

4th Grade News

Mar. 12-16

This week in reading, we read a story called Seeker of Knowledge. It was about a boy that wanted to read hieroglyphs and be the first to translate the Rosetta Stone. Jean-Francois took many years to finally figure out that the pictures were letters, sounds, syllables, and even whole words, but he was the first to do so. His discovery opened the door to Ancient Egypt and all the mysteries it holds. - **Ava and Riley**

In Math this week, we are working on simple algebra. The main goal in algebra is to solve for the unknown. Here is a variable; x and y. The meaning of variable is: a symbol that stands for the unknown. For example, this is an algebraic equation - **Abby and Eli R**

$$\begin{array}{r}
 11 + x = 32 \\
 -11 \quad -11 \\
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 x = 32-11 \\
 \boxed{x = 21}
 \end{array}
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 \begin{array}{r}
 11 + x = 32 \\
 11 + 21 = 32 \\
 32 = 32 \checkmark
 \end{array}$$

This week in English, we learned about possessive pronouns. A pronoun is a word that takes the place of a noun. A possessive pronoun shows ownership. Example: The cat ate his Whopper from Burger King. The possessive pronoun is *his*. Also, tomorrow is St. Patrick's Day, so, Happy Early St. Patrick's Day!! - **Eli G and Skye**

This week in Social, we learned

about the Southwest and that it is mostly desert, and the Grand Canyon is running out of water. Crazy! - **Jameson**

In Science this week, we did circuits. There are three kinds of circuits: Series, Parallel, and Simple. A simple circuit is an easy circuit, a series circuit is a circle, and the last circuit is a parallel which runs in a couple of circles and if you take out one lightbulb, the rest will still light up. - **Sam**

This week in Religion, we have been doing our Lent Book, and we went to Stations of the Cross on Wednesday. We also made a Stations wheel to help us study for our test next week. Also, our mass was this week too! It was a fun week! - **Andy and Lexi**

We actually had a full week this week! We accomplished so much, and we even had time to go see the Middle School play: Pied Piper of Hamelin and Thursday, and celebrate St. Patrick's Day on Friday. The Middle Schoolers did so awesome! The play was hilarious. We recognized a few Sacred Heart Alumni actors. In honor of St. Patrick's Day, we wore green, colored a picture, and even had a scavenger hunt! We had a blast! - *Mrs. P and the 4th Graders!*

Spelling

1. distrust
2. uncertain
3. incomplete
4. unlikely
5. unfair
6. discontinue
7. unaware
8. disorder
9. discount
10. indirect
11. unopened
12. disrespect
13. unimportant
14. unlisted
15. disrepair
16. inability
17. disapprove
18. unsolved
19. disobey
20. unsuspecting

NEXT WEEK:

- Mar. 22 Confessions after Mass
- Mar. 23 Fish Fry Grade 2

FUTURE:

- Mar. 28 End of Qrt. 3
- Mar. 29-Apr. 2 Easter Break



Winners of the Reading Challenge. Congrats Eli R!!



Stations of the Cross

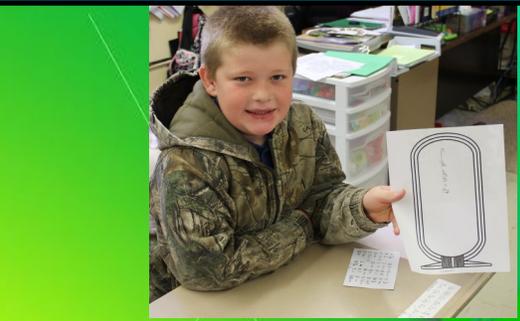


Playing on the Massive Mountain

Cartouches

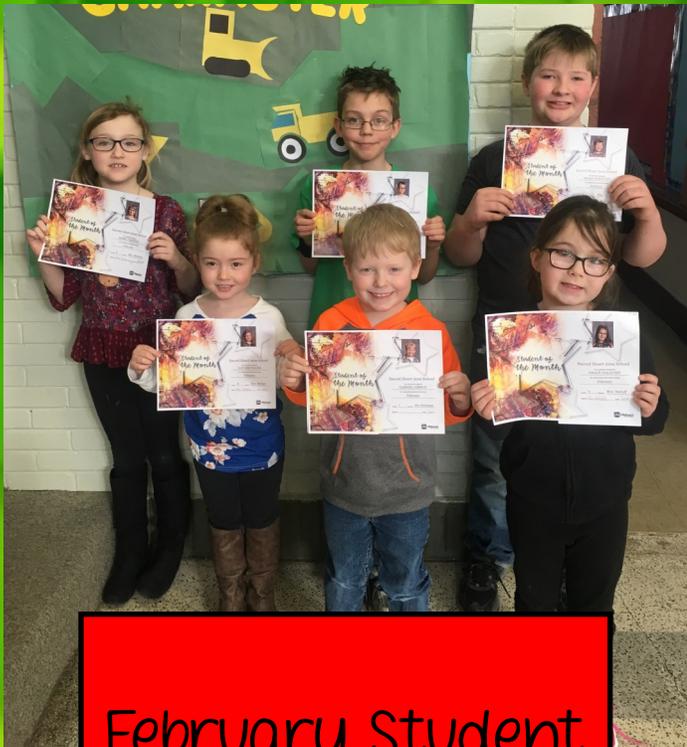


Happy Birthday Eli R!





At the Middle School Play—Pied Piper of Hamelin



February Student of the Month: Jameson



February Team Cup Winners: Abby and Riley. 2104 points