

Wainscott Weekly

May 5, 2017

This week concluded the grade 3 state testing in math and the state testing overall for the rest of this year. To say we are all relieved would be an understatement. The children worked hard and tried their best and that is what really counts most. While the third worked on their testing the second graders read a new story in their Journeys books called "Dex The heart of a Hero." It was written as a comic book and had some great illustrations. It also had a wonderful message about helping others in spite of their negative attitudes. In math we are working on measurement and area. We have fun with this because it allows for many hands-on activities where the children get to move around the building and measure various objects. In science we are finishing our dinosaur unit with wonderful presentations and then we will begin with our unit on plants which will take us to the end of the year.

To finish the week we had our annual lunch with the sewing society at the Wainscott Chapel. It is always nice to visit with the ladies there and enjoy a home cooked lunch of hotdogs, baked beans, and chips. Next week will be just as busy as all the rest but with the testing out of the way we can move on to other things. We also look forward to seeing our class mothers for our Mother's Day breakfast next Friday. Have a great weekend and enjoy the sunshine!

-Mark

What a fabulous week! I can't believe it is already May. The students have been really working hard and have made tremendous progress this year. We are writing many great things about Spring during writers' workshop. They have become emergent authors and illustrators. We are also working on a special gift for our moms. In math the Kindergarteners have been working with geometry as we explore 3D shapes. The First graders are working on addition and subtraction of two digit numbers with regrouping. They are so proud of themselves and so am I. In Science we are exploring living vs. nonliving things. We used our iPads to explore nature outside and took pictures of living and nonliving things with explanations. In Social Studies we are continuing our study of community helpers and the special jobs they do in our community. Please remember to practice your child's line for our Spring Show. We would like to thank the Wainscott Sewing Society for an amazing lunch. The children loved it!

Happy Cinco de Mayo!

Have a great weekend!

Kelly



Mother's Day Breakfast
Friday, May 12th - 9:00 am



Student Progress Reports
have been posted
to the Parent Portal



Students of the Week

Marji Hansen

and

Tania Calle

