



# Manatee Messenger

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Mimosa Elementary School's mission is to educate and challenge students to reach their academic potential.

## Upcoming Events

### CRCT Clinic

Date: Saturday, Oct 18th

Place: Mimosa ES

Time: 9:00-12:30

Learn how you can help your elementary or middle school child prepare for the CRCT. Childcare and educational activities will be offered for children 3 years old and up. Breakfast will be served.

**Mark Your Calendar**  
Mimosa PTA Family Fun Walk  
Riverside Park  
Saturday, Oct. 25

**Save the Date: Nov. 22 1:00-4:00 pm**  
**Mimosa's Anniversary Party**

### Parent Conferences

We hope that you have now had a chance to meet with your child's teacher and discuss his/her progress and curriculum objectives for this school year. It is so important for teachers and parents to work together to help children be successful, and we thank you for making these meetings last Friday a priority for you. If, for any reason, you have not met with your child's teacher, please schedule this very important appointment as soon as possible.

### Wednesday is Early Release Day

Students will be dismissed at 11:30 am on Wednesday, October 15. This is a Professional Development afternoon for staff. Please return the attached form to your child's teacher so he/she will know how your child will go home Wednesday. Please remember that STAR House will NOT meet Wednesday.

Mimosa Takes First Place Honors



Saturday was the best day ever! Not only was the weather beautiful, but Mimosa's "Go Green" float took FIRST PLACE honors in the Roswell Youth Day Parade! It was so exciting to walk with our float and hear all the "ooh's and ahh's" from the children and adults on the sidelines. Our float, with the help of the children in our super chorus and Mimosa's "green" band, was an awesome sight...and the judges thought so, too!

Our thanks to the children who participated, to Mr. Deas for working with our classes on this project, to Ms. Fisher and Ms. Pugliese for supporting it with our chorus and "green" band, and to all our staff helpers who attended the event with us. Everyone really had a great time, and we know the children are very proud of their efforts.



## Redistricting Meeting

Community meetings planned for Oct. 23, Nov. 13 and Dec. 10 will address the redistricting process for a new elementary school and classroom additions planned in north Fulton. The meetings will be held from 7-9 p.m. at the Milton Center (formerly Milton High School at 86 School Drive, Alpharetta). The location for all three meetings was previously announced for Elkins Pointe Middle School, but has been changed to the Milton Center. **NO** meetings will be held at Elkins Pointe.

The new elementary school, currently under construction on Birmingham Highway in Milton, is scheduled to open in August 2009. Classroom additions also are being constructed at Roswell North Elementary and Mountain Park Elementary to open the same year. Existing attendance zones at other north Fulton elementary schools will be modified to create the new attendance boundaries and to balance overcrowding at schools located west of GA 400.

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