

FIRST GRADE CORNER

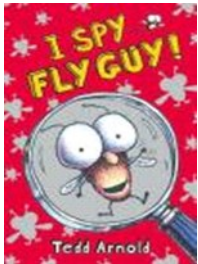
We will finish our unit, Families and Neighbors this month. We have learned how important families and neighbors are and especially how important we are to our families. We have learned about maps and the many people that work in our community. In math we are working on different strategies to help us learn basic addition and subtraction facts. In character education we are discussing how to recognize the feelings of others and how to control our behavior. All the first graders are enjoying the new music program. We are looking forward to parent conferences and the holidays ahead.

1st Grade Teachers,
Mrs. Bonelli, Mrs. Parks, Mrs. Kerr and Mrs. Fischman

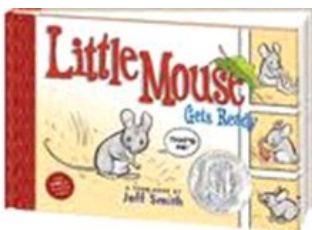
FIRST GRADE BOOK CORNER

Always wondering what books are best for your child's age and grade? Introducing - BOOK CORNER! Suggested reading for our kids. Help your child be empowered by reading books they'll be interested in and excited about!

THIS MONTH WE'RE FEATURING: Early readers - Grades K, 1st:



I Spy Fly Guy - Scholastic 2009 - Tedd Arnold - This is a silly book (7th in a series of "Fly Guy" books) that is great for reluctant readers. Silly and fun content. Buzz and his pet Fly Guy are playing a game of hide n' seek when Fly Guy gets whisked off to the dump and Buzz must find him.



Little Mouse Gets Ready - Toon Books 2009 - Mama is calling for little mouse to get ready and go - a fun read great for beginners about a mouse getting dressed, with a surprise ending.



The Magic School Bus Plants Seeds - Joanna Cole, Bruce Degan - A book about how living things grow, ages 6+ - The Magic School House Bus has long been an elementary reading favorite. Let your child's imagine run wild while learning about how things grow in this fun, adventure filled book while Ms. Frizzle and her class go on an adventure.

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**Our next restaurant night is
at
Ruby's Diner**



at Westfield Promenade on November 14th.

Come hungry and raise money for our school.

Last month we made almost \$500 at the Island's restaurant night.




**KIDS
HOLIDAY
GIFT SHOP**

November 29 - December 7

Kids, start saving you allowance money
Gift prices will range
from \$1-\$15.

This is a great place to do
your holiday shopping
while helping your school.



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Governing Council

News continued.....

Your staff/parent Governing Council and committees prioritized key activities, including:

- School yard assemblies, 8 a.m., each Friday, addressing character building (parents are encouraged to attend).
- Funding to create our campus science lab.
- Reviewing and improving our safe school plan.
- Identifying positive behavior support.
- Addressing traffic dangers during drop-off and pick-up times.
- Creating a focus on 'Kids Giving Back' to our community.
- Attendance- Finding ways to reduce absenteeism which can negatively impact student achievement.

Your input and involvement at Charter Committee and Governing Council meetings is crucial. The next committee meetings will occur 1:40-3:40 p.m., Tuesday, November 6. There are four overarching committees comprised of teachers and parents:

- Teamwork
- Achievement
- Enrichment
- Community

Of course, you may always contact your Governing Council parent representatives:

Chair: Andy Weisser

Vice-Chair: Ariella Vaccarino

Asia Mape

Debi Shaolian

There are many easy ways for you to get involved. Studies show that students do better in school when their parents volunteer at their schools.

Thank you,

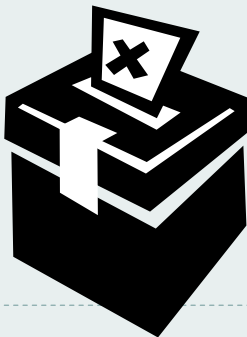
Theresa Wedaa, Principal

Andy Weisser

Chair (parent volunteer)
Governing Council

The next Governing Council meeting will occur 2:45-4:15 p.m., Wednesday, November 28.

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Suggestion Box: Your Governing Council wants to hear from you. Please submit your ideas, recommendations and feedback. The suggestion box and forms are always available in the front office. Your feedback will be addressed by your Governing Council.

Serrania's Movie Night

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"We like to move it, move it"

Friday, November 9, 2012

6:00 pm in the auditorium

Blanket, pillows, and pajamas are welcome.

Admission is \$5/person

Enjoy snacks, \$1 each

ALL STUDENTS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT.



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