



**UPCOMING  
IMPORTANT DATES**

April 19 and April 22:  
No School

April 25:  
Community Expo @ High School  
5-8

April 26:  
All Pro Dads

May 7:  
PTO Meeting

May 9:  
Art Show 5:30-7  
And 4th grade musical @ 6

May 16:  
Field Day @ 1:30 (Rain Date is  
May 17)

May 20: Discovery Day and 3rd/  
4th grade variety show

**Quote of the Week:**

“Truly opening ourselves to another perspective is a necessity for a mature thinker.”

David Geurin in *Future Driven*

**Wagon Wars**

By Grace VanDeusen and Brooklyn Grijak

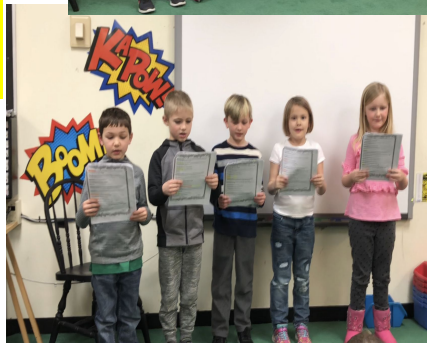
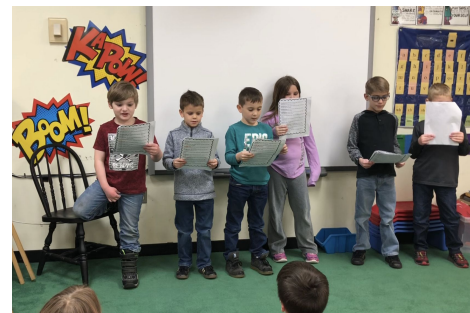
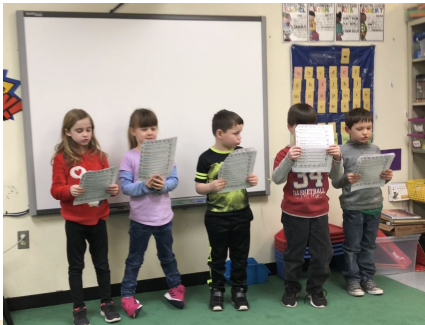
Does your child want to have professional pictures taken, or get extra recess, or go to a popcorn party? Wagon Wars is going on April 23rd through April 26th. The donations will be used to buy a new wagon for Nationwide Children's Hospital. The way we are raising money is through a raffle, where students buy tickets and enter to win the activity of choice. The teachers will do something fun with the students, such as playing pie face, hosting a Mad Hatter tea party, or shooting baskets with a teacher. Some other things teachers are doing are an outdoor scavenger hunt, a slimy lunch, and being able to plant a flower to take home. The tickets are twenty-five cents each, or five for a dollar. Students can purchase their tickets during their lunch period. Prizes will be awarded the first week of May.

Dear Souders Parents:

In an effort to simplify the logistics of running field day, we have decided to change the format for participation. Students will continue to learn the specific skills related to track and field during physical education class. The difference this year is that all students will be qualifying during class. The fastest timed students within each first, second, third and fourth grade classes will then participate in a school-wide event for "field day" on May 17. The events will begin at 1:30. Awards will still be given to every student who qualifies to run in the event. Parents are welcome to attend the finals. We will not need parent volunteers this year. .

Mr. Hefner

\*Note-This week's newsletter is 2 pages. Please see page 2.



The first graders learned about Dr. Seuss and read many of his books throughout the month of March. They ended the unit by presenting Dr. Seuss readers theaters. Readers theaters are like plays adapted from books that help the students become more fluent and confident readers. They did an awesome job reading with expression!

