

Kindergarten Newsletter

February 19, 2010

Literacy:

Wow what a great wedding! Thank you to all of you who came to support our QJ wedding. As always, the kids looked great, did great and had a wonderful time. Now, we will need to put some QJ words into our journal time.

We did start a unit on Australia this week also. There are some interesting facts about the Australian wildlife that caught our attention. We also reviewed our continents and where they are in our world. Our treasure book was a perfect fit for the start of the Olympics this week. Our treasure book was Koala Lou by Mem Fox. Koala Lou participated in the Bush Olympics to make her mother proud. She was feeling left out because Mom was busy with the other children. Koala Lou did not win the tree climbing contest but Mom was waiting with open arms to tell Koala Lou how much she loved her when she got home. Our treasure this week is a gold medal.

Next week we will continue with our Australia unit. We will be going on an adventure with Hush through the Australian Outback in the book Possum Magic by Mem Fox.

Math:

This week, we have worked on finding larger numbers on a number grid. We have also worked on ordering our numbers. We continue to work on patterning, addition and subtraction and graphing. Please review these skills at home. If your child is still having trouble recognizing numbers please take a few minutes each night to review this skill.

Miscellaneous:

March 9: PTO mtg. @ 7:00 in Library

March 12: 3rd quarter ends

March 16: Report Cards

March 17: full day of school/evening Parent/teacher conferences

March 18: NO School Parent/Teacher conferences

March 26: Spring Carnival

March 31: 1:30 dismissal

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please contact us at school with a phone call or e-mail. Have a great weekend!

Mrs. Kelzer, Miss Redfearn & Mrs. Wurster