



## READING RENDEZVOUS – Parent Information

Begins March 23, 2023

Where will you rendezvous and read?

- 1) Students listen to and read books at KIDS OASIS.
- 2) Students receive free books for their home libraries every month – Students Reading Treat!
- 3) Parents & Caregivers learn about the benefits of reading to their children by reading helpful information –  
Parents Reading Treat!
- 4) Families read together to help increase reading skills.

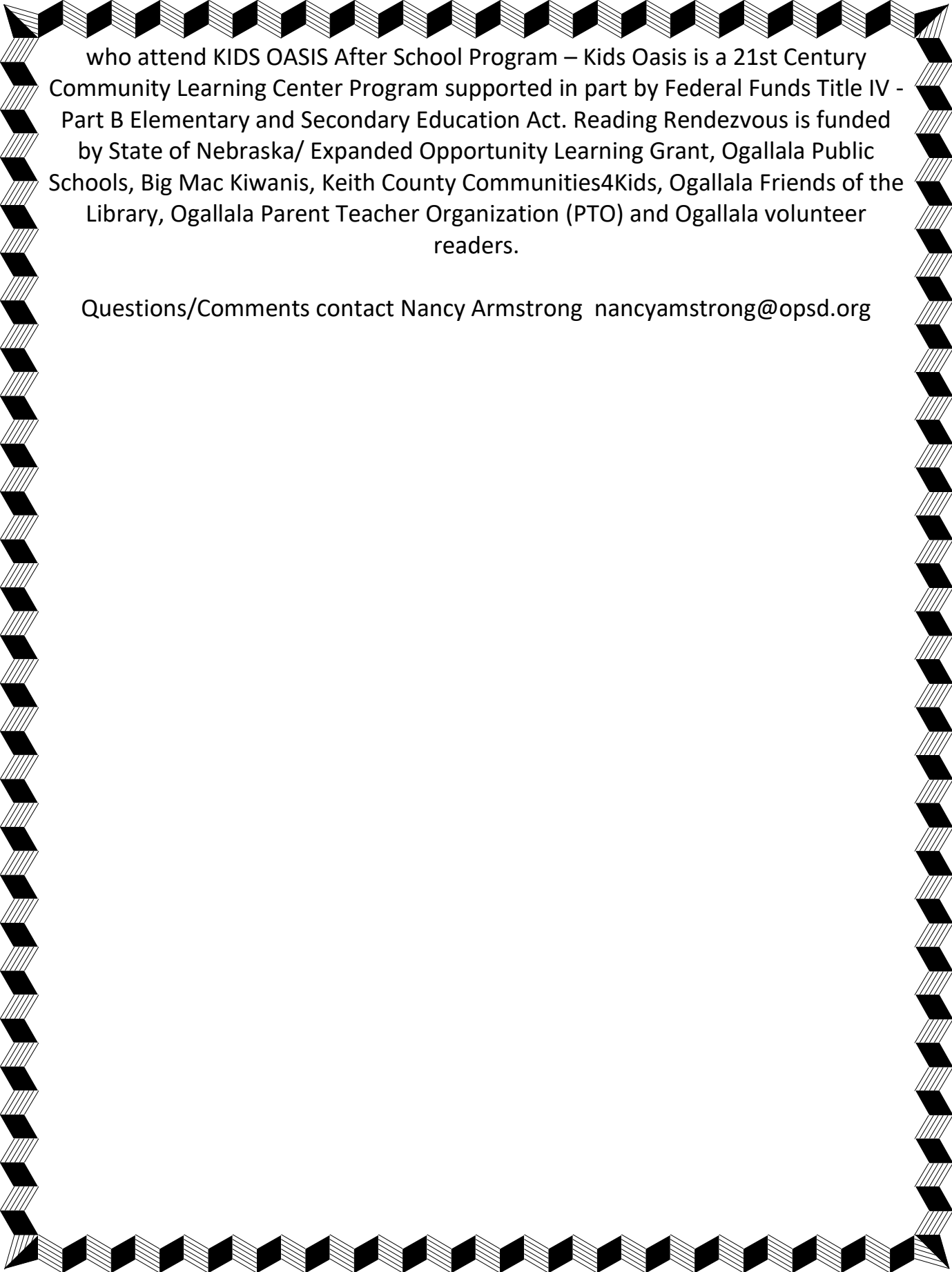
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Spring begin/continue to read for 20 minutes each day. Beginning March 23 we will have a Reading Rendezvous Challenge for families to read for 25 days for 20 minutes or more and receive a Book Box.

Reading aloud with children is the single most important activity for success in reading.

(Research from *Becoming a Nation of Readers*)

Reading Rendezvous is offered to students in Ogallala



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