

NEWSLETTER



Important Upcoming Dates:

- 3/4 -3/8 Read Across America Week & Book Drive
- 3/8 Spirit Friday
- 3/11 Author L. Hort visits CRS
- 3/14 No Homework Night
- 3/15 Spirit Friday
- 3/16 International Heritage Day @ LLE

March 1, 2024



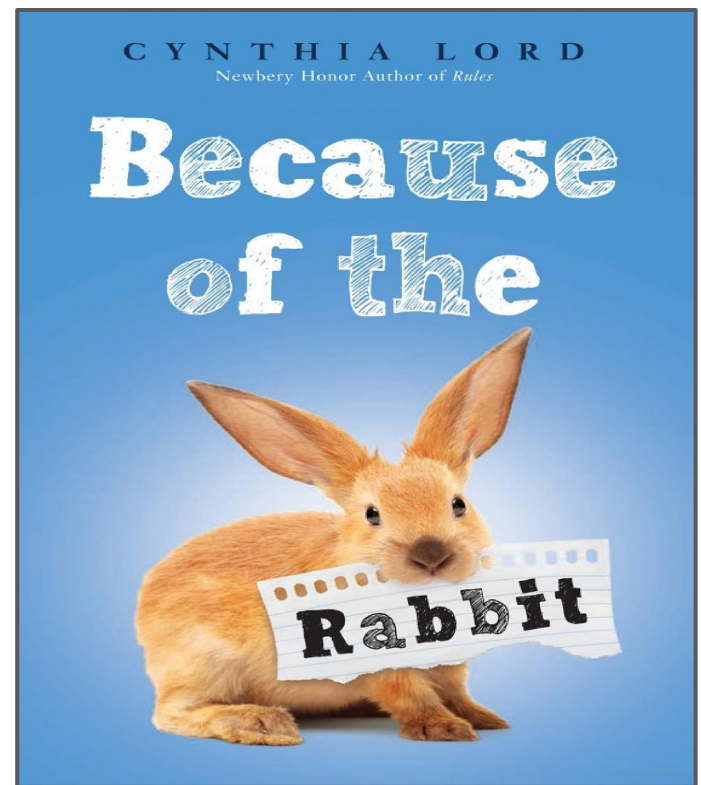
Lunar New Year Celebration

On Friday, February 9th all of our schools were very fortunate to celebrate the Lunar New Year. This is the year of the Wooden Dragon. Students enjoyed watching their peers and others perform dances, tae kwon do, drums and a fashion show. Thank you to all that participated and enabled our students to learn about this holiday.



One School One Book

Our LLE students all took part in reading, *Because of the Rabbit*. They enjoyed the nightly mystery reader as they followed at home with their families. Every morning each class worked together to answer questions regarding readings from the night before. We are thankful to the PTO for providing this opportunity to all of the students.



Spotlight on First Grade

The First Graders have been counting their way to the 100th day of school. This year, the 100th day of school was on Thursday, February 8th. We celebrated in a big way! The first graders came dressed to school as centenarians! The classrooms were buzzing with many white haired folks with canes, walkers, cardigan sweaters, glasses and more, enjoying our many activities. The activities included bringing in collections of 100 items from home that the students counted out; making placemats with 100 objects that were laminated and we now use during snack time; counting to 100 in many different ways and back to zero again; guessing and decorating how far 100 hearts would extend when taped to the floor and finally, writing about what the students would do if they had \$100! Wow!! A fun time was had by all.





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Dear CRS and LLE Families,

Please take the time to read over everything and click on the links that are applicable.

- **CALENDAR CORRECTION**-The DMS Musical of Shrek is NOT on 3/20 **THE CORRECT DATES ARE 3/21 AND 3/22.** .
- **International Heritage Day (IHD)**-Saturday, March 16th from 12:00-2:30. Please see the attached [flyer](#).
- **Lenny Hort**-In celebration of our One School, One Book initiative, author, Lenny Hort, is visiting CRS on Monday, March 11th! All CRS students will receive a complimentary copy of *HOW MANY STARS IN THE SKY?* courtesy of the Demarest PTO. If you'd like to order additional autographed books, please complete and return [THIS](#) form by Thursday, March 7 to the CRS main office.
- **Read Across America Celebrations**-Please click [here](#) for information regarding this annual event. Please note, we are asking everyone to join us in a book donation program.
- **Preschool/Kindergarten Registration:**
 - **Preschool:** If you are interested in enrolling your child in the preschool program for the 2024-2025 school year please contact Mrs. Rraci at CRS at 201-768-6060 ext. 51535.
 - **Kindergarten:** Please contact Mrs. Rraci at CRS at 201-768-6060 ext. 51535 to make an appointment to register your child.
 - If you know any new residents in town, encourage them to register their child for the 2024-2025 school year.

All my best,
Mr. Frank J. Mazzini
Principal