

# HARRISON'S HEROES



Dear Parents,

The students continue to work hard here at school. Last week they took the ELA portion of the M-Step. The students worked hard for two hours on this test. A few students finished, but most students did not. I am so proud of the students and the effort they are putting forth on taking assessments like the M-Step. Those students who did not finish the M-Step last week, will be finishing this week on Wednesday morning. If the students do not finish it on Wednesday, they will be finishing it on Thursday or Friday. All third graders must finish the ELA portion of the M-Step by Friday. Please let me know ahead of time if your child will not be here on Wednesday morning or plans on missing Thursday or Friday so we can plan accordingly. Thank you!

Last week the students took a Unit 5 Post Test. We went over these tests together today and the students should be bringing them home to share with you how they did. They will also be bringing home their Unit 4 tests.

STEWART ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



## The Star-Spangled Banner

O say can you see, by the dawn's early light,  
 What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,  
 Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight  
 O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?  
 And the rocket's red glare, the bomb bursting in air,  
 Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there,  
 O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
 O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

The students appear to thoroughly enjoy singing the Star-Spangled Banner every morning. They are learning lots of interesting facts about the history of our National Anthem. Did you know that the flag that flew over Fort McHenry during the War of 1812 is, to this day, the largest flag to ever fly on a flag pole? It was 30 feet by 42 feet. It had 15 stars and 15 stripes. Be sure to ask your child about some things they learned about The Star Spangled Banner.

The students are all excited to sing the National Anthem when we attend the baseball game on May 24th.

## Congratulations Evelyn on a job well done!

It was fun watching Matilda with students from the class. All the performers did a great job, especially, Evelyn! Way to go! If you think your child would be interested in one of summer camps Children's Music Workshop offers, be sure to click on the following link: <http://www.cmwonline.org>



This Week's Word Work  
Unit 5, List 6  
Test is on Friday!

This week students will learn about prefixes. Students can practice the skills they will be learning this week on Spelling City: <https://www.spellingcity.com/users/harrisonheroes>

Be sure to click on the Unit 6 List 1 button.

On Friday, students will be tested on the following words:

Unafraid  
Preschool  
Disappear  
Return

Class Website:  
<https://harrisonsheroes.weebly.com>

## Upcoming Events

- April 20: M-Step ELA
- April 26: M-Step ELA
- May 11: Blue Ribbon after school Party
- May 12: 1/2 Day
- May 16: NWEA Math
- May 18: NWEA ELA
- May 24: Field Trip to watch South Bend Cubs game
- May 26: 1/2 Day
- June 1: After School Book It Party
- June 7: 1/2 of School
- June 8: Last Day of School, 1/2 Day



### Math:

This week students will be starting Unit 6, Geometry.

Homework for the week

Tues: 101-102

Thurs: 103-104

### Language Arts

Students have enjoyed listening to our poetry readers every morning. This week students will be writing their own poetry. Be sure to ask your child about the types of poems they are writing at school.

### Specials:

**Monday-Music**  
**Tuesday-PE**  
**Wednesday-Art**  
**Thursday-Music**  
**Library**  
**Friday-PE**