

HARRISON'S HEROES

Note from Mrs. Harrison



STEWART ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

N America

Isabella	Henry
Lanie	Luke

Europe

Jake	Preston
Ethan	Caleb

Asia

Kailey	Selene
Danielle	Natelee

S. America

Rishi	Damien
Ben	Baylie

Africa

Courtney	Landon
Anna	JP

Australia

Taryn	Kassidy
Jasmine	Avery

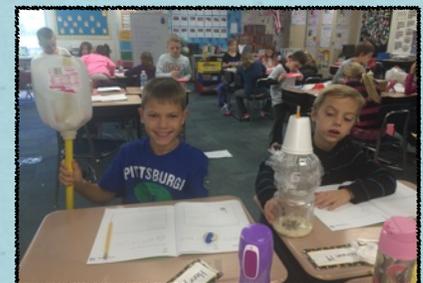
Dear Families,

A quick reminder that October Book It! Calendars are due next week. Students who achieve their reading goal of 400 minutes will be receiving a Pizza Hut coupon. A new Book It! Calendar will be sent home on Thursday. Please continue to encourage your child to read at home. Students have until the end of the week to make their Book It! Goal.

It is hard to believe that this Thursday marks the end of our first marking period. The students will have a half-day on Thursday, as teachers will be working on report cards in the afternoon. Report cards will be sent home next Thursday. Friday there is no school as teachers will be having an in-service.

New Seating Chart

Ethan, Anna, Kailey, Luke, Rishi, Jasmine, Taryn, and JP were very excited to create a new seating chart for the class. They had this honor as their continents earned 10 clothespins each for exemplary conduct and working well together. These students also had the opportunity to eat lunch in the classroom. Having our room arranged in continents makes learning geography fun. Hopefully, by the end of the year, your child will have experienced sitting at every continent.



Students had fun in science creating their own instruments. After all the students finished making their instruments they had the opportunity to form their own band and perform in our own class rendition of Battle of the Bands.

Note from Mrs. Harrison Continued:

At 10:00 Thursday morning, students will be participating in a Halloween Parade around our track (weather permitting), and our classroom party will follow. Students should bring their costumes in their backpack; we will have time to get dressed before the parade.

The annual Halloween Safety Zone will be held on Wednesday at Lakeshore Christian Church Lot, 5565 Washington Ave., Stevensville. Parking is available at Lakeshore Middle School. This is a safe non-scary place for kids to go trick or treating. This is free and all children are invited. For more information call (269) 429-1793.

Social Studies and Science

Science- Last week our explorations in sound continued with making rubberband guitars, learning about washtub basses, and a Battle of the Bands where teams got to come up with a band name and create their own drums. They learned about how differences in the width and tension of a string, rubberband, or drum top changes the pitch of the sound.

Social Studies-Students did a great job on their test about Michigan, its state symbols, and the Great Lakes. This week the students will be learning about early Michigan history when they learn about the French Fur trade.

Sneak Peek at the Week Ahead

Math:

- Math: Unit 3-Measurement
 - Linear measurement
 - Ruler 1,1/2,and 1/4 inch
 - Standard units of measurement:
- personal references
- Perimeter

Homework:

Tuesday 3.2

Language Arts

- Reading: What's in Store for the Future
- Strategies: Fact vs. Opinion
- Grammar: plural nouns
- Writing: Personal Narratives

This Week's Spelling Words:

Test Thursday

- thick
- this
- truth
- whales
- shock
- fish
- what
- sixth
- them
- washing
- wheel
- pathway
- month
- dishpan
- weather
- lunch
- chick
- pitch
- BB thesaurus

Spelling Web Site
www.spellingcity.com

Specials:

Monday-PE

Tuesday-Art

Wednesday-PE

Thursday Music

Friday-no school