



**César Chávez Academy Upper Elementary School
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PARENT UPDATE – MAY 9, 2013

ANTI-BULLYING PRESENTATION:

"Stop the Violence Detroit", an organization aimed at helping our community be a better and peaceful place, will be providing a Peace Rally and Anti-Bullying assembly for our students on Wednesday, May 22. This prevention outreach program will be led by Conflict Resolution Specialist Dr. Joyce Jones. Parents and family members are welcome to attend. To help promote the Stop the Violence message, T-Shirts will be sold in advance of this event for participants to wear; we would like as many people as possible. The last day to pre-order t-shirts for the event is tomorrow (May 10) – contact the office to purchase a shirt for this excellent event.



SPRING DANCE:

Students of CCA are invited to the Spring Dance on Friday, May 17 from 4:00-6:00 PM. Admission is \$1.00 per person. Parents attend FREE – Parent volunteers are urgently needed. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. The proceeds from this event will go to fund the 5th grade graduation events.

STUDENT ART EXHIBIT:

Parents and students of CCA are invited to the Heidelberg Project Student Art Exhibit on Saturday, May 11. A bus will leave CCA-Martin at 11:45 AM and return at 2:30 PM. Student projects from Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Dominguez's classes are part of the exhibit. Food and activities are provided.

AFTER-SCHOOL BUSINESSES:

The 5th grade parents will be selling popsicles after-school on Monday and Wednesday to raise money for the 5th Grade graduation reception.

The 3rd grade classes will be selling popcorn on Fridays to raise money for their year-end field trips. Popcorn will be available for 50 cents per bag. Please support our 3rd grade students.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES:

There will be a Dress Down Day on Friday, May 10 – Cost: \$1.00

**May 10: 5th Grade Graduation Picture Day
May 11: Heidelberg Project Art Exhibit
May 17: Spring Dance (4:00-6:00 PM)
May 21: Career Day
May 22: Peace Rally
May 23: Art Show (3:30-5:00)
May 23: Drama Presentation (7:00-8:00 PM)
May 27: No School (Memorial Day)
May 28-31: 5th Grade Camp
May 31: Mobile Dentist**