

# Wainscott Weekly

January 20, 2017

With the shortened week you would think that we wouldn't get a lot of work done; well it couldn't be more far from the truth. The students have been working on some really interesting stories in reading about Martin Luther King Jr., technologies, and about cows that type. Yes you read correctly cows that type, it was the second grade reader this week and it was a really silly story about cows that were typing bargaining agreements with the farmer for warm blankets in exchange for making milk. They really seemed to enjoy it so ask about it I am sure they can tell it better than I could. In math we have continued with addition as well as multiplication. I have also encouraged the children to practice their facts as much as possible. Some have asked for index cards to make their own flashcards, please look them over as they complete them to make sure they are correct. In social studies we should be wrapping up Dr. Martin Luther King lapbooks and continuing to work on studying the economy and the marketplace. There will be a strong emphasis on needs and wants. Hope you all have a great weekend!

-Mark



We have worked very hard this week. We have continued our study of Martin Luther King Jr. and have learned how things have changed over time for the better. We are working on a lapbook to display the differences from the past. In math the First Graders are working on addition and subtraction of tens. Please practice math facts daily and try each night to improve your fluency from the day before. The Kindergarteners have been working with addition using the count on method. The Aimswebplus benchmark has been completed. Good job by all! In Reading we have been working on synthesizing sounds in our writing. It is wonderful to see the success in the students. The First Graders are working on using descriptive words to add more detail to their writing. It is so important to read with and to your child each night to build confidence.

Have a terrific weekend!

Kelly



The Student Art Festival at Guild Hall is now open.

Our students artwork is on display.

If you have a chance, stop and visit the exhibit.



## UPCOMING

January 23rd: Gym - Yoga

January 25th: Gym - Tennis

# STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

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