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THE WEEKLY LAB

**October 8, 2013**

**NEWS ON WHICH TO “KNAW”...**

**NEWS ON WHICH TO “GNAW”...**

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***“SNIFFING” THROUGH THE CURRICULUM!***

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* **Reading-** Students have been identifying the story elements of a fiction story (characters, setting, problem and solution). This week students will compare and contrast the story elements of various fiction stories. Students also will begin to study the point of view of how a story is told.
* **Math-** Last week students worked on identifying factors and multiples. This week students will be working with multiplying two and three digit numbers by one digit and move into two digit by two digit multiplication. Please continue to have your child study multiplication facts at home.
* **Writing-** Students have been working on personal narratives and taking a piece through the writing process. Last week we worked on editing and revising and very soon we will be ready to share our published piece.
* **Social Studies/Science-** Currently we are working super hard on Science. Mrs. Chalfont’s and Mr. Becker’s classes are learning all about landforms; Mr. Kaminsky’s and Mrs. Williams’ classes are investigating rocks and minerals; and Mrs. Gribbon’s and Mrs. Richardson’s are excited about electricity and magnetism.

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**“PAWS” FOR THESE DATES:**

**October 18th-Early Release 1:15**

**October 24th –Mordecai House Field Trip**

**October 25th-Fall Festival**

**October 28th Teacher Workday**

**P.B.S.**

**Positive Behavior Support**

**NEWS TO “BARK” ABOUT!**

LABS

**Listen & follow directions**

**Act respectfully**

**Behave responsibly**

**Succeed!!**

We earned 25 tickets and our first reward, which was a small treat. Keep up the great work!

Fall Festival is approaching. Please help donate items for our class basket. The theme for our basket is Movie Night. Thank you Mrs. Kidder for coordinating this for our class! We are asking that each child contribute a movie item (a G or PG rated movie, popcorn, candy, movie passes, etc.) or $5.00.

Fall Festival ticket order forms went home in last week’s Tuesday folder.

**Please** be sure to check your child’s agenda book each night for homework assignments. Also review with your child any graded work and assessments that come home in the Tuesday folder. Be sure that these items are returned to school. Thanks!

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