



MANHASSET SCHOOL COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Dear Parents,

Birthday celebrations in school are fun and part of a student's elementary school experience. The focus has always been on the cupcakes, snacks and other treats parents send in. With a new sensitivity to nutrition, concerns about allergies and other issues that have come up in recent years, we are giving parents the option of celebrating with something other than food - an activity or fun giveaways, for example. ***The choice is yours.***

Your child can certainly choose to bring in a snack as before by setting it up with the teacher. However, if you and your child prefer a non-food celebration, the SCA will provide a special birthday card, designed by our very own Mrs. Tripi, that your child would have signed by well wishers and then bring home. The SCA will also provide pencils or pens for your child to give out in honor of his/her birthday. The class will sing happy birthday to your child just as in any other birthday celebration. If your child would like to participate, please fill out the form below and place in the SCA mailbox.

The birthday card option will be complimentary for this school year. This is a matter of personal choice for you and your child!

Thank you,
Kristin Mulholland
President, Shelter Rock SCA

My Child _____ would like to have a non-food celebration.
He/she is in _____ class.

His/her birthday is on _____.

_____ No, thank you my child would like to bring in a food treat for the class.

Parent's Signature

Please send in the form one month before the birthday celebration.