

Accelerated readers enjoy the park



HERE I COME!! Chandler Hamilton was making good time on his scooter.



TRICK SKATER — Lane Hobrock was doing some fancy skating.



YOLANDA GOMEZ has her yoyo techniques down to an art.



SCOOTERS WERE EVERYWHERE — Dravin Houtman, front, and Wyatt Hilt wore off a lot of energy.



KYLA HICKS is practicing jumping rope.

Reading is fun —

Each month, those reaching their goals in the Accelerated Reading program enjoy a fun activity. On Friday, it was a day in the sun at Sawhill Park. Kids brought their skate boards, scooters, balls and yoyos. There were students everywhere, from the band shell, to the fountain, to on all the sidewalks. Some spilled over into the city park where they were playing basketball. Others were having fun just being out in the warm, spring air.

School is winding down, with the last day scheduled for May 21. Children will soon be going to the swimming pool or ball diamond instead of headed for school. It is a time for drivers to use extra caution watching for children who might not look before crossing the street.

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