EASTVIEW EDUCATOR

School Newsletter for the Month of January 2014.

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Mrs. Walker and students have been hard at work preparing for the second grade concert!
It has been rescheduled for this Tuesday, February 4th @ 7pm.

5th Grade students completed an informative report on one of the 50 states. As part of the project 5th graders had a food fair. Here a student is explaining the facts about Arkansas. In a few moments the student listening will also get a food sample that Arkansas is known for.

UPCOMING DATES:

FEBRUARY

4 – Spring Fundraiser Kick-off
4 – Marcos Pizza Night
4 – 2nd Grade Concert, 7pm
10 – PTO Meeting, 5:30pm
17 – No School, President's Day
21 – Interims Go Home
24 – Kindergarten Registration Begins
26 – Board Meeting, 6pm
27 – Parent/Teacher Conferences

MARCH

4 – Parent/Teacher Conferences
7 – Kindergarten Registration Ends
21 – End of 3rd 9 weeks
2 hour early dismissal

EASTVIEW TEXT LIST

If you have text service on your phone you can place yourself on the Eastview Elementary Text List to receive our building updates, delays, closings, and reminders. To get on the text list from Eastview Elementary simply send a text to **614-450-0586** and type in the following word: **@eastvi**

During times of inclement weather, stay tuned to WMAN am 1400, and WMFD channel 15 for the latest information regarding school delays, early dismissals, and closings. **As a reminder, when school is on a 2 hour delay, students cannot be dropped off before 10:20, and breakfast is not served at school.** Please plan accordingly so your child eats before they arrive.

Message From The Principal

Dear Parents,

"The sun did not shine. It was too wet to play. So we sat in the house. All that cold, cold, wet day." – *Dr. Seuss, The Cat in the Hat*

Even though it has been cold out, our students continue to warm their minds in school. Students have been completing mid-year assessments in Math and Reading. Assessments are a very important part of education because data results are what drive instruction. By benchmarking students' skill levels, we can measure growth from the beginning of the year as well as make calculated decisions in designing instruction for students. Our goal is to make sure that we are developing every child's potential to learn and succeed. With the Ohio Achievement Assessments a little over 2 months in front of us we will continue to work hard and prepare our students to do their very best!

In addition to academics, we also encourage our students to do their best with behavior as well. The pictures to the left are from the December Green Party. In order to attend each month's Green Party, students must stay on green the entire month. Special thanks to the PTO and parent volunteers who came in to help coordinate these activities and show their support for our students!

Best wishes for a great rest of the school year, and hoping for an early Spring!

Jonathan Muro
Principal

SPOTLIGHT ON STAFF MEMBER

Name – Elizabeth Hicks
Grade – 5, Language Arts
Years at Eastview Elementary – 2
Years in Education – 4
Favorite Color – Black
Favorite Food – Ice Cream
Favorite Book – "Hatchet" Series
Favorite Author – Gary Paulsen

FACTS & FIGURES

State of Ohio Public School Enrollment Information (2012 data from ODE)

Kindergarten	134,045	Seventh Grade	135,017
First Grade	131,938	Eighth Grade	134,781
Second Grade	131,264	Ninth Grade	148,732
Third Grade	130,979	Tenth Grade	136,635
Fourth Grade	131,791	Eleventh Grade	134,506
Fifth Grade	134,129	Twelfth Grade	129,580
Sixth Grade	135,401	Ungraded	3,254

Total Number of Students 1,752,322

PTO NEWS:

-Spring Fundraiser Kick-off is Tuesday, February 4th

-February Meeting is on Monday the 10th @ 5:30pm

-Fundraiser orders due back on Tuesday, February 18th

-Book Fair starts on Monday, February 24th

President – *Tina Nikolaus* ***Fundraising Coordinator*** – *Amanda Loyer* ***Treasurer*** – *Tiffany Adkins* ***Secretary*** – *Tana Isaac*