

THE ROMANO REPORT

Wow! What a busy month! Today our fourth graders did an AMAZING job singing and performing for their **Veteran's Day concert!** A huge congratulations to all of our kiddos for their rockstar performances, and a **big thank you to all the friends, families, and veterans** that came to watch us perform! We will be taking our show "on the road" for a **field trip next week to the retirement home** where 4th & 5th graders will perform again!

I also wanted to shout out some more **big thank you's to our parent volunteers who made our class Halloween party extra special!** Our kids loved playing the "minute to win it" games, and wrapping each other up as mummies before showing off our costumes during the parade (see pictures on the back!)

This month in **Math**, we have been continuing to work with fractions, focusing on comparing and ordering. We learned lots of different "#strategies" to help us, and students practiced using their best fit strategies to illustrate their math thinking.

In **Reader's Workshop & Writer's Workshop** we have been working on realistic fiction as we explore the genre qualities and character traits. We have also been writing our own realistic fiction stories, which we aim to finish just before Thanksgiving break!

In **Science**, we have been further exploring systems, and recognizing & defining what makes a system, as well as what happens when parts to a system are missing or added. We will soon begin our final project of our systems unit on the system of the human body.

Report cards will be coming home before Thanksgiving break! Please be sure to read all and any attached notes that come with report cards in order to better understand the grading scales.

Field Trip



Wednesday, November 15th,
2017

Our 4th & 5th graders have been invited to perform their Veteran's Day concert at the **Elk Grove Adult Center** (retirement home). This is a half day field trip, and **there is no cost for the trip.** Please sign & return permission slips ASAP.

Don't Forget:

Tuesday, November 21st is an **EARLY DISMISSAL DAY**. Students will be dismissed at 2:35pm.

There is **NO SCHOOL** on Wednesday, November 22nd, Thursday, November 23rd, or Friday, November 24th due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Have a terrific Thanksgiving!

See pictures from our past month on the back! Have a fabulous week! Please do not hesitate to contact me through e-mail or Seesaw for any reason!

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