

FRIDAY MUSINGS

4/28/2017

Be someone else's
sunshine.
Be the reason
someone smiles
today.

"You are never fully dressed without a smile" Unknown

THE GARDNER SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES

STUDENT

ART

MAY 11TH & 12TH

OPENING EVENT MAY 11TH
3:30 - 4:30 PM

SHOW

STUDENT ART SHOW
May 11 & 12 in the Great Room

Please join us on Thursday, May 11, at 3:30 pm for the opening event of the 2017 Student Art Show.
Enjoy snacks and student art and contribute to a community art project.

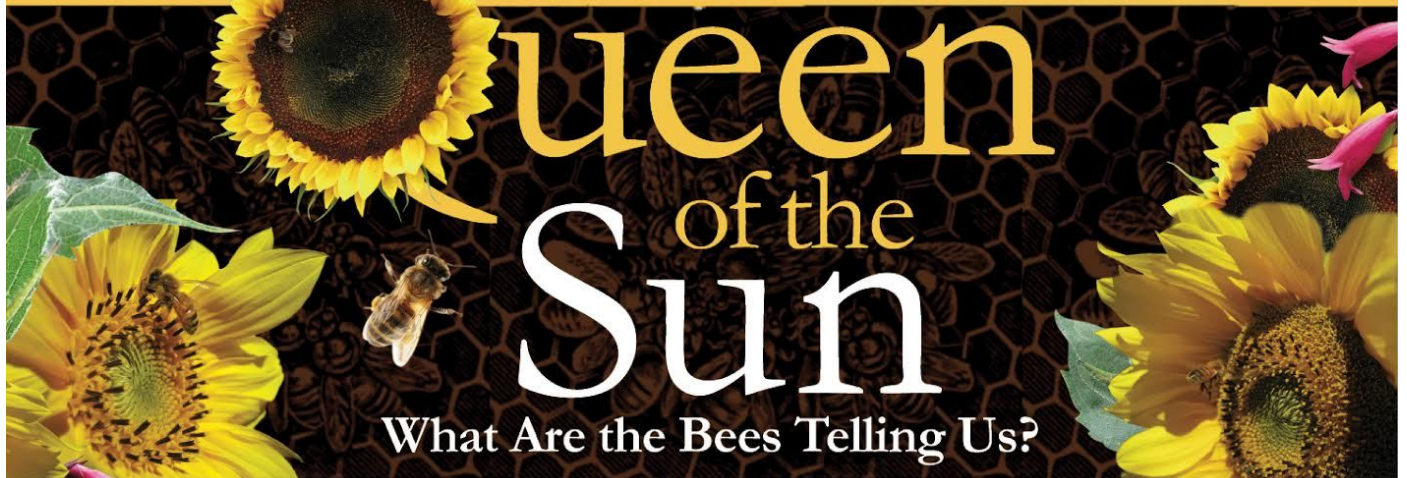
May 11
3:30 - 4:30 OPENING EVENT
3:30 - 6:00 Open Viewing

May 12
8:15 am - 4:00 pm Open Viewing

This year the art show will include the Seated in Community chairs for the last preview before they begin their summer tour around Clark County.

COMMUNITY SCREENING

FOLLOWED BY Q & A WITH THE DIRECTOR & PRODUCER



FRIDAY, MAY 12TH • 6-9 PM

We want to start by thanking everyone who came out to welcome and support the return of our bees to campus last week. Already this has been such an amazing experience for our students and families. Don't hesitate to come take a look at the hive in the Mazama classroom.

It is an important part of our mission that our students develop an awareness of their connection and responsibility to their community, environment and the world. As we begin this bee journey we want to reach out beyond our campus and educate about the crucial issues related to bees.

On May 12th, The Gardner School of Arts & Sciences will be hosting a screening of the award-winning movie *The Queen of the Sun*, followed by a special Q&A session with the director, Taggart Siegel and producer Jon Betz.

The goal of The Bee Cause Project, who awarded our grant, is to install over 1,000 observation hives in classrooms and community spaces across the country. We are so grateful for the ongoing experiences that our hive will bring our students, that we want to "pay it forward." Donations and proceeds from the screening event will go to The Bee Cause Project, so our school can sponsor a hive in another school.

Please help us get the word out about this amazing event. There are extra posters in the office and attached to print. Please share the Facebook event. We really want to reach beyond the Gardner community.

[The Queen of the Sun and Collective Eye Productions](#)
[The Bee Cause Project](#)

JEFF'S CORNER

- *Loowit News!* I want to welcome **Missy Gladski** back to the Gardner Family. Missy will be our new Loowit teacher next year. Missy has years of experience in teaching, and actually helped start the Loowit program with Jackie in 2004! She will be an amazing addition to an already stellar team of educators!
- Does your child suffer from Anger Overload? [Read Here](#)
- Mindful Parenting is real, read about the rewards! [Here](#)

PTO

It is Teacher Appreciation next week. Have you shown your child's teacher how amazing you think they are? Please check your folders for more information from the PTO!

MISCELLANEOUS

- Don't miss out on our AMAZING **Summer Camp Offerings**:
<https://gardnerschool.org/learning/summer-camps/>
- Mark your calendars for our Spring "Wheels in School" Day! **Friday, May 12th**, we will close the parking lot and watch our kids, scoot, skate and bike around.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Next Week

1-3 – *Wy'East to Fort Stevens*

3 – *PTO Meeting 8.45am in the Farmhouse*

4,5 – *Loowit Overnight ZooSnooze; Kalama/Tahoma Newport Beach Trip*

May

11 – *Gardner Art Show Opening, 3.30pm*

12 – *Wheels in School*

18 – *Talent Night 6.30pm*

22-29 – *Tahoma Civil Rights Trip*

22-25 – *Klickitat Islandwood Trip*

29 – *Memorial Day-No School (NCC)*

June

2 – *Gardner Market!*

7 – *PTO Meeting 8.45am*

5-9 – *Whole School Assessment Week*

12 – *8th Grade Project Presentations 8.45am*

13 – *Field Day Early Childhood 9.45-11.15am; 8th Grade Graduation 12.45pm*

14 – *Community Appreciation Breakfast 8.30am*

15 – *Loowit/Tahoma Field Day 12.45pm*

16 – *Last Day 11.30am Dismissal (NCC); Potluck Picnic 11.30-1.30pm*

27 – *Progress Reports Released*