

Mrs. Rhoads’ Weekly Newsletter

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**Classroom Reminder**

**Fun Friday –** This week we haveNorah’s family scheduled.

**End of First Quarter**

It is hard to believe that this week is the end of the first quarter of First Grade. First Quarter report cards will go home on Wednesday, October 23rd.

**Tests**

There are no tests scheduled this week ☺

**Seward Farms Field Trip**

Our filed trip to Seward Farms will be Monday, October 28th. Permission forms and information was sent home last week. Please complete the form and send it to school with payment. Money and permission forms CANNOT be accepted after 8:15 am on Thursday, October 17th.

**Cookie Dough pick-up**

If you participated in the cookie dough fundraiser, please plan to pick up items Thursday, October 17th between 11:00 am and 3:00 pm.

**Be A Champion! READ!**

Flyers were sent home a couple of weeks ago. Read the information, complete the back of the flyer and return to the teacher by October 20th, if you would like for your child to qualify to win IRON BOWL tickets! ☺

**Book Fair**

Our library will host a book fair the week of October 21st. Students may bring money in an envelope and will have a chance to make a purchase during the school day. Parents and Grandparents may also shop with their child during the times below.

Monday - Parenting Day 9:00-10:00 (after the program)

Tuesday - Muffins with Mom 7:00-8:00

Wednesday – Doughnuts with Dad 7:00-8:00

Thursday – Grandparents Day (after your child’s program)

**Grandparents’ Day**

First Grade has been preparing for a special day for Grandparents during their music classes. Please let our Grandparents know that they are invited to attend their special day at our school on Thursday, October 24th.☺

Please find the time of your child’s program below.

8:30 Reding, Rhoads, Ward

10:00 Martin, Gleason, Day

11:30 Prater, Garner, Boman, Little

1:00 Smith, Cost, Wallace

**Red Ribbon Week Schedule**

Monday 10/21 – “Your future is bright” Wear sunglasses with uniforms.

Tuesday 10/22- “Sock it to Bullying!” Wear silly socks with uniform.

Wednesday 10/23 – “Team Up” Wear team jerseys with uniform bottoms.

Thursday 10/24 - “Use your Head: Make Good Choices!” Wear a hat with uniform.

Friday 10/25- Band Together: Unite the Land! Wear Spartan attire and receive a wristband.

**Halloween**

Students may wear non-scary and non-violent costumes on Monday, October 31st. Please make sure that costumes are comfortable to wear all day and that students can go to the restroom without help with costume. No inflatable costumes allowed.

**Dates to Remember**

**Monday, October 14-15th** -Fall Break-No School

**Thursday, October 17th** – Class Pictures

 Cookie Dough pick-up 11:00-3:00

**Friday, October 18th**- Out of Uniform $2

**Week of October 21st**- Book Fair

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**Monday, October 21st** – Alabama Parenting Day

**Wednesday, October 23rd-** Report Cards go home

**Thursday, October 24th**- Grandparents Day Program

**Monday, October 28th-** Seward Farms Field Trip

**Thursday, October 31st**-Halloween Costumes may be worn

 No scary costumes

**Skills Being Taught This Week**

**Reading beginning on Thursday:** Open Syllable (a, e, i, o, u), informational text, Shades of Meaning (Synonyms)

**Math:** Review Addition and Subtraction within 10

**Language Arts:** Review Poetry, Handwriting

**Social Sciences:** Review

**Week 9**

**Beginning Thursday, October 10th**