

**K-2 FIREWEED ACADEMY NEWSLETTER**  
November 30, 2015



**HAPPENINGS**

**THEME GROUPS... FINAL TWO-WEEK ROTATION**

This is the final, two-week rotation of theme groups for this quarter. Our next theme will be STRUCTURES. **If you have interests and talents to add to our mix of our structures explorations, please let us know!!**

**WORKSHOP MONDAYS AND FRIDAYS!!**

This week during Workshops we have: Tree painting using a variety of techniques and mediums, Sharlyn's Dynamic Doodling and Designing using pens and markers, and Seasonal Greeting Card designing using press-board printing and inks.

**\*\*SAVE THE DATE: Habitats Showcase and Celebration!  
Thurs., Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> from 1:30-2:30 PM\*\***



**NUTCRACKER BAKE SALE FUNDRAISER**



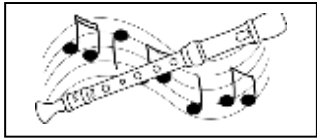
Fireweed has been given the opportunity to raise money by providing baked goods for the Wednesday, Dec 9<sup>th</sup> Nutcracker performance at Homer High. Please bring your treats to the high school between 6 and 6:30 pm. We also need 4 table-sitters. You will be able to go to the show but will have to slip out a bit early prior to the intermission to be ready for food sales.



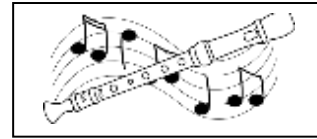
**Please call Janet at 235-9728 to sign up**



for donations and table sitting!



### Link Up Orchestra



This year we have the opportunity to participate in the Kenai Peninsula Orchestra's Link Up Program. Students in 2nd - 6<sup>th</sup> will be playing recorder during this quarter in preparation for the Link Up performance on Fri., January 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at Mariner Theater. Our K-2 students will also be adding their vocal talent to the mix for this performance.

### **HEARTY THANK YOU'S**

- Thanks to ALL OUR GREAT TEACHERS AND SUBS AND AIDES!
- Thank you so much to Teague and John Vanek for lighting up the Little Fireweed sign out front!

### **Upcoming K-2 Dates: Mark your calendars!**

Dec 7 <sup>th</sup>	Fruit Delivery sometime this week!
Fri Dec 11 <sup>th</sup>	Habitat Field Trip to Islands and Ocean
Thurs Dec 17 <sup>th</sup>	Habitat Showcase and Celebration 1:30-2:30 PM
Dec. 18 <sup>th</sup> -Jan. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	End of Quarter -Winter Break- No School
Mon. Jan 4 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup> Day Back after Winter break
Fri. Jan 15 <sup>th</sup> - 7pm	Link Up performance at Mariner Theater

### **ALL INTERESTED PARENT VOLUNTEERS**

If you would like to be volunteering at the school, please take a moment to complete this on line volunteer screening. It's easy! So... take care of it quickly and join us in the classroom!!!

**Read this...School District News... Mandatory Volunteer Screening**

Anyone interested in being a school volunteer needs to complete an online form and agree to a background check; only criminal activity will be checked. All information will be kept confidential and information can only be accessed by a few members of the Human Resources department. To complete the screening process, visit the District's web page at [www.kpbsd.k12.ak.us](http://www.kpbsd.k12.ak.us) and click on Employment, then click on Volunteer, then on Volunteer All Vacancies, and find the location where you wish to volunteer. Click the 'Apply' button that corresponds to that location, then follow the instructions. Please contact the Human Resources department at 907-714-8888 if you have questions.