

3rd-6th Fireweed Academy Newsletter

March 2, 2015



Invention Convention This Week!

Get ready for the invention convention this week! The students have been working hard adding the finishing touches to their inventions and presentation boards. Students from the K-2 will be visiting during the day and the convention will be open to families in the afternoon from 2-3pm.

Please be working with your student on their invention at home. If you need any support from Fireweed Academy contact Kiki.

Gryph Flea Market: This Thursday

Students are invited to bring items to sell at the Fireweed Gryph Flea Market. Please see the list below for appropriate items.

- Gently used toys
- Arts and/or Crafts
- Low to No Sugar Treats (no store bought treats, no candy, no store bought gum)

MATH CLUB There will be no math club after school today. Kris will be offering make-up math classes the first two Mondays after Spring Break.

Open Enrollment

We are done with Open enrollment. However, I am still missing a few forms for students who I suspect are indeed coming back to our school. If you have completed a form, please call me at 235-9728. That said, we are not full in every grade so please continue to let our friends and neighbors know that we have space for the FY16 school year. Thanks-Janet

Class Notes

- Do you have a bread machine you can loan to the 5th grade for a week or two? If so, drop at Kris's room. We are hoping to put our fraction skills to the bread making test!

Fundraisers

The 6th graders are selling raffle tickets that have two terrific prizes! One is Dinner for 2 at the Homestead Restaurant, www.homesteadrestaurant.net (\$150 Value and donated by Rick and Sharlene Cline) and the other is a Halibut Charter for 1 from Ofishial Charters, www.ofishial.com (\$260 value and donated by Austin Ceccarelli's parents). Each ticket is \$5 or 5 tickets for \$20. The drawing will be held Friday April 17 at noon in Big Fireweed's Room 102 (Kris Owens room) during our Soup Lunch Fundraiser (our last fundraiser). Winners need not be present to win. The 6th graders have tickets for sale and I have some in my office as well-Janet

Upcoming 3-6 Dates: Mark your calendars!

- March 4th- Invention Convention
- March 6th- Teacher In-service/ End of Quarter
- March 6th-15th Spring Break
- April 17th - Soup Fundraiser at Big Fireweed and Raffle Drawing
- March 24th Alaska Science Assessment (Grade 4) Mar 24th
- March 30th - May 1st: AMP Alaska Measures of Progress Online Assessment