

HARRISON'S HEROES

STEWART ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



Dear Families,

This week is **National Counselor Week**. Pictured to the right is our class with Stewart's counselor, Dayna Galloway. To celebrate Dayna and all she does, all the students here at Stewart wrote letters to her. These letters will be bound in a book and given to her this week. Also, Monday through Friday there will be themed dress-up days to help celebrate Mrs. Galloway and National Counselor Week.



Today is our 100th Day of School!

It is hard to believe that today (Feb. 6th) is our 100th day of school! Last week, knowing that our hundredth day of school was coming up, the students challenged themselves to see if they could spot 100 acts of kindness during the week. I am happy to report they achieved this goal and much more! They observed their classmates doing close to 200 acts of kindness! When students observed their classmates doing a kind deed, they would write down what they witnessed on a sticky note and post the note on our 100 Acts of Kindness Board. Students had fun reading all the sticky notes and seeing how kind their classmates are.

Other exciting news last week was when our very own Mrs. McGovern, Stewart's office administrator, made the front page of the Herald-Palladium in the article Promoting Peace. In the article she shared information about Stewart's POP Store (Points of PRIDE). PRIDE stands for perseverance, respect, integrity, dedication and empathy. In the article McGovern went on to explain how students are awarded POP tickets from staff when they show pride and good behavior. Students are able to use these POP tickets to purchase items at the POP Store which is open for classes to visit a few times throughout the month. This Friday, the store will be open for our class to visit and purchase items with the tickets they've earned these past few weeks.

Theme and Dress Up Days

Monday, Feb 6~ "My school counselor helps me have a positive mindset"

Dress up Day: Wear something with a positive phrase!

Tuesday, Feb. 7~ "My school counselor helps me feel all warm and fuzz"

Dress up Day: Wear something fuzzy, comfy and/or warm!

Wednesday, Feb. 8~ "My school counselor helps us be able to dream big and persevere through challenges"

Dress up Day: Dream big and wear your pajamas!

Thursday, Feb. 9~ "School Counselors are a bright light for those in need"

Dress up Day: Wear neon colors!

Friday, Feb. 10~ "School Counselors help you achieve big goals"

(Like playing in the Super Bowl)

Dress up Day: Wear your favorite football apparel for the Super Bowl this weekend!

Grandma Jo will be in Panama City, Florida, until April. She will certainly miss coming into the classroom. My twin sister, Jennifer, stopped by last week to meet the class and say good bye to our Mom, AKA, Grandma Jo.



Blue Ribbon Challenge

During the months of February and March every Monday and Wednesday from 3:30-4:30 third grade students are invited to stay after school to work on Study Island. Mr. Wright, Mrs. Clemons, and I will all be on hand to help the students work through their math and ELA lessons to earn blue ribbons. Please let me know ahead of time if your child is staying after. Thank you.

Valentine Card Boxes/ Holders

Many students have shared with me that they have already created their Valentine Card Boxes and have addressed all their Valentine's Day cards to their classmates. **I am encouraging the students not to bring their boxes and cards in until Friday.** I will give the students time on Friday morning and on Tuesday morning to pass out their cards. Our Valentine Day Party will be held Tuesday, Feb. 14th, from 1-2.

Upcoming Events

- February 9: Parent/Teacher Conferences (1/2 Day)
- February 10: 1/2 Day of School
- February 13: No School (Winter Break)
- February 14: Valentine's Day Party 1:00-2:00
- February 24: Variety Show (7:00 PM High School Auditorium)
- March 8: Third Grade Breakfast (8:00-8:45 Stewart Cafeteria)
- Wax Museum (9:10-10:10 Stewart Gym)
- March 16: Half Day
- March 17-24 Spring Break

Math:

This week students will review volume, mass, and length. They will also be learning about fractions.

Homework for the week:

Tuesday-69-70

Thursday 71-71

Language Arts

Students did a great job last month reaching their Book It! goal. A February Book It! calendar was sent home last week. Please continue to encourage your child to read at home. The more reading a child does, the better reader he/she will become.

Students will continue to work on the rough draft of their biographies this week.

This Week's Word Work

Unit 4, List 2

Test is on Friday!

February is declared

Four for February in room 22. Students will only be assessed on four words every Friday during the month of February.

Last week we had eight students spell all four of our spelling words correctly. Way to go students! This week we are hoping to double that number. This week's words are:

1. Town
2. Owl
3. Round
4. Ground

Specials:

Monday-Music/Library

Tuesday-PE

Wednesday-Art

Thursday-Music

Friday-PE

Harrison's Heroes
Class
2022-2023

Quinny Ayers
Evelyn Dwyer
Harper Fister
Jake Gray
Sophie Hughes
Gabe Kenreich
Logan Kilmartin
Zayden Makries
Jayce Moody
Lauren Moore
Colton Morris
Hitarth Nagpal
Maddie Pennington
Remmy Phenegar
Stephen Pylkas
Brayden Schadt
Chayce Simons
Lennon Stryzkowski
Josie Summers
Colton Tillery
Ryker Wingarden