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Celebrations, Connections, & Challenges

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Thank you for your patience as our new families adjust to our CFI carpool lines and as we train our new safety patrol members. In the next few weeks, our 5th graders will be developing a brochure that outlines carpool procedures for future new families. You can assist in keeping our carpool safe by:

- *Displaying your folder in the dashboard or passenger-side window so that it is clearly visible.
- *Allowing the safety patrol to open and close the car door for your child.
- *Pulling forward and out of the safety patrol line if you want to buckle-in a child or get out of the car to check on a child.
- *Pulling your car close to the curb so that students do not have to load in the street area.

Thought For The WEEK: We Are One

****NOTES & REMINDERS****

1. Opening Picnic is going to be RESCHEDULED. We will announce the new date next week.
2. Miss Kim's Dance Class will once again be offered during the after school hours. Information will be coming next week.
3. Morning drop-off begins at 7:35. Be sure that you see an adult before you leave your child.
4. We are currently working on an update to our CFI Family Handbook. We anticipate that it will be ready next month. If you or your company would be willing to make copies for us, please contact Dr. Mueller.

CHANGES TO CFI AFTERCARE

As CFI continues to grow we are making a few adjustments in our AfterCare program. In the past, we have been able to accommodate part-time and drop-in registrations. Beginning this year, all students must be enrolled in AfterCare on a full-time basis regardless of the number of times per week a child attends. Additionally, we are hiring extra staff and creating "classrooms" of AfterCare students so that we can increase the types of activities that we offer. Thank you for being patient with us as we make these improvements. We hope to have our new structures in place in the next few weeks.

