

5th Grade Newsletter

Week of 1/9-1/13

January's book report will be on a historical fiction. Students should choose a book by Monday, January 9th.

As we begin a new calendar year, please ask your child to check their supply tubs for pencils or mechanical lead, scissors, and glue sticks.

We will focus on history for the entire month of January. Our studies will be about the 13 colonies and the American Revolution. Revolutionary War Day is January 31st. This is a special day in which a field trip comes to us in the gym. Permission slips will be sent home this week. Please return with the \$15. This is a great event for all parents to come and watch. **Students will receive their roles on Tuesday, January 10th. They must memorize their lines.** Students need to wear a costume.

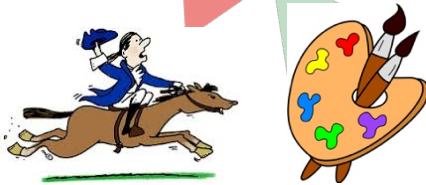
In reading, we are working on Theme 3, Voices of the Revolution. These stories will enhance our social studies theme for the month. AR tests will be taken in class after each story.

Students were given a goal for AR points at the beginning of the quarter. Please help by making sure they are reading continually. They may take an AR test any time they finish a book. We have just 2 weeks left before the end of the quarter.

\$25 Needed

\$18 – American Revolution day

\$7 art board for yearbook



Spelling/Vocabulary

Words.

Wordly Wise Lesson #10

1. available
2. bondage
3. donate
4. establish
5. evade
6. liberate
7. numerous
8. occasion
9. oppose
10. prohibit
11. pursue
12. reassure
13. reluctant
14. superior
15. yearn
16. independence
17. revolution
18. patriot
19. liberty
20. loyalist

Upcoming

- ↪ January 10th - 12th – Cheer Camp with Basketball
- ↪ Wednesday, January 11th: Art with Mrs. Macpherson
- ↪ Monday, January 16th: Martin Luther King Day, No School
- ↪ Wednesday, January 18th: 5th Grade group picture, Art with Mrs. Macpherson, History Vocabulary Quiz for chapter 7
- ↪ Thursday, January 19th: Chapter 7 History test
- ↪ Friday, January 20th: Market Day, minimum day, end of 2nd quarter
- ↪ Tuesday, January 31st: Revolutionary War Day

Bible Memory Verse:

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.

Psalm 119:105

Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you, saying, "This is the way: walk in it." Isaiah 30:21