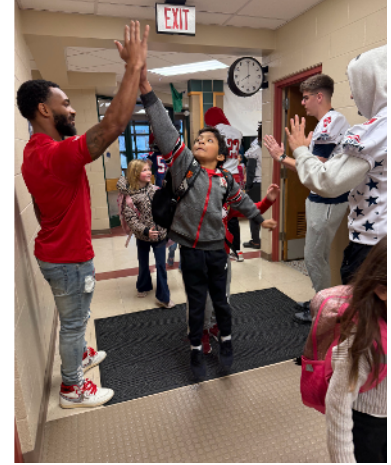
Kindergarten Program

Our Kindergartners light up the stage with their fabulous performance of "*Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What do you see?*"





High Five Friday



MLR welcomed the Salina Liberty arena football team for High Five Friday. Their energy was electric. It was a fantastic way for students to start their day here at Meadowlark.

Kindergarten Roundup

Kindergarten Roundup was a huge success. It was so exciting to see all the new smiling faces we will get to see here at Meadowlark next year.



Summer Food Program

June 1 – June 30, Monday – Friday
(Closed June 19)

- Free to all children
- No signup, eligibility or paperwork required
- All meals eaten on site
- Adult meal cost:
 - Breakfast \$3.50
 - Lunch \$5.75
- Free activities and book giveaways

Visit the district website for more information:



Summer Food Program

Food Service Accounts

Please review your student's food service account balance regularly to keep your account current and prevent overdue payments. To view your current balance, log into Skyward Family Access and click the Food Service Tile.

You may pay in person at your school, district office or online in Skyward.

<https://skystu.usd305.com/StudentSTS>



Lost and Found

Has your student misplaced an article of clothing this year? Please remind your student to please check the lost and found located across the hall from the music room before the last day of school. After this date, all items will be donated.



Summer Classes and Camps

Here are some local organizations that offer opportunities for fun and learning during summer weeks. Reach out to them to discover the options!

- Salina Fieldhouse
- Salina Art Center
- Swimming Lessons
- Lakewood Nature Programs
- Rolling Hills Zoo Camps
- YMCA Summer Camps
- Summer Sports Camps
- Smoky Hill Museum
- Salina Public Library Clubs

Fun Ideas

- Go fishing
- Go hiking on a nature trail
- Have a picnic outside
- Make homemade playdough/slime
- Decorate driveways and sidewalks with chalk
- Roast marshmallows
- Fly a kite
- Nature Scavenger Hunt

May Calendar

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May 7 - Grade 5 Honor Night

May 15 - Play Day

May 20 - Talent Show



May 22 - Awards Assembly

May 22 - Last Day of School

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