3rd Grade Newsletter

November 13 – November 17

Important Dates

November 10th is a holiday. Veterans Day and there is no school.

November 16th is the Fun Run.

November 17th is the rain date for the Fun Run.

Next week the students have a full day of school on Monday the 20th and there is an early release on Tuesday the 21st at 1:15. The students have no school Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Have a great Thanksgiving.

**What is happening this week in class?**

English/Language Arts – The students will finish up their Pourquoi assessment from last week. The students will read informational texts about frogs and write an informational paragraph about the frogs. Their research will focus on frog defenses, habitat and the characteristics of frogs.

Science – We will review for the science test that we will take at the end of the week on Thursday.

Math – This week the students will continue to work on the distributive property and associative property in multiplication. We will work on solving story problems using all four operations – addition, subtraction, multiplication and divide. They will also work on equalities and inequalities. This will be the first time that the students work with unknown variables (pre-Algebra).

Team Time – In team time this week some of the students will work on comparison subtraction problems and some of the other kids will work on problem solving using all four operations – addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

Other Announcements

* Continue to log in reading minutes for the Hurricanes Reading Challenge.
* Get change into school for the Fun Run Fundraiser. Third grade needs to catch up in the Fun Run Fundraiser challenge. Kindergarten is beating every grade level by a whole lot. The Fun Run Fundraiser goes to purchasing books for the incentive program and other special events at school.
* Send in Box Tops for the Box Top competition. Our box in the classroom is empty. Please help to fill up the Box Top bucket.
* Science test this Thursday.

**Spirit Week, November 13-17th**

·    Mismatched Monday (socks, shoes, clothes)

·    Time travel Tuesday (dress from 60s, 70s, or 80s)

·    Winning Wednesday ( wear your favorite sport team logo)

·    Fun Run is on Thursday ----wear your sneakers!!!!!!!!

·    Favorite Color Friday (wear your favorite color head to toe)