

3-6 Fireweed Academy Newsletter

Nov 5, 2012

APC UPDATE

**Meeting this Wednesday, Nov 7th at 4:30 at the K-2. All invited and welcome. There is a time for public comments at the beginning of each APC meeting.

**Agenda items will include next year's enrollment and staffing.

Forces

"Forces" is our theme for the 2nd quarter. Students will be exploring the theme in a variety of contexts ranging from force and motion, to social forces and history. We are very excited about the new theme and welcome ideas for field trips and guest speakers.

Student Teacher

Edan Badajos is approaching the tail end of his student teaching with Stephanie Zuniga as his host teacher. During the past five weeks, Edan has been teaching full time under Stephanie's supervision. This week concludes his 6 weeks of full time teaching. As of next week, Stephanie will transition back and take on the full time role as teacher as Edan finishes up the last few weeks of observing other classrooms, teaching a reading lesson with Mindy and preparing his student teaching work portfolio. Please contact Kiki if you have any questions.

Disc Golf Field Trip

This Friday (Nov. 9th) we will be going on a field trip to the disc golf course at Jack Gist Park on Adams Rd. in Homer. This will be an outdoor activity and students are expected to bring appropriate footwear, jackets, and other cold weather gear. Discs, scorecards, and maps will be provided. Volunteers needed, please contact Janet at the FWA office (235-9728) if you are interested.

Quilt Fundraiser

The beautiful queen-sized quilt by Elaine Grawbowski will only make money for Fireweed if tickets are sold! They are \$5 each or 5 for \$20. Right now the quilt can be seen and tickets bought in Janet's office. What we really need is for a Fireweed parent to take charge of this fundraiser and manage the quilt and tickets. Call Janet if you are interested.

Absent students

Parents: Please, please Call Janet at the FWA office (235-9728) to let her know if your student will be absent from school for any reason.

Upcoming 3-6 Dates: Mark your calendars!

Disc Golf Field Trip

November 9th

Thanksgiving Break

November 22nd & 23rd