November 10th Jennings Journal

Hello Jennings.

The Jennings staff and students wanted to thank the PTA for bringing a wonderfully fun assembly called Arithmetickles to our K-5 students. A special thank you to Mrs. Kane for researching and booking the assembly. The students certainly had fun with math and enjoyed both the K-2 and 3-5 performances. Many games and activities will surely find their way into our classrooms.

The curriculum support staff continues a weekly addition to the Jennings Journal. Each week you will find some tip or tidbit of information from Mrs. Hyder, Mrs. Schaper, Mrs. Ruppert or Mr. Therriault. If you are interested in hearing about anything specific, please let us know. Our hope is that this additional section to the Journal will be informative and supportive.

The week Jennings will be hosting staff from Mill Hill, Osborn Hill and Burr Elementary. Our staff will continue its engagement in professional development activities related to the various ways we provide feedback to our students. The Professional Development meeting, led by Walter Wakeman and Mike Rafferty, is the 3rd in a series that will continue throughout the school year. We are also looking forward to Family Fun Night on Friday!

Have a wonderful week!

Mr. Vuolo

Important school information

Veteran's Day Assembly

On Monday we will host our annual Veteran's Day Assembly. The assembly begins at 10:15 and our attending Veterans are invited for coffee after the festivities. The curriculum support staff and Mrs. Fiero have put together a wonderful collection of moments in order to celebrate those men and women who have served bravely throughout history. We invite everyone to wear RED, WHITE, and BLUE to show Patriotic spirit!

Thank you for joining us in honoring the sacrifices and contributions they have made. Take a moment to look at the bulletin board in the front foyer as it highlights all the connections to our Jennings Family.

Curriculum Corner

Math is all around us but it isn't always easy to know how to incorporate it your daily conversations with your children. Bedtime Math is a fun website designed to make math fun for parents and children. Check it out. It may be an interesting way to start or end your day together!

http://bedtimemath.org

Enjoy!

Mrs. Ruppert.

School Climate

Although our hope is that every student has at least 1 trusted adult to talk to...we also want to provide a way for our students to anonymously report anything that concerns them. For this reason, the "Heads Up" box will be kept in the Library Learning Commons. Students will be introduced to it in their classes and the School Climate Specialists will monitor and follow up on all matters.

Your Trash might be Mrs. Staples' Treasure!

Some of your garbage could be gold in the ART ROOM! I am looking for the following....

Plastic caps (water bottle, milk gallon, juice gallon ect.....) for a recycled mural project! costume jewelry paper towel and toilet paper rolls fake flowers fabric lace and ribbon newspaper and large appliance boxes

Treats For Our Troops

We are asking the Jennings community to send in any extra candy they would like to donate to our troops serving across the world. Candy and encouraging notes will be collected in the Jennings Staff lounge through Wednesday and given to Operation Gratitude.

This Week's Reminders...

"E" Monday Veterans Day assembly at 10:15am

ATB Legos & Girl Scout troop #33299

Tuesday No School – It's Veterans Day

"A" Wednesday Cookie & pie orders are due

ATB Painted Bird - owl pillows

"B" Thursday Jennings Times at 8:00am

ATB Action Sports

Grade 2 Brownie Troop #33232 at 6:30pm

"C" Friday Grade 5 Band & Orchestra at 8:00am

ATB Tennis

Family Fun Night 6:30-8:00pm

For more information **CLICK HERE** for our weekly Digital Message

Please see below for the pictures of the week!



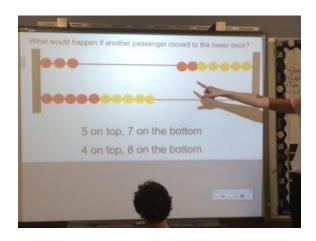
The Jennings staff was working hard on Election Day during a full day of Professional Development workshops.







5th graders get first crack at working with our new tablets in their classrooms. They certainly look comfortable!



Mrs. Cabezas and her 1st grade class use a virtual math rack on the Smart Board during math class



3rd graders show their mathematical "smarts" on stage during the assembly last week!

Keep an eye out for Next Week's Pictures!