

Stonegate Elementary School Fourth Grade Newsletter Month of November 2009



WHAT'S GOING ON

Language Arts:

- * We are using *Write Traits* to formulate ideas and use organization
- * We are analyzing the elements of historical & realistic fiction.
- * We are identifying the characteristics of historical & realistic fiction.

Math:

- * We are demonstrating our knowledge number patterns and their relationships with variables
- * We are demonstrating our knowledge of multiplication and division facts
- * We are demonstrating our knowledge of plane geometry and relationships of plane to solid figures

Science:

- * We are identifying how organisms are affected by the environment.
- * We are stating how human behaviors affect the environment.
- * We are analyzing the ability of an individual to survive and reproduce.
- * We are developing explanations that include supporting evidence.

Social Studies:

- * We are analyzing how the characteristics of a region can influence a population and its culture.
- * We are analyzing how the characteristics of a location influence economic prosperity and industrial growth.
- * We are identifying how people change their environment and what the consequences may be from those changes.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

- No School, November 2, 2009 ☺
- Silver Spork Celebration., November 3, 2009
- PTA Meeting., November 3, 2009
- Mrs. Morgan's Math Class Unit 1 Test, November 3 & 4, 2009
- Mrs. Morgan's Social Studies Test, November 3, Mrs. Thebaud November 5, and Mr. Burd November 6, 2009
- Mr. Burd's Math Class Unit 1 Test, November 6, 2009, & Mrs. Thebaud TBA
- Early Release Days, November 11 & 12, 2009
- Family Fun Night & Silent Auction, November 14, 2009
- Principal's Coffee, November 20, 2009
- Early Release Day, November 25, 2009
- No School, November 26 & 27, 2009

DON'T FORGET

ASK ME ABOUT

- * Patricia Polacco
- * Ecosystems
- * Eloise Greenfield

TAKE A BOW ☺

- * The fourth grade should take a bow for representing Stonegate E.S. so well at the Close Encounters Agricultural Farm field trip.
- * The fourth grade should also take a bow for completing one successful marking period in fourth grade.

DON'T FORGET

- * To sign your child's planner every night.
- * To review your child's data notebook when it comes home.
- * To help your child keep their binder organized and check their backpacks frequently.
- * To confirm your conference date