



Dear SACC 1 Families,

Welcome to the sweetest of months! February is National Chocolate Month, and the Chameleons will celebrate it with chocolate treats, chocolate games, chocolate movies, and chocolate science. We will even make some edible art!

February is also National Bird Feeding Month. The Chameleons will make pine cone feeders and popcorn-cranberry feeders.

Finally, we will celebrate Presidents' Day, St. Valentine's Day, and Mardi Gras with both fun and educational activities. Leap Day is February 29th. We'll be playing games like "leap frog" and "leaping lizards" and learn the real meaning of a leap year.

This year, HTEEC will be hosting its first ever art show, featuring the work of our very own artists... your children! Each class will take some time to learn about the life and art of a famous artist. Students will get the chance to create their own masterpiece, using the style and technique of the artist. The artwork will be on display from 6:30-7:30 pm on Wednesday, February 29th. We will have a silent auction for the works of art, and every penny raised will go directly into sprucing up our outdoor playgrounds. More information will be sent home as the date approaches. Mark your calendars for this special event!

On February 21st, we will again kick off the season of Lent by celebrating Mardi Gras and having our own Mardi Gras parade. Each class will create their own float for the parade, but we want families to be included as well. Families are encouraged to work together to make their own floats out of shoeboxes. These will proudly be displayed in the halls of HTEEC. Our parade will be at 10:30 am, and parents are welcome to join us as the parade spectators.

What a busy month... we're looking forward to one sweet time!

Mrs. Anne & Miss Allison