

Fourth Grade Gazette



Baby It's Cold Outside

EVERY DAY, please send in all needed winter gear. This includes coats, boots, snow pants, hats, mittens, scarves, warm socks, etc. Students will be going outside for a morning Brain Break, lunch recess, and occasional outdoor activities. They will be very uncomfortable without winter outfits.



Mug Exchange

On Wednesday, December 21st, we will be participating in a mug exchange with third and fifth grades. We are asking each student to bring in a wrapped mug. Please do not put any names on the wrapped mug. We will get together with the other classes to play musical mugs. Later we will use the mugs to learn about each other and enjoy our hot chocolate from Treat Street.



Happy Birthday!

Lauren December 8

Monday, December 5, 2011



Snappy Spelling

Some suggestions for studying spelling words:

- ABC Order - Write words in alphabetical order.
- Rainbow Words - Write words in three colors.
- Silly Sentences - Use all your words in silly sentences.
- Picture Words - Draw a picture and write words under picture.
- Chalkboard - Use a chalkboard, whiteboard, computer or Etch-a-Sketch to write words.
- Jump rope - Say one letter per hop as you jump rope.

Reminders:

December

- ⇒ Spelling Pre-Test Monday - Test Friday
- ⇒ Pancake Dinner to support the Monschau family 12-16
- ⇒ Treat Street, 12-21
- ⇒ Winter Break, 12-22 - 1-2

January

- ⇒ School Resumes 1-3
- ⇒ January 3 Reading Calendar due
- ⇒ January 16 No Students/Staff Training

February

- ⇒ February 1 Reading Calendar due
- ⇒ February 3 Student Progress Report
- ⇒ February 10 Valentine Celebration
- ⇒ February 13-20 Mid-Winter Recess/NO School

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Lifetime Word doesn't

Holiday Shoppe Volunteers Needed:

The children are very excited to be able to shop for loved ones during the annual Holiday Shoppe. We want to make this a special event for them. Many parent volunteers are needed. Approximately 10 people are needed each day, throughout the day to help with purchases, wrapping and collecting money. Sign up today!

Sale hours are:

December 14th - 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

December 15th - 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.

December 16th - 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Chatfield Family Contribution:

Thank you to those families who have donated to the Chatfield Family Contribution fund. We are asking that you search your heart and your pocketbook and make your Chatfield Family Contribution today. Checks can be placed in an envelope in the lobby, office or can be given to your child's homeroom teacher. Our goal is to have 100% family participation.

The "Chatfield Family Contribution" program is simple... each Chatfield family is asked to contribute a suggested donation of \$50--in lieu of the kids participating in multiple fundraisers throughout the year. Please contribute as you are able. Your child can only benefit from your participation. 100% of the funds collected go directly to support the learning experience and environment of Chatfield. Your contribution is tax deductible. If our goal is met, no extra burden will be placed on your family to sell multiple fundraiser merchandise to friends, families and neighbors

Spelling Words: The Stranger

1. railroad
2. airport
3. seat belt
4. everywhere
5. homesick
6. understand
7. background
8. anything
9. ninety-nine
10. already
11. fireplace
12. ourselves
13. all right
14. forever
15. breakfast
16. whenever
17. everything
18. meanwhile
19. afternoon
20. make-believe
21. inside
22. outside
23. birthday
24. baseball
25. sometimes

Challenge Words

1. landmark
2. nationwide
3. postscript
4. motorcycle
5. handkerchief

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