

May | 2026 Connection Newsletter

MUFFINS WITH MOM

May 5th-8th

You're Invited to: Muffins & "Mom" osas!

We are so thankful for everything you do each and every day. Your hugs, your love, and your presence leave a lasting impact—and we want to celebrate you! Join us for a special morning of muffins, "mom" osas, songs, and crafts with your little ones. It's our way of showing just a bit of the appreciation you so deeply deserve. Don't forget your cameras—there will be plenty of sweet moments you'll want to capture and cherish forever. ❤️

We can't wait to celebrate with you!



May Events

May is Asian American & Pacific Islander Heritage Month

- 2nd National Baby Day
- 4th-8th: Teacher Appreciation Week & Mother's Day Celebrations
- 4th Teacher Appreciation Staff Breakfast
 - 👤 Staff Theme: Superhero Day
- 5th Cinco De Mayo
 - 🍷 Teacher Appreciation Staff Snacks
 - Muffins with Mom Celebrations
 - LBW & Clownfish @ 3pm – Orcas @ 4pm
 - 🛋️ Staff Theme: Comfy Cozy Day
- 6th Muffins with Mom Celebrations
 - Pufferfish @ 3:15pm; Jellyfish @ 3:30pm; Starfish @ 4pm
 - Teacher Appreciation Staff Lunch
 - 🧘 Staff Theme: Zen Day
- 7th Muffins with Mom Celebrations
 - Sea Turtles @ 3pm – Seahorses & Seals @ 3:30pm
 - Teacher Appreciation Staff Gifts
 - 🐱 Staff Theme: Dynamic Duo Day
- 8th Muffins with Mom Celebrations
 - Stingrays @ 3:30pm – Sharks @ 4pm
 - Teacher Appreciation Sweet Finish
 - 🎓 Staff Theme: School Spirit Day
 - National Provider Appreciation Day
- 9th Parents Night Out 4pm-9pm
- 10th Happy Mother's Day
- 14th Seals Parent Teacher Conferences
- 15th Prom 7pm-9pm
 - Prom tickets can be purchased at the front desk \$10 cash
- 16th Armed Forces Day
- 18th Seahorses Parent Teacher Conferences
- 19th Starfish Parent Teacher Conferences
- 20th Sea Turtles Parent Teacher Conferences
- 21st World Day for Cultural Diversity
 - Jellyfish Parent Teacher Conferences
- 22nd Tuition/Parent Appreciation Breakfast
 - Pufferfish Parent Teacher Conferences
- 23rd Private Kindergarten Open House
- 25th KRK CLOSED: Memorial Day
- 29th Field Day 9:30am-12pm (Wear your swimsuit!)

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK



Attention Parents:

TEACHER & STAFF Appreciation Week
May 4th – May 8th

Teacher & Staff Appreciation Week
(May 4-8)

We're excited to celebrate our amazing teachers and staff all week long with fun themes, treats, and special surprises! From a "Superhero Start" to a "Sweet Finish," each day is a chance to show our appreciation.

Families are invited to participate by signing up to bring items and joining in the daily themes. Thank you for helping us make our staff feel valued and celebrated!

MONDAY	<p>Monday, May 4 – "Superhero Start!" 🦸</p> <p>We're kicking off the week with a grab-and-go breakfast bar for our amazing staff!</p> <p>👤 Sign up to bring: pastries, coffee travelers/juice, fruit trays</p> <p>💛 Donations are welcome and appreciated.</p> <p>🗣️ Theme: Superhero Day — Capes, masks, Marvel/DC vibes</p>	
TUESDAY	<p>Tuesday, May 5 – Snack Attack! 🍷</p> <p>We're rolling out a snack & drink cart to keep energy high!</p> <p>👤 Sign up to bring: chips, granola bars, candy, juices, sparkling water, or healthy snacks</p> <p>💛 Donations are welcome and appreciated.</p> <p>🗣️ Theme: Comfy Cozy Day — hoodies, sweats, sneakers!</p>	
WEDNESDAY	<p>Wednesday, May 6 - Wellness Wednesday 🧘</p> <p>A light lunch + wellness treats to recharge our teachers!</p> <p>👤 Sign up to bring: salads, wraps, sandwiches, smoothies, infused water, or self-care items</p> <p>💛 Donations are welcome and appreciated.</p> <p>🗣️ Theme: Zen Day — calming colors, relaxed vibes!</p>	
THURSDAY	<p>Thursday, May 7 – "Thank You for Being YOU!" 🎁</p> <p>Show appreciation with personalized teacher gifts</p> <p>👤 Use the favorites list for ideas-notes, gift cards/small surprises</p> <p>💛 Donations are welcome and appreciated.</p> <p>🗣️ Theme: Dynamic Duo Day—iconic pairs like Mario & Luigi, Barbie & Ken!</p>	
FRIDAY	<p>Friday, May 8 – "Sweet Finish!" 🍦</p> <p>We're ending the week with a sweet celebration!</p> <p>👤 Sign up to bring: ice cream, popsicles, or sweet treats</p> <p>💛 Donations are welcome and appreciated.</p> <p>🗣️ Theme: School Spirit Day—wear school colors with pride!</p>	

Thank you families for making this week super special.

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Field Day is Friday, May 30!

All classes (LBW–Stingrays) will enjoy outdoor games, water activities, a picnic lunch, and a Popsicle treat.

Kindergarten–5th grade aftercare will have their Field Day during summer camp.

Please remember:

- Send your child in their bathing suit
- Apply sunscreen before drop-off
- Lunch will be outside

We're excited for a fun-filled day!

Invites you to **PROM NIGHT 2026**
 Theme: **UNDER THE SEA ADVENTURE**
 Kids 'R' Kids of South Riding
 FRIDAY 05.15.2026
 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM
 703-957-3037
 @Kids 'R' Kids of South Riding AFTER SCHOOL CLASSROOM
 TICKET GOOD FOR ADMISSION OF 1 CHILD & AN ADULT CHAPERONE
 Ticket 10 \$ Includes Dinner

FRIDAY MAY 15TH 7PM-9PM PROM NIGHT PRESCHOOL & UP

\$10 CASH (NO CHARGE FOR CHAPERONES) TICKETS ARE IN THE OFFICE

Dress up and dance the night away!



Parents Night Out Saturday May 9th

4pm-9pm

Special Mother's Day event

\$50 for the 1st child, and \$25 per additional sibling



Saturday May 9th 4pm-9pm

\$50 1st child, \$25 each additional sibling



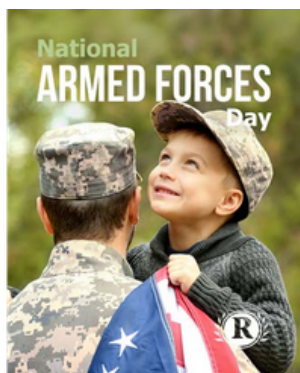
Monday, May 25 – Closed for Memorial Day

KRK will be closed in observance of Memorial Day. We honor and remember those who gave their lives in service.

Wishing you a safe and enjoyable holiday weekend!



DID YOU KNOW MAY IS ASIAN AMERICAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER DAY?



NATIONAL ARMED FORCES DAY-SATURDAY MAY 17TH



Private Kindergarten 2026-2027 School year

Now Enrolling

Open House: Saturday, May 23rd 10am-12pm

Enroll Early & Save! Register for Private Kindergarten by May 31st and receive a \$500 Scholarship!

Must be 5 by Dec. 31st 2026

Kids 'R' Kids of South Riding 25160 Loudoun County Pkwy South Riding, VA 20152



of South Riding

Private Kindergarten enrollment is now open for the 2026–2027 school year at Kids 'R' Kids of South Riding.

Open House: Saturday, May 23rd | 10am–12pm

Enroll by May 31st and receive a \$500 scholarship Tour the school, meet the teachers, and learn more about the program.



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STAFF SHOUTOUTS

Shout out to **Ms. Celi!**

Despite Taylor being in the 2's class, she prefers to spend some time with Ms. Celi every morning until her teachers arrive! She is so caring, kind and fun with a smile on her face, always! . She is an absolute blessing to us and the school! □

Best,
---Tina Miller

Ms. Melissa & Ms. Lucky —

We're truly grateful for the love and dedication you both show every day. The fact that our daughter loves coming to school is a reflection of the care you both bring to the Jellyfish classroom. Thank you for creating such a warm environment for her to learn, grow and make new friends!

The Billies

Dear **Ms Sadaf,**

Thank you for creating such a warm and nurturing environment for the children each morning. I truly appreciate the patience and care you show them, especially when they are upset or struggling to listen.

Despite joining recently, you have quickly adapted to the classroom and have already become one of Arjun's favorite teachers.

Thank you once again for everything.
Best regards,
Arjun Parents (Naveen & Sangeeta)

Dear **Sadaf,**

Thank you for your hard work and dedication. We truly appreciate the positive impact you have on Riaan every day.

Grateful for all you do.

Best regards,
Leela Datla (Riaan Varma Alluri -
Starfish)

Ms. Celi—Your dedication to teaching and genuine care for Arlo is truly admirable. We are so fortunate to have you teaching our little man!

-Brittany Wilburn

Dear **Ms.Bene,**

I would like to give a special shoutout to Ms Benny in Clownfish. Ms. Benny made our transition to KRK so smooth and comforting. She treated Alaina with so much love and care, just like her own. From doing her hair to always making sure she looked neat at pickup, her kindness truly stood out. I sincerely appreciate everything she did during the short time Alaina was in her class

-Jacinta Kwaah

All pufferfish teachers **Sunita
Abhinaya Priya Nermen**

Thank you, Sujata

Staff Shout-Out to **Ms. Toprice & Ms. Jeri**

Ms. Toprice and Ms. Jeri are the perfect duo — like peanut butter and jelly. The love, care, and dedication they pour into the kids each day is something truly special. They treat every child like their own, and as a parent, that makes our family feel like part of theirs.

Because of their support, love, and encouragement, Luna has absolutely flourished this year in so many beautiful ways. There truly aren't enough words to express how grateful we are for all they do.

Please know how deeply Luna and our family value and appreciate you both.

Thank you for loving these kids so much



-the Batemans

Ms. Bhuvana —

Shoutout to an incredible assistant director who truly goes above and beyond every single day. Your warm, cheerful greetings each morning and genuine kindness do not go unnoticed. Thank you for creating such a joyful place for our daughter to grow. We appreciate you more than words can say!

---Priya & Adam Billie

I wanted to take a moment to express my sincere gratitude to **Mrs. Sravya and Sureka** for the wonderful support they have provided to Grace. Their kindness and professionalism with the kids have truly made a difference, and I deeply appreciate the positive impact they have had. It's clear that both Mrs. Sravya and Sureka are committed to fostering a supportive and nurturing environment, and their dedication does not go unnoticed.

Thank you again for everything you do!

-Daphne Perdomo

Dear **Ms. Sandhya,**

Thank you for being such a calm and constant presence in our child's life. You have made a significant difference in his daily routine, and we truly appreciate everything you do.

Your focus on providing healthy, nutritious meals has been a wonderful influence, greatly helping him avoid junk food. We also wanted to share that whenever he dances, jumps, or sings at home, he always mentions your name—he even enjoys mimicking your teaching from time to time.

Thank you once again for everything.

Best regards,
Arjun Parents (Naveen & Sangeeta)



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Dear **Miss Sandhya**

I just wanted to take a moment to express my sincere appreciation for the incredible work you do every day. The care, patience, and enthusiasm you bring into the classroom truly make a difference. Riaan often shares how much they enjoy your class, and it's clear that your support and encouragement have had a meaningful impact—not just academically, but in building confidence and curiosity as well.

Thank you for creating such a positive and engaging learning environment. It doesn't go unnoticed, and we're very grateful to have you as part of his journey.

Best Regards,

Leela Datla (Riaan Varma Alluri - Starfish)

We are so grateful to have **Mrs. Sravya** as our son Aiden's teacher. She is kind, patient, and always keeps us updated without us even having to ask. Her warm and caring nature creates such a positive environment, and our son truly enjoys going to school because of her.

I also have a two-year-old who comes along for pickup, and he absolutely loves Ms. Sravya—he runs to say hi and is always so happy to see her.

-Sony Neupane

Shout out to **Ms. Pushpa & Ms. Sulochana** Pre-K class! ✨

You are all doing an amazing job learning, growing, and sharing kindness every day. From your letters and numbers to your creativity and teamwork, it's wonderful to see how much you're all blossoming. Keep up the great work, super learners! ❤️📚



-Rishi Parents (Murali & Anusha)

I would like to take a moment to recognize **Ms. Sandhya** (Star Fish) for her dedication and positive impact on her students.

Her patience, encouragement, and thoughtful teaching approach have made a meaningful difference. We've seen great progress in our child, not just academically, but also in confidence and enthusiasm for learning.

Teachers like Ms. Sandhya truly inspire and shape young minds, and we are grateful for the care and effort she brings every day.

Thank you for considering this for the school newsletter.

Warm regards,
Soujanya

We want to recognize **Miss Sravya** and Miss Surekha for making this school year so special for Viaan. Having been at the school for three wonderful years, we are so grateful for the consistent care you've shown him.

We truly appreciate the warm, encouraging environment you've provided all year long!

Regards
Viaan's Mom & Dad

Dear **Miss. Toprice and Jeri**,

I just wanted to say thank you for all that you do. Kiara really enjoys your class, and we appreciate the care and effort you put into teaching.

From telling stories "my" Miss. Toprice has big cars and "my" Miss. Jeri does my braids - she is always excited and happy talking about school and her friends. It truly makes a difference. Thank you for all your efforts!

Best,
Leela Datla (Kiara Varma Alluri - Sea Turtles)

I would love to give a heartfelt shoutout to two truly wonderful teachers, **Ms. Sandhya and Ms. Sadaf**, for the amazing care they provide our son, Ruben.

Their warmth, patience, and dedication shine through every single day. They create an environment where Ruben feels safe, supported, and excited to learn. We are so grateful for the way they nurture his curiosity, celebrate his milestones, and treat him with such kindness.

Thank you, Ms. Sandhya and Ms. Sadaf, for everything you do. Your hard work and genuine love for your students make such a meaningful difference.

Warmly,
Ruben's Family

We are writing to express our gratitude and appreciation for **Ms. Sravya and Ms. Surekha**. This past year we've seen Sophie excel both personally and academically because of the love, support and guidance you've provided for. She constantly looks forward to going to your class and asks for us to pick her up late so she can spend extra time with you and her friends. Your genuine kindness and warmth has provided her with a safe and loving space to grow in. We are incredibly thankful for the extra mile you pour into the children's education in challenging them and keeping them curious. Thank you for the strong academic foundation you've provided Sophie and all the children for them to excel and succeed in Kindergarten next year!

With gratitude,
The Thieu Family

5/8 Teacher Anniversary

MS. SUREKHA

Celebrating 3 years at Kids' R' Kids!
Happy 3-Year Work Anniversary, Ms. Surekha!
Today we celebrate you and the incredible journey you've had with us—especially your continued growth and impact as an Assistant Pre-K Teacher over the past three years!
Your dedication, kindness, and commitment to nurturing young minds have made such a meaningful difference. Thank you for the love, patience, and positivity you bring into the classroom every single day.
Congratulations on this wonderful milestone! We're so grateful to have you on our team and look forward to many more years of your passion inspiring and shaping our students' futures.
Cheers to your continued success and fulfillment in your role.
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