



# The Kino Connection

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## Gracias to Sra. Eyler for another wonderful Cinco de Mayo Fiesta!!

By Maya

Every year, Sra. Eyler and the Espanol students throw a Cinco de Mayo party. The activities vary from year to year. Generally, Espanol students cook a classic Mexican-American meal. This year, the cooking and eating was enjoyed by the students, teachers, parents, and anyone who happened to wander by. The Fiesta went very well (veteran Spanish students still recall the enchilada frenzy of 2002, in which several enchiladas took a flying trip across the cafeteria, causing quite a disaster).

It all began with beautiful Mexican dancing. Tonisha, Mary, Lela, Ellie, Emma, Paige and Jona wore twirly skirts and dresses in bright colors while Emmi, Diego, and Taylor wore white collared shirts with ties and sombreros. They danced folklorico to a song called "La Negra." It was quite a performance.

Directly after the dancing, Sra Eyler, Judy, Libby, Ariel, and Maya served the comida, which included: cheese quesadillas, olive quesadillas, green chile quesadillas, bean and cheese burritos, fresh vegetables, tortillas, sautéed peppers and zucchini, pineapple, salsa, watermelon, and tortilla chips. After lunch, many people came to help clean everything up.

"I hope they liked the food. Thank you to my dancers, students, and the staff. When everybody was eating all over and everything, the health department came. David offered them some food, and they thought it was very important to celebrate Cinco de Mayo. David handled it all very well, but I was very worried and upset, thanks to my Greek heritage," said Sra. Eyler.

### David's Gone? By Brian Dahl

David- "the principal " is gone for Friday, Monday, and Tuesday because his son David Anderson, "The Younger One" who graduated in 2000 is graduating from Lewis and Clark. We will have a follow up on his graduation in a later Kino Connection.

Janet, also a former Kino graduate in 2000 is graduating from college this month in International Relations from Mount Holyoak in Massachusetts. Hopefully in a later issue, we will have a profile or interview of Janet.

Freddie, a fluffy, chubby hamster, needs a lovinghome forthe summer (May 28 - August).He loves TLC, playtime, and a clean cage once a week. He comes with all food, shavings, treats, toys, and cage PLUS \$50. No cats please! Conact Tonisha or Georgie Weaver 742-6291 ASAP.

**General Meeting  
and Project Sharing  
May 18 at 7:00 p.m.**

### The Kino Grocery Store!

The Kino grocery store will be here on May 17th! Mary Lou needs all empty cereal boxes, empty milk cartons, empty cans, empty soap boxes, empty pet food cartons, and anything else that we can sell in the store. Ask Mary Lou for other things that you can bring, and please bring it all in by May 14!!

For sale: 1986 Toyota Landcruiser \$4,500  
For free: A cute rat

Interested in either? call or talk to Marjie

Ssh! It's a surprise!!-Some really nice parents are planning to surprise the teachers with a teacher appreciation luncheon next week on Thursday, May 13. If you can help, please provide a dish or just help out on Thursday. Please call Lisa. Thanks!

