

Common Threads' Teacher Newsletter

MARCH 2019



Dear Teachers,

Happy almost Spring!

Cooking with students this winter has been a wonderful experience. Thank you for your participation and for opening up your classroom to Common Threads! **Cooking season ends March 12th. Snow make-up days have been scheduled for March 20th & 21st.**

Spring gardening starts the week of March 25th and runs through June 10th. Lessons are scheduled every other week this Spring, for a total of four-five garden lessons. Garden dates were set at the beginning of the year but you should receive a reminder of those dates from your Food Educator. You can view here the lesson plans for [K](#), [1st](#), [2nd](#), [3rd](#), [4th](#), and [5th](#) grades.

Please remember that we are always happy to hear your feedback on specific lessons either in person or in this [short form](#).

Thank you for your partnership!

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Scholarships for Camp

Do you know of any kids who would benefit from attending one of our **Spring Break or Summer Camp** programs at The Outback Farm (WWU)? We are happy to take referrals to our scholarship program!

We offer **needs-based scholarships** for all our camps. Information can be found at commonthreadsfarm.org/camp-programs.

5th Annual Dirt Fest

*Wednesday April 24th
2:30-4:30pm at Carl Cozier
Elementary*

Our fifth annual Dirt Fest will take place at Carl Cozier!

If you haven't been to Dirt Fest before, it is a **FREE** community garden party open to kids, their families, and teachers (and everyone!) to celebrate the arrival of spring. You'll find healthy snack samples, kids activities, live music, and seeds for sale.

We would love to see you there! For more information, visit: commonthreadsfarm.org/dirt-fest/



Summer Garden Care

We are starting our recruitment for summer garden care volunteers to help keep gardens happy and healthy over the summer break. Families can enjoy time in the garden together and the opportunity to take home some fresh produce!

Please share this link through SeeSaw or any other means of communicating with families:
commonthreadsfarm.org/summergardencare/

Thank you for supporting food education at your school!