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# VETERANS WALK WEDNESDAY, NOV 8

Annual school-wide visit to the Veterans wall to celebrate our veterans. Thank you to all who have served and to everyone remembering those that have paid the ultimate price for our country.

\*Accepting donations for the Buddy Poppy program all week! Please bring to the office or your teacher. Thank you!

Please wear red, white, and blue on this day to show support!

# PUMPKIN CONTEST WINNERS **CONGRATS!!!**

#### Thank you to all students who participated in the pumpkin decorating contest!

A special congrats to our winners. We had amazing turn out for our first year, the designs were all fantastic!









# HIGHLIGHT'S FROM MRS.HENLEY

In the library, we celebrated National Graphic Novel Day! Students enjoyed exploring different genres of graphic novels. Graphic novels improve students' reading skills like any other book would and the students were completely engaged with the text.

Kindergarten students had a lot of fun in the library with magnifying glasses. They searched for items in I-Spy books. They were so excited when they found all of their items in their I-Spy book!

The Patterson family at Ripon Elementary let us explore, observe, and enjoy one of their famous pumpkins. Students loved learning outside and were highly engaged. Thank you Patterson family!

We are excited to meet with all of our wonderful families during Parent/Teacher conference week (*November 13th-17th*) We are very thankful for our students and their families at Ripon Elementary. We hope you have a wonderful Thanksgiving!

# FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT NOV 9 AT 6PM

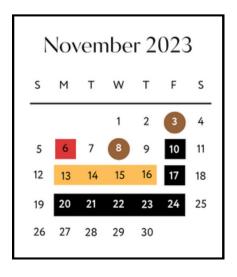


Please join us Thursday evening at 6pm to enjoy the family film, "Moana" in the Ripon Elementary cafeteria. All children must be attended by an adult.

\*Optional \$5 meal deal will be provided that includes a hot dog, drink, bag of chips, and a treat!

#### **NOVEMBER:**

- 11/2-11/16 Ripon El Food Drive
- 11/6 PFC Meeting, Room 15
- 11/8 Domino's Restaurant Night
- 11/8 Veteran's Day Walk
- 11/9 Free Family Movie night, 6pm
- 11/10 NO SCHOOL
- 11/13-11/17th Parent Teacher Conferences & Diwali
- 11/17 NO SCHOOL
- 11/20-11/26 NO SCHOOL (Thanksgiving break)
- 11/27 Community Tree Lighting @ 6pm







# STAR LAB

Mrs. Rangel, Mrs. Stevenson, and Ms. Machado will be teaching students at Ripon Elementary about the planets and stars. Students will get to visit "Star Lab" a portable planetarium system, in early November to interactively learn about science in the sky!

# CANNED FOOD DRIVE

The Ripon Tribal Council will be collecting non-perishable foods and can openers for local families from **November 2-16**. All donations are greatly appreciated!





# THANKSGIVING BREAK

**NO SCHOOL** November 17-26. We will see everyone back to school on 11/27!



# FRIDAY SPIRIT DAYS

Show your school spirit and wear red, every Friday! You can find all the best spirit wear through Ripon Print Studio on Main St. #ONFRIDAYSWEWEARRED





# 3RD GRADE TRIP THURSDAY, NOV 16

The third grade classes will be taking their annual field trip to Knight's Ferry this month to watch the salmon spawning, and enjoy an ice cream treat after watching the local migration!

# THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS!

We cannot thank you enough for all the support we've received through parent volunteers! Boo-Yards, Boo-Grams, Halloween parties, Color Run, Main Street Days, and all the other festivities this month - we could not perservere through October without our volunteers!



Tribal Council October activities were a great success! We celebrated many different dress-up days, Red Ribbon Week, reopened our Student Store and sold hundreds of Boo Grams!

In November we are looking forward to participating in the Ripon High School Leadership Day as well as the many activities that we have planned for everyone at Ripon Elementary.

# PLEASE JOIN US

MON. NOV. 6 // 4-5PM

We love our parent support!

Please join us in the teacher's lounge for our November PFC meeting.

Find out all the fun things in the works for Ripon El and contribute your thoughts to building a great year for everyone!

Childcare is provided in the cafeteria during this hour by our RAP program!

