



Jackson Memorial Elementary School News



March 2014

DATES TO REMEMBER

3/3 - Dr. Seuss' Day

3/10 - PTO Meeting @ 6:30, PK, K, & 4th grades presenting

3/11 - End of 4th six weeks.
EARLY DISMISSAL

3/14 - 1st Annual Miss Jackson Pageant

3/20 - 1st Day of Spring!

First Graders are MARCHing forward to 2nd Grade. We are continuing to improve our reading and writing strategies. In Math, we are working on telling time to the hour and half-hour, as well as working on fractions. In Science, we are discovering all the ways that forces, motion, and energy affect our everyday lives. 1st graders are also looking forward to warmer weather. Parents and Guardians: Please continue to read with

Third grade has had a great start to the New Year! We hosted the February PTO meeting with 1st grade, and paid a memorable tribute to many of our Famous Americans included in our SOL's! Many thanks to all the students and parents who made this event special! We were encouraged by the participation and wonderful costumes that the students exhibited :-). We also were able to attend a very FUN showing of *The Emperor's New Clothes*. It was a very fun morning topped with a little pizza from Pizza Hut! The servers at the restaurant really bragged on our well behaved students :-). Continue READING nightly and learning

It's hard to believe that spring is right around the corner! Fifth graders are busy preparing for the upcoming Writing SOL Test. The Writing SOL Test will be on March 27th and April 2nd. Students are working on writing essays and typing their final drafts. Please continue to work with your child on writing in complete sentences and punctuation. Thank you for the continued support at home!

K-3rd grades attended *The Emperor's New Clothes* presented by The Barter Players on Friday, February 21st. We had a great time and would like to thank the Wythe County PLAY fund for providing this opportunity

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

Daylight Savings time begins on March 9, 2014. Don't forget to set your clocks forward 1 hour!



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.