



## Boletín de febrero 2012

### DÍA DE SAN VALENTÍN

### VALENTINE'S DAY

We will have **mail boxes set up for all the students beginning Tuesday, February 7.** WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO BRING YOUR VALENTINES EARLY. PLEASE DO NOT HAND THEM TO STAFF AND ASK THEM TO DO IT FOR YOU. They are busy working with your children. YOU NEED TO COME IN EITHER IN THE MORNING OR WHEN PICKING UP. WE APPRECIATE YOUR COOPERATION. The mail boxes will be set up by groups and in alphabetical order (bags stapled on our boards in the hallway). **Parents:** depending on your child's age and ability encourage them to write the names of their classmates on their cards, or the first letter of each name. When you deliver the valentines, your children can try to read or match the names. **A roster is attached.** If you need a hard copy, please let us know. The children will take their valentines home Tuesday the 14<sup>th</sup> or Wed. the 15<sup>th</sup>  
**It depends on their attendance day.**

### SITIO EN LA RED

### WEBSITE

Remember that you can download our monthly calendars and newsletters, check events and news in our website [www.amiguitos.org](http://www.amiguitos.org) **Katie updates it frequently.** It's a great resource for information!!

### FERIA DE LIBROS

### BOOK FAIR !.....February 13-17

This is our annual event designed to bring a great selection of age-appropriate books, both in Spanish and in English, to our east side location for you and your children to see and purchase! This is also the only fundraiser that we sponsor each year. The proceeds from the books sold benefit your children directly. Amiguitos! receives free books to add to our library based on the number of books sold and the proceeds help to fund the expenses related to our Graduation and end of year Picnic in June.

**In addition,** to enhance your experience during our **Book Fair.....**

**Wednesday, February 15th** we will offer "**Family Night**", from **5-7 pm.** This is a chance to come with your children (after work) to mingle with other parents and children, look at all the books available, speak with a few teachers, and make your purchases. At this event we will offer cookies and juice to everyone attending. *Clifford* will also be in attendance, to help you with your book selections!

**Friday, February 17th** we will offer "**Lunch with Grandparents**". Grandparents are invited to come, share fruit and finger sandwiches with the children from **12:05 to 1 pm;** look over the selection of books together and give grandparents a chance to *give the gift of books and reading* to children! Children with grandparents attending will present a very special song at 12:05, just for their grandparents!!

### THERE WILL BE A CHANGE TO PICK UP ON THIS DAY

Pick up loop will be from 11:50-12:00. At 12:00 grandparents may park and come in to enjoy time with the little ones.

**PIYAMADA**

Everybody is invited to wear pajamas on Thursday, February 9th and Friday, February 10th. The staff wears pajamas too! If your child resists wearing pajamas, you may want to bring some in case they change their mind when they see staff and other children wearing them. © PAJAMAS CAN HAVE A PRINT.

**PAJAMA DAYS**

**CURSOS DE VERANO**

Dates for summer camps: August 6 - Aug. 31. We will have 2 mini-camps and 2 camps 9-3 this year. [Check us out on YouTube](#)

**SUMMER CAMPS**

Registration form for 2012 summer camps: [Download form](#)

**EL PUENTE/RIVERSIDE**

[HERE](#) is the link for the Certification and Program applications in Spanish and English

Applications for the lottery are due Thursday, March 22, 2012 by 3:00pm

**Amiguitos!** is glad to provide parents with a "Certificate of Attendance", documenting your child's participation in our classes, the Spanish language proficiency acquired, etc. upon request. We have brochures about this at the reception desk. They have bilingual informational meetings on February 25th and March 6th.

**Valentine's Day Graphics**

Children can wear clothes with Valentine graphics on February 14th and 15th. GRACIAS. Please remember that we have a dress code on other days.

**ARTE**

**ART**

**Please make sure your children have a backpack or bag in their cubbies during the last week of the month so we can send artwork, book and placemat home.**

**¡FELIZ CUMPLEAÑOS!**



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Name	Program	Birthday	Age
August Amistadi	MWF Grupo Verde	2/6/07	5
Angel Chávez	MWF Grupo Verde	2/29/08	4
Génesis Avilés	Pre-K	2/27/07	5
Nathan Sostrin	Monday Amigos	2/12/03	9
Carson Doble	MWF Grupo Morado	2/1/08	4

**NO SCHOOL ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20. IT'S PRESIDENTS' DAY.**

**THANK YOU FOR PAYING TUITION THE FIRST DAY OF THE MONTH**