

Ms. B.'s Newsletter October 31-November 4, 2016

News and Notes:

- Keep our annual Fall Festival on your calendar! It is Thursday, November 10th. Friday, November 11th will be a professional development day for faculty and parent/teacher conferences will be this day as well. More details to follow.
- Congratulations to all who helped to making the 25% mark in our Annual Fund! Halloween costumes were fun and the children really handled wearing them well! I'm very proud of the class! :)
- The students have worked really hard on a green screen habitat project with the help of some fifth grade students. We would like to invite parents to come in to watch them on Monday, November 7th, from 1:30-2:00 in the Collaboration Corner. If you aren't able to come, I can send your child's to you. Each one only lasts about a minute.

Studies for the week:

Reading: "Jamaica Louise James" nonfiction, SUCH a good story :) Test Friday, November 4th

Spelling:

- 1. lunch 11. shadow
- 2. shape 12. bathtub
- 3. wish 13. starfish
- 4. chop 14. matchbox
- 5. show 15. sandwich
- 6. catch
- 7. then

- 8. each
- 9. bath
- 10. such

Vocabulary: bought, draw, especially, minute, picture, question, sure

Robust Vocabulary

- 1. <u>filthy-</u>something is very dirty
- 2. <u>fellow</u>-describes a person who has something is a boss in charge of a business
- 3. executive-when someone is a boss in charge of a business
- 4. <u>renowned</u>-you are famous for something ***this was misspelled on the study sheet**
- 5. <u>kin</u>-all of your family members and relatives

Grammar: abbreviations

Science: Habitat Project Presentations Date: Monday, November 7th

Math: Math 48-52 Test Wednesday December 4th

Social Studies:

Unit 1, Governing Our People, test tba

Bible: Joshua 1-5

- 1. God chose Joshua to be the new leader of His people after Moses died.
- 2. God told Joshua He would be with him.
- 3. Joshua sent two spies to find out about the city of Jericho.
- 4. Rahab hid those spies and saved them from the king's men.
- 5. She tied a red cord in the window so her family would be saved when God gave the Israelites the city.
- 6. The Israelites had to cross the Jordan River to get to Canaan.
- 7. The priests carried the Ark of the Covenant on their shoulders.
- 8. When the priests' feet touched the Jordan River, the water stopped flowing.
- 9. The people walked through on dry land.

10. Twelve stones were set up to help the people remember how God helped them.

November memory verse: Students must recite this verse by Wednesday, November 30th.

"Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever." Psalm 118:1