

 February News 

February 2024

Hello Families,

Below is information about recent classroom happenings and events. Valentine's Day information and a class list is at the bottom of this newsletter. As always, if you have questions, comments, or concerns, please contact me.

Academic Update: We have finally finished piloting the second math program, Eureka Math, and plan to have the unit test on fractions early next week. We will switch back to our Everyday Math program for the remainder of the year. Our next unit will be *Unit 4: Decimals and Coordinate Grids*. In language arts students are finishing Module 2: Biodiversity and the Rainforest by writing rainforest research reports. We have been reading *Hatchet* by Gary Paulson for our novel study. We have transitioned from science back into social studies using our study of the northeast region as a springboard into our unit about "US Government and Important Documents."

Read-a-thon: Heron Pond is participating in a read-a-thon fundraiser sponsored by the PTO. The read-a-thon will run through the month of February leading up to Read Across America week, which begins Mon., Feb. 19. The read-a-thon ends Fri., February 29. This is a great fundraiser for our school and all students are encouraged to read and log their minutes.

Thank you,
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Reminders:

- Wednesday, February 14 – Valentine's Day Celebration
- Wednesday, February 21 – Early Release
- Monday, February 19-23 Read Across America Week (Read-a-thon ongoing all month)
- Monday, Feb. 26 - Friday, March 1 - Winter Recess (no school)

Valentine's Day Celebration: We will have a Valentine's Day celebration on Wednesday, February 14 in the afternoon. If your child would like to send in cards, a class list is below. Please make sure to include everyone in the class. Thank you!

Landon	Caitlyn	Jaxson
Frankie	Roberto	Marly
Alyssa	Brayden	Dakota
Hailey	Benn	Kayleigh
Brody	Abby	Ms. Terry
Isla	Athena	Mrs. Rocca
Angelo	Connor	Mrs. Anneser
	Dominik	