

Mrs. Thomas's Class Classroom Newsletter January 24, 2020



Dates to Remember

1/24 – Scholastic Book

Orders are Due

 $1/28 - 100^{th}$ Day of

School

1/30 – Basketball Cop

Foundation Visit!

1/31 - Honor Roll &

Morning Mile Awards

2/5 – Club Day

2/13 - K & 1st Grade

Field Trip

2/14 - Valentine's Day

2/15 - Five Points of Life &

Kids Marathon

2/17 – No School;

President's Day

Hiker of the Week

Our Hiker of the Week is

Piper LaFollette!

Classroom News

**Please note, 1st grade parent conferences have been moved from March 10th to February 25th. I'll put a sign up sheet out very soon!

The kids have been working really hard on their winter writing projects. I'm excited to send them home!

Now that we are back to a regular 5-day school schedule, spelling homework & reading logs are due on Friday's. Starting January 31st, students will need to read 4 times a week for 12 minutes for a total of 48 minutes & write 4 sentences.

Tuesday is the 100th Day of School! Don't forget to send in 100 small items for your child to count, wear a 100th Day t-shirt, and sneakers! And if you haven't sent in 5 dry food items, you still have time!

HLA has some very special visitors coming next Thursday, 1/30. The Basketball Cop Foundation is helping us celebrate our new basketball court. A separate flyer with details was sent home Please feel free to join us!

Student of the Week
Our Student of the
Week (1/21-1/24) is
Jacob O'Donnell.
Congratulations on
a job well done!

WOW - generosity



Spelling Words

Focus: oa, ow

- 1) coal 6) show
- 2) road 7) grow
- 3) float
- 4) soak
- 5) snow

Reading: Cause & Effect

Spelling/Phonics: oa, ow

Writing: Creative

Math: Place Value

Science: Sun & Stars

Social Studies: Looking at Our World

Field Trip Chaperones

Please e-mail me if you would like to chaperone our field trip to the Performing Arts Center on February 13th.

Valentine's Day

1st grade will celebrate

Valentine's Day after lunch
on the 14th. More
information to come.

Club Day

What We're Learning Next Week

Club Day is being offered again this year at HLA. Our first club day will be on Wednesday, February 5th starting at 11:30. There are 11 different clubs for kids to choose from. My club will be 'Board Games' and will be offered to kids in kindergarten, 1st & 2nd grade. My goal is to teach kids how to play fairly, work together, enjoy other options other than screen time, follow directions, & be happy for the winner. If you would like to help out & receive volunteer hours with the kids, please e-mail me.

Five Points of Life Kids Marathon

The Five Points of Life Kids Marathon is coming up on Saturday, February 15th. Last year, HLA was recognized for having the most students attend the marathon. Please Google for more information.

