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Summer 2017 Edition Link Letter

A bi-weekly school and community communication

Leadership Transition

As you may already know, our principal, John Robinson, resigned last week to pursue new opportunities. We are grateful for his time, efforts and care over the past three years. During this time of transition, our Board of Directors is providing support to our leadership team. Sarah Cooper will assume an interim Principal position and is happy to assist you throughout the summer (coopesar@grcdc.org). The GRCDC staff is working collaboratively to prepare for a meaningful 2017-18 school year and we look forward to welcoming 268 students in the fall!

Park Party on Saturday, June 24

Please join us on Saturday, June 24th from 2:00—4:00 PM at Wilcox Park, 100 Youell Ave SE. The GRCDC Summer Park Parties are for current families, new families and alumni families. These gatherings will provide informal opportunities to reconnect, meet new families, and arrange carpools. To help you find other members of the GRCDC community, please wear green! Don't forget to bring a swimsuit for the splash pad! For updates about the Park Parties (in case of weather or other factors), please RSVP as "interested" or "going" to the Facebook event from our public FB page: <http://bit.ly/2siEQT4>



Summer Office Hours

The school office will be open every weekday in June, 9:00 AM—3:00 PM. In July, the office will be open every Monday (except July 3rd) from 9:00 AM—3:00 PM. Both Sarah Cooper (coopesar@grcdc.org), Interim Principal and Pedagogista and Rachel Harth (harthrac@grcdc.org), Administrative Assistant will be checking email frequently during the summer months:

FAQ Q: What time is school in session?

A: In response to staff needs and parent input, school will begin at 8:30 AM and dismissal is at 3:20 PM, Monday—Friday. Starting this school year, there is no early dismissal on Wednesdays. Every day is a full day of school. For full details, please see follow this link: <http://bit.ly/2tGftZf>

Stay in touch!

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COMING UP THIS WEEK:	
6/21	Last day for teachers to mail report cards
6/24	GRCDC Park Party @ Wilcox Park, 2:00—4:00 PM
EVENTS COMING UP LATER THIS SUMMER:	
7/12	GRCDC Park Party @ Cherry Park, 12:00—2:00 PM
8/15	GRCDC Park Party @ GRCDC playground, 6:00—8:00 PM
8/23	Orientation for all students, 2:00—7:00 PM
8/28	First Day of School, 8:30 AM—3:20 PM
9/1 & 9/4	NO SCHOOL, Labor Day Break