

Third Grade News

April 28, 2016

Number Twenty

Upcoming Events:

Fri. May 6: Grandparents and Special Friends Day

Mon. May 16: field trip to Montpelier

Wed. May 25: Spanish Play

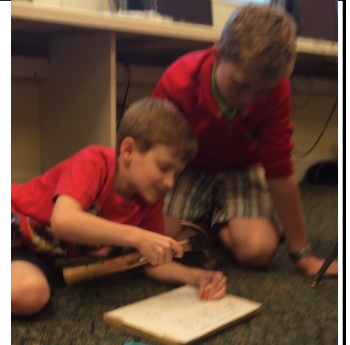
Fri. June 3, 8:30 AM: Colonial Living Wax Museum Assembly for Lower School

Tues. June 7, 2 to 3: Colonial Wax Museum

new date

Making Tin Lanthorns with Mentors

In colonial times, tinsmiths made lanterns using cow horn as the translucent material that light shone through. We made punched tin lanterns last Friday.



Spunky's School Store

Spunky's opened for business on Tuesday! We operate this store as part of our math curriculum. Each 3rd grader will have at least two turns to clerk in the store, selling school supplies and making change.

The store opens around 8:15 and closes around 8:40 each morning. All items cost less than \$1.00. Shoppers may purchase one item per day. We operate the store on a non-profit basis, selling items at cost and using the income to purchase items to stock the shelves next year.

Our policy is that the first boy and first girl to arrive at school get the job. The classroom doors open at 8:10. Please do not drop children off at our entrance before that time, since we teachers are preparing for the day ahead.

If you use bus transportation, please be assured that your child will still have an opportunity to work at the store. If you tend to arrive late, let us know a date when you plan to be early, and we will try to save that day's clerkship for your child.

We love seeing both younger children and 3rd grade graduates flock to Spunky's!



Grandparents and Special Friends Day

We have been writing puppet shows about colonial apprentices. Here is our puppet show schedule:

10:00*	A.W. & Owen M.
10:15*	Lilah & Walker
10:30	Maya & Ethan
10:40	Ella & Lucas
10:50	Isabel & Brooks
11:00	Emily & Owen G.
11:10	Flora & Joey
11:20	Birch & Audrey
11:30	Reese & Wagner
11:37	Patty & Sebi
11:44	Finley & Charlie
11:52	Emerson & Maso
12:05-12:40	3rd & 4th

Grades Spring Sing

Before the official start of Grandparent's Day, so that we can fit 12 Puppet Shows into one morning!

We will also have other activities in the classroom, including colonial games, PowerPoint presentations about family members, and our own recently published stories. We look forward to sharing!