



Jackson Memorial Elementary School News May 2014

In 1st grade, we have been doing a lot of learning and growing! Our reading skill development is right on track! We are so proud of our FANTASTIC readers! Even though, it's getting close to the end of the year please **DON'T STOP** reading with your student. It's very important that we continue to support our 1st grade readers to be the very best readers that they can be! In math, we loved learning about estimation - it was so much fun! We can definitely make a good guess on how many days of school we have left! And now, we are moving right on to money. Can we count all of your money? In Social Studies, we learned a lot about George Washington Carver and we are so happy he invented PEANUT BUTTER! YUM! We are also learning about matter in Science and how everyday materials interact with water. We are looking forward to seeing our students continue to learn and grow!

DATES TO REMEMBER

4/29 - End of 5th six weeks
4/30 - Spring Choral Concert 1:00
5/7 - 6/3 - SOL Testing
5/26 - Regular School Day
5/30 - 3rd - 5th Field Day
6/2 - PreK - 2nd Field Day
6/5 - Awards Day
6/6 - Last Day of School (12:30 dismissal)

It's hard to believe that it's already the last six weeks of school!
 Fifth grade has been busy learning about the Civil War in history. We are starting to review for upcoming SOL tests this month. It is important for students to be completing homework and reviewing daily. Let's make this last six weeks a great one!

Third graders are continuing to work hard to be ready for SOL testing! The Science SOL test is Wednesday, May 7th. The History SOL test is Monday, May 12th. The Reading SOL test will be Thursday, May 15th. Math will be tested in two parts: Wednesday, May 21st and Thursday, May 22nd. Please review nightly. Thank you to the friends and family members who were able to join us for Building Bridges day. We appreciate your support!



Annual Spring Book Fair a Success

Mrs. Ward would like to thank the following parents for volunteering and helping make the Book Fair a success: Angela Porter, Christy Brecht, Stacey Alley, Dana Adams, Melissa Austin, and Timothy Favorite.



ATTENTION! Do not line up for Parent Pick-up before 2:40 p.m. Riders are not dismissed until 3:15 p.m.



Please keep your child's lunch account balance current. All monies for charges for breakfast/lunch are to be sent to the office in a separate envelope.