From the Desk of Miss McElfresh

Thursday, February 11, 2016

The students did a great job in class this week! They wrapped up their learning about how laws are made and started working on measurement in math. They also finished their Book Club Final Task and presented it to the class. We wrapped up our week with a very fun Valentine's Day party this afternoon. Thank you to all of the parents who contributed towards making a fun celebration for the children!

Please make sure to check the Lancer folders today, as we sent home a Flat Stanley assignment. Once you have reviewed the directions, feel free to let me know if you have any questions or need any assistance in finding someone to send it to.

On a separate note, we have had several students completing Otter Creek Addition and there are many who will be completing it over the next few weeks! I'm so impressed with how hard many of the students are working to be successful in Otter Creek. It is such a valuable program and our upcoming math concepts rely heavily on the knowledge of math facts. When your child completes Levels A to Z in Addition for Otter Creek, they will be presented with a certificate during morning assembly. Mrs. Regan announces the students who pass Otter Creek at the end of each week. You are more than welcome to join us at morning assembly on the week that your child passes! This is no small feat, so make sure to celebrate your children as they continue to succeed in this very important program.

I wish everyone a lovely weekend and a happy Valentine's Day! ©

What are we learning next week?

<u>Reading:</u> How can you use text evidence to answer questions? <u>Math</u>: How do you measure in centimeters? <u>Writing</u>: Grammar: Linking Verbs <u>Science</u>: What are force and motion? <u>Religion</u>: What is Lent and how is it celebrated?

Upcoming Events

No School February 12 and 15

No School February 26

2nd Grade Family Mass March 6

**First Communion Parent Meeting Tuesday, March 22 at 6:30 **_