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Centennial Math Students Excel in Sumdog

Competition

Congratulations to the following classrooms for their excellent efforts in the recent Sumdog math competition. These rankings are for all of Lane County's participants. Points were based upon total correct answers per classroom.

First Place: Mr. Hugo's class

Second Place: Mr. Maulding's class

Fourth Place: Mrs. Hernandez's class

Music Program Change

Due to a scheduling conflict, the 3rd Grade Music Program will be moved from March 10th to Thursday, April 7 at 7:00pm. A half sheet went home to all 3rd grade families during the first week of March alerting them to this change.

Important dates

March

March 10th Family Skate Night

March 11th No School

March 18th Early Release

12:30pm

March 21st-25th Spring Break-No School

April

April 1st Early release 12:30pm

April 1st-11th Reading Olympics Fundraiser

April 7th 3rd Grade Musical Program 7:00 pm

April 11th PTA meeting 6-7:30pm

April 15th Early Release

April 25th-29th Book Fair

April 29th Friends and Family Lunch

Congratulations, OBOB Teams!

After many months of reading, many weeks of studying and many days of battles, the final teams for the Oregon Battle of the Books competition were Let's Kick Some Books and The 5 Stooges.

Those teams battled each other on Thursday, Feb. 19th to see which team would go on to the Regional competition. After a very close two-game battle, the 5 Stooges won the opportunity to battle with other elementary teams in the Eugene/Springfield area. Congratulations, Owen, Aonghas, Jonah, Louella and Hollander of the 5 Stooges!

The Regional OBOB competition will be at North Eugene High School on Saturday, March 12, 9:30-2:00.

Box Tops & Campbell's Soup Labels

Congratulations to all of you and your students for all your hard work clipping, collecting and turning in all those Box Tops. With your combined help we raised \$693.10 for our school!! That brings our grand total for the year to \$1,501.70!! Congratulations to Mr. Maulding's class for winning the competition this round.

We also collected another 1,537 points with our soup labels. Sadly the soup label program will be ending at the end of this school year so I will be using the remainder of our points to get more supplies for our school such as some new jump ropes for the gym.

Family Reading Night Success!

Thank you to all the volunteers and staff that helped make the event happen and a big thank you to all the families that came and participated in this fun annual event! I hope you all enjoy your books and don't forget to bring your signed cards into the family center for your special prize. If you did not pick up one of those cards please feel free to stop in room 1 and get one from the table near the sink.