

# 4th Grade News

Jan. 8-12

In reading this week we read *The Stranger* and *Lemoncello*. In the story *The Stranger*, there are clues to who the stranger is such as he blows on his soup and there is a cold draft, and he never sweats. In the end, we concluded that he was Jack Frost. On Thursday and Friday, we watched the movie *Escape* from Mr. Lemoncello's Library after finishing the book on Wednesday. It was a good movie, but the whole class thinks the book was better! - **Andy and Lexi**

In Math this week, we finished learning about quadrilaterals and polygons. We took a test on Wednesday. A few quadrilaterals are square, rectangle, and parallelogram. A quadrilateral is a four sided shape. Polygons are closed shapes with no curved sides. Each polygon has a name depending on how many sides it has. We learned about the shapes like nonagon (9 sides), decagon (10 sides), and octagon (8 sides). - **Sam and Isabel**

In English this

week, we talked about action and linking verbs. Linking verbs do not show actions. They tell what the subject is or what the subject is like. Action verbs are verbs that show action. I jumped on the trampoline. *Jumped* is an action. It is winter. *Is* is a linking verb. - **Avery and Jameson**

This week in Social, we had a test on the North East. Next week we have a test on the states and capitals. We have flashcards to help us study. Start Studying!!! - **Skye and Eli G.**

This week in Science, we worked on the tools to measure matter. For instance, temperature, volume of a liquid, volume of a solid, length, and weight. In temperature class, we used a thermometer to measure the temperature of liquid. When we measure the volume of a liquid, we use a graduated cylinder. We thought this week was amazing. - **Abby and Eli R.**



## Spelling

1. piece
2. peace
3. break
4. brake
5. threw
6. through
7. by
8. bye
9. beat
10. beet
11. thrown
12. throne
13. aloud
14. allowed
15. past
16. passed
17. weight
18. wait
19. there
20. their
21. principal
22. principle
23. symbol
24. cymbal
25. stationary
26. stationery

## NEXT WEEK:

- Jan. 15 MLK Day
- Jan. 19 End of Qrt 2

## FUTURE:

- Jan. 22 NO SCHOOL
- Jan. 27 Spaghetti Supper
- Jan. 28 Pancake Breakfast
- Jan. 28-Feb. 2 CSW
- Feb. 4 School Carnival

This week we have been working on our prayers. We need to study our prayers! We also did a play this week with the whole school to try and win prize money from a contest the St. Cloud Diocese is having. Isabel, Jameson, and Andrew represented the 4<sup>th</sup> graders in the play about Jesus being born. - Riley and Ava

The kids have been pretty awesome the last couple weeks. They have been really excited to learn the different subjects. and they have been working so well. Hopefully they continue with this attitude.

Please look for information coming home about the SPAGHETTI SUPPER and PANCAKE BREAKFAST. 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders are in charge of working these two events. - Mrs. P

- Mrs. P and the 4th Graders



December Student of the Month:  
Abby



December Team Cup Winners:  
Skye and Eli R.  
3175 points



Happy 1/2 Birthday  
Jameson

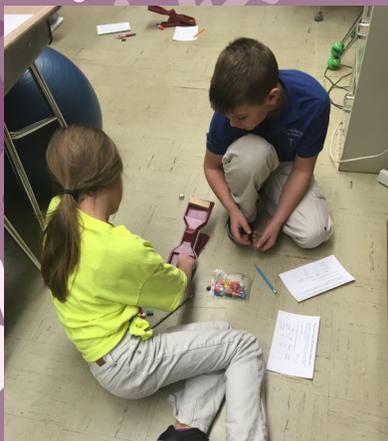




Eli G. and Riley Wrestled in Pierz. (where Mrs. P lives)



Isabel, Jameson and Andrew in the play



Working on our weight science lab