May 2, 2024 From: Mrs. Scott

Avenue City Elementary

Third Grade Newsletter



The next couple of weeks will be crazy! Our class will be finishing up some last units:

Reading: We will work on our final unit about monarch butterflies by completing an informational box and using Time for Kids to learn about the unique parts of a monarch and the jobs of those parts.

Math: We will be finishing up some enrichment activities with long multiplication. Please note that it is VERY important that your child review his/her addition, subtrac-



Last day of school is May 17th!

tion, multiplication, and division facts periodically over the summer. This will keep them prepared for the beginning of fourth grade and give them a jump-start on math for the upcoming school year. They know how to use Moby Max and there is a Fact Fluency option that we do at school to review that they can use!

Science: The students have been working hard on their science fair presentations! They will be finishing up their tri-fold boards next week and preparing their speeches for their presentation of their research and study.

Language Arts: We will finish up one last week of Mountain Language and our literature set book of <u>Gone Fishing.</u>

Spelling: No new list this week! We will work on Unit 33 at school because of testing.

*MATH MAP test will be next week on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
mornings beginning at 8:45. These sessions are not timed.

- ** Monday, May 6th: Bookmobile at ACES-all books need to be returned.
- ** Thursday, May 9th: Safety Acres in Maryville. We will leave at 8:40 and will be back to school around 2:15. Lunch is provided from the Safety Council of hamburgers and hotdogs, chips, apple, cookie, and drink. If your child does not want this lunch, they will need to bring their own from home.
- ** **Tuesday, May 14:** Science Fair Parent Night from 5:00-6:00 p.m. Students are expected to be here to present their projects. If they have other obligations, please let me know ASAP!!
- ** Wednesday, May 15: Picnic in the Park-dress to play in the park all day and get dirty. Bring a water bottle and sunscreen. Lunch on this day will be hot dogs and a treat from Dairy Queen. If your child does not want a hot dog lunch, they can bring their lunch from home.
- ** Thursday, May 16th: Field day in the morning- dress to play, bring a water bottle and sunscreen! Early dismissal at 12:50; teachers will be preparing grade cards/end of the year reports and files.
- **Friday, May 17: Awards ceremony that morning from 9:45-10:00 for grades 3-5. All parents are welcome to attend! School dismisses at 12:50.
- **Students need to bring their backpacks even on the last day of school for taking supplies and awards home.
- * Students need to have their lunch accounts paid in the office if you have a balance due. Check lost and found-all unclaimed items will be donated-there are a lot of items on the table in the front hallway!

Thank you parents for all of the hard work, support, and volunteering in the third grade classroom this year. I can't believe that the year has wound down already. Time really goes by fast!
We have had a great year! Please remember to have your child read/practice math facts over the
summer so that they are ready for school in the fall. Have a terrific summer and I will look forward to seeing everyone again soon!