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**Thank you Evaline School Board Directors!!! We appreciate you!!!**



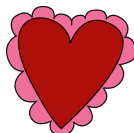
**SCHOOL BOARD APPRECIATION MONTH**



**Valentine's Day Party**  
**Friday, February 14th**



We're excited to celebrate Valentine's Day on February 14th with a fun, all-school party and a snack as we exchange valentines at the end of the school day. If your child plans to bring valentines, please ensure they have enough for everyone in their class. While students are welcome to give valentines to other students or staff members outside their classroom, this is entirely optional. To help us stay organized, please have valentines brought in either the day before or on Valentine's Day, as these are the designated days for distribution. Thank you!



***A student name list is attached to this newsletter.***  
***Our awesome Booster Club will be providing our snack of strawberry milk, fresh fruit and dip.***  
***Thank you Booster Club!!***

## Library Books

Every week students get the chance to explore books that pique their interests. They can keep these books for as long as they need them, and a maximum of 2 books out at a time is our rule. It can be tough, though, to get into the habit of returning library books when you are done reading them. This is an important skill to build, and the reward for remembering is a chance to check out more books! Please encourage your child to read and return their selections. Thank you.



## Important Dates!!



### FEB.

- Fri. 7th: Lion Pride Day 11:30 Dismissal**
- Fri. 7th: Booster Club Meeting - 3:00pm, in the 3rd/4th grade classroom**
- Tues. 11th: Last Day to Vote**
- Thurs. 13th: Report cards mailed home**
- Fri. 14th: 3rd/4th Grade-Water Testing at Winolequa Park, 8:45am**
- Fri. 14th: Valentines Day Party**
- Mon. 17th: No School - Presidents Day**
- Fri. 21st: STONE SOUP (With Grandparents)**
- Mon. 24th & Tues. 25th: Spring Conferences 11:30 dismissal each day**
- Wed. 26: Staff Development - 11:30 Dismissal**
- Thurs. 27th - Fri. 28th: Min-Winter Break (no school) or Snow Make Up Days**

## STONE SOUP

It's time for our traditional Stone Soup, inspired by the book *Stone Soup* by Marcia Brown! During the week of February 17th-21st, our students will participate in a variety of activities related to this heartwarming story. Then, on Friday, February 21st, we'll all enjoy a delicious bowl of soup made with ingredients donated by our families, just like in the story! We're asking those who wish to donate ingredients to please bring pre-packaged, sealed, or canned items. If you have any questions about a specific ingredient, please feel free to contact the school. To help make things easier, we've assigned ingredients by classroom, but any donation is greatly appreciated! See the list below for details. All leftover items will be donated to the local food bank. Please have all ingredients at school by Wednesday, February 19th.

**Grandparents Invited to Stone Soup Day!**  
New this year, we're excited to invite grandparents to join us for this special meal! Students in grades 3rd-6th will eat at 11:30 AM, and students in TK-2nd grade will eat at 12:00 PM. Grandparents who wish to join both groups are welcome to stay the entire time. Please RSVP with the office so we can plan accordingly.

**We're looking forward to a fun and delicious day with all our families!**

### INGREDIENT LIST:

- TK/K: Beans/ seasonings / herbs / spices
- 1st & 2nd grade: One small bag/box of noodles / rice
- 3rd & 4th grade: One can of vegetables such as corn, green beans, mixed veggies
- 5th and 6th grade: Fresh vegetables such as potatoes, onions, carrots
- Staff/School (Ms Annie): Meat, sides, drink and dessert

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## TK and Kindergarten

Mrs. Tinnin

Kindergarteners are learning the sh and ch sounds. They also learn about plants, their life cycle, how we get fruit, and where honey comes from.

TK continues to learn about plants. They are learning that flower petals have different colors and shapes. They are learning why flowers are important. TK is working with the M and A sounds. They are also working on identifying the beginning sounds in words.

In math, kindergarteners continue to work on subtraction and addition story problems. TK is learning about the numbers 6,7, 8, and 9.

Everyone is working on patterns. Many kindergarteners and TK students can identify patterns beyond a simple AB pattern.

We go to the library every Friday. Please remind your child to turn in their books so they can check out new ones.

## First and Second Grade Explorers

Mrs. Mittge

We had a very busy week visiting Safety City and experiencing Science on Wheels!

A few important ideas came out of our visit to Safety City. First, please be sure your child knows his/her phone number and address. Second, please discuss your family's emergency escape plan in case there is a fire or earthquake. Please also consider posting important contacts on the fridge or in a place accessible to your child.

Today concludes our first term. I am so proud of the academic growth and growth mindset your children have shown. It is very important that students are at school and on time each day. Also essential is ensuring that students are reading aloud for 20-30 minutes each night. These few simple things allow students to achieve learning goals.

## Third and Fourth Grade Classroom

Mrs. Mars

This week our students worked on things all students in 3rd and 4th grade should know. The ones we focussed on this week were:

**President-** Donald Trump

**Vice-President-** JD Vance

**Governor-** Bob Ferguson

**State-** Washington

**Country-** United States

**Capital-** Olympia

**County-** Lewis

Please help your child to practice these things as we will be testing on them periodically.

On Tuesday students enjoyed a fun day filled with science. We started the day with an assembly before heading back to class for breakout sessions. Our class participated in three different breakout sessions. One about bone, one about vision, and another about the brain. In addition to this we got to head into the exhibit room where students got to self explore a variety of things in a very hands-on way. It was a very fun day filled with learning.

## Fifth and Sixth Grade Classroom

Mr. Burlingame

6th grade parents!

Please check this week's newsletter for Cispus paperwork. It is very important that this paperwork is filled out and returned to me so that I can arrange housing and food for our week up at camp. There will be a parents meeting on Wednesday, February 19th at 3:30 in the portable for anyone who would like more information on Camp Cispus and what to expect. If you have any questions, please email me at [sburlingame@evalinesd.k12.wa.us](mailto:sburlingame@evalinesd.k12.wa.us) or call me at 360-785-3460



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**Safety city**



**Science on Wheels**

