



Grade 1 News
Mrs. Van Vleck's Class
C. R. Weeks Elementary
Date: May 20, 2010

Language Arts

Our spelling words are could, park, farm, girl, stir, helper and one word that is your child's choice taken from his/her writing.

We will be reading Theme 10 Week 2, "Fireflies for Nathan." The vocabulary is above, against, already, caught, begin, minute, dark, star, jar, and arm. We are continuing to work on the final set of high frequency words and are stressing words with the ar sound.

We are using graphic organizers to plan our writing. We will be writing an animal story next week.

Words of the month for May are satisfaction, pride and personal reflection.

Monday is Day 6 - Music.

Math

We continue to stress related addition and subtraction facts. We are working on a unit about three dimensional figures, open and closed shapes, and lines of symmetry.

Music, Art and Science

We are finishing up our units about plants and space. We will be learning about our country, patriotism, symbols of our country and the pledge.

Supplies

Another box of tissues would be appreciated.

Note to Parents

May 27th – Field trip to The Anderson Center to see "Henry and Mudge" Please have your child bring lunch. We will eat in the classroom before lunches are being served. If you would prefer to purchase a bag lunch to eat in the classroom, please let me know as soon as possible. I sent a bag lunch paper home with the homework slip to be returned if you want a cafeteria bag lunch on fieldtrip day.

May 28 – Last Breakfast Club

May 31 – No school

June 3 – Science Fair

June 4 – Disco Dance 3:30 – 5:00

June 5 – Community Yard Sale & BBQ at West Windsor Fire Dept.

June 7 Concert

June 11 – Buddy Field Days

June 17 – Class Picnic, Wear Sneakers, Bring Lunch, a towel, toys with your name on them

June 18 – Half Day for Children, Variety Show in the morning

June 21 – 9:15 – 11:00 Awards k – 2

June 23 – Last Day of School (Half Day)