



Friday, May 30, 2008
Fifth Grade News

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CHANGE OF DATE! Because of a funeral on Wednesday afternoon, we had to move the date of our Revolutionary War skits to Tuesday, June 3 from 1:45-3:00. The skits will be held in the parish dining room. We apologize for this last-minute change of plans. If you would like to take your child home with you after the performance, please pick him or her up in the classroom.



DESK CLEANUP The students will have time to clean out their desks and lockers on Thursday. Please send them to school with sturdy brown bags. If possible, the students should also avoid biking or walking to school on Thursday, as the loads transported home may weigh quite a bit.



NO UNIFORM DAYS There are no "field day" t-shirts this year, so students are welcome to wear normal NUD attire. Please remember that shorts must be OLG uniform shorts. Flip-flops and sleeveless shirts are not allowed. It might also be a good idea to throw extra water bottles into backpacks for field day on Thursday. Stay tuned to see if Friday is a No Uniform Day.



VEAP SUMMER STOCK UP We are collecting the following food items for the food shelf: macaroni and cheese, Hamburger Helper, peanut butter, jelly, non-perishable snack items, tuna, cereal, and soup. Please bring all donations into school between Monday, June 2 and Wednesday, June 4.



VOLUNTEER DRIVERS? Fifth grade is in charge of organizing this month's food drive. We are looking for 4-5 volunteer drivers to transport food items from OLG to the drop-off site at 9731 James Ave. S. in Bloomington (directions can be provided on request). Students will be available to load food items in cars at 10:15 immediately after Mass on Wednesday. If you are able to lend a hand in this endeavor, please email your child's teacher. Thank you!



PLAY COSTUMES I have colored vests for the soldiers and a collection of hats for everyone to use. I recommended that ordinary citizens and soldiers wear pants rolled to the knee and tall white or black socks. High-ranking military officials may want to consider wearing sports jackets, and female characters should look for skirts and aprons. These skirts are pretty low-key, and the costumes can be as well. The students will need their costumes in school by Monday, June 2 for a dress rehearsal. We're looking for a few extra props as well: a walking cane, an ace bandage that could be wrapped around the head of a wounded soldier, a picnic basket, a handheld telescope/spy glass.



THANK YOU As the year draws to an end, we'd like to thank all parents who have helped in the classroom or volunteered in the library. We appreciate all that you've done! And we thank you especially for all of the cookie and juice donations that made last week's BINGO party such a success.



MATH TEST We will take our math test for Chapter ten on Monday when we return to action. It was simply too tight of a fit today with all of the extra events throughout the day. So we have moved our final math test of the year to Monday. Students can use the review sheets and any study links to help stay sharp for the test.

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!



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