

# E-2



## News

Center Montessori School

January 10, 2020

...*"Early childhood education is the key to the betterment of society."* Maria Montessori

**E2 Classroom Activities:** Welcome to a new decade! Although we all enjoyed our winter break, we were all certainly happy to see each other upon our return to school. We heard many stories of the fun things that went on over the break. Some people traveled while others had a relaxing "staycation." As the Greek Play is right around the corner, we have had several complete run



throughs to make sure everyone is secure with their roles. From prop crew to players to assistance directors and prompters, the students are working very hard to streamline our production. With the amount of talent and determination of your children, it promises to be an

excellent show. We are enjoying the fine weather of late, and have been having lunch outside on the bleachers and have even had Spanish class outdoors as well. Of course, we have also been continuing our regular work such as grammar, math and cultural studies. It feels good to get back to our regular routine. Happy New Year!





Our big class trip is this year is to Sea Camp in the Florida Keys. The dates are May 6,7, and 8.

The remaining balance of \$635.00 is due November 15th

There will be some additional costs which we will share with you closer to the trip.

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## Calendar 2020

January 16- Follow the child 6pm-8pm

January 17-Book report due

January 21- Technical rehearsal for Greek Play 2:30-5:30

January 22- Greek Play performance 6: 45 players arrive in costume, 7:00 performance starts

February 7- Silent Journey part one 6pm

February 8- Silent Journey part two- 9am

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*Thank You!*

Thank you all again for sharing your wonderful children with us and for your continued trust and support!



### Mystery Math

In two years I know, I'll be twice as old as five years ago, said Tom. How old is Tom?



**What:** Play rehearsal/performance

**Where:** Bayshore High School Auditorium

5401 34th St W, Bradenton, FL 34210

**When:** January 21st– 2:30-5:30 tech rehearsal

January 22nd– 6:45pm– players arrive

in costume 7:00pm– performance starts

**Cost:** \$20.00 Theater fee



My child \_\_\_\_\_ has permission to attend play practice at Bayshore Gardens High School Auditorium January 21st

Please understand that your child will need to be picked up by a parent at Bayshore High School Auditorium at 5:30pm on January 21st

The cost will be \$20.00 for the theater fee and a family ticket to the performance on January 22nd

Yes \_\_\_ I am able to chaperone and can take \_\_\_\_\_ children in my car.

No \_\_\_ I am unable to drive at this time.

YES \_\_\_ I have included \$20 with this slip.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# January Book Report Book

Poster Due:Jan.17,2020

This book report will be in the form of a book poster. It should have the following items on it:

1. **The title of the book-** The title should be large enough to be legible from 10 feet, attractively lettered, handwritten or computer printed.
2. **The author's name** - This should be. Under the title in smaller letters.
3. **A short summary of the plot.** The summary should include the main problem in the plot and how it was solved. Paragraph of at least five sentences would be enough.
4. **An excerpt** - An excerpt is a passage from the book. It should be an especially exciting one. Please include the page number at the end.
5. **A recommendation** - Your recommendation should spark the interest of others to read this book. For example: "If you like tales of adventure, humor, courage, and friendship, then, The Book of Three's is for you."
6. **Introduction of a character** - For example:"Meet Taran, a bumbling assistant pig-keeper who grows up and learns the true meaning of courage." This should be at least a paragraph.
7. **An illustration or other kind of art work** - Your illustration should represent an important event from your story. It is important that the drawing is carefully rendered.

## Guidelines:

Refer to the example on the back of this page for one possible way of arranging your poster. Presentation is an important component of this report. Take time to edit all written parts, to mount the different parts of your report on colored paper, to cut the paper straight, and to compose it all in an attractive way.

**Title of your Book**

**Author's Name**

**Summary**

**Artwork**

**Character**

**Excerpt**

**Recommendation**