



Jim Stone Elementary Newsletter

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Mr. Lewis' Weekly Round-Up....

We have finished another busy week with some tricky weather mixed in. Remember that you can receive information on school closings on all of the local television networks, but you will also receive a message via ParentLink, Facebook, Twitter, and Yahoo!.

Traffic has become an issue once again at drop off. This is mainly due to through traffic in the mornings on College. There is little that can be done with that, so I'm asking a favor of each person. If everyone will try to get to school five minutes earlier, I think it will stop the huge rush right before the bell at 8:10. Thank you!!

Mark Lewis

Upcoming Events

- January 18-Fine Arts Festival Meeting (11:00 am)
- January 18-Character Assemblies
- January 21- Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (School's Out)
- January 30-PTO Meeting (2-3)
- February 18-President's Day (School's Out)
- February 20- Spring and Group Pictures
- February 25-March 1-Fine Arts Festival

Character Counts!

January



Citizenship

Caring enough to speak up for the good of your country, community, and school.



Spring Portraits and Group/Classroom Portraits will be Wed. February 20. Money is due the day of the portraits. Only students ordering spring pictures will be photographed for those.



BOX TOP COMPETITION BETWEEN GRADE LEVELS
Clip your box tops! The grade that brings in the most box tops will win an extra 30 minute recess!!

YEARBOOK

Please upload pictures for the Yearbook! Field trips, parties, musicals, running club, character awards, class pictures, etc! We need a lot of pictures, so please bring your camera if you plan on going to the school. Remember, pictures from cell phones will not work. Thanks so much!!!

"I HAVE A DREAM..."
- Martin Luther King, Jr.



School is out Monday, January 21 in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.



Menus for January 21-25

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| No School | Choice of One Breakfast Pizza or Whole Grain Cereal w/Honey Wheat Donut | Choice of One Pancake & Sausage on a Stick or Whole Grain Cereal w/Whole Grain Poptart | Choice of One Pillsbury Mini Cinnis & Sausage Link or Whole Grain Cereal w/Honey Wheat Donut | Choice of One Sausage Biscuit or Whole Grain Cereal w/Whole Grain Poptart |
| | Fruit Juice Milk of Choice | Fruit Juice Milk of Choice | Fruit Juice Milk of Choice | Fruit Juice Milk of Choice |
| No School | Choice of One Chicken Rings or Turkey Breast | Choice of One Turkey Corn Dog w/Garden Salsa Sun Chips Or Yogurt/Pizza Stick | Choice of One Baked Glazed Ham w/Macaroni & Cheese or Chef Salad w/ Pizza Stick | Choice of One Pepperoni Pizza or Chicken Tender Wrap w/Harvest Cheddar Sun Chips |
| | Fruits Offered Fresh Apple Orange Juice Vegetables Offered Mashed Potatoes | Fruits Offered Diced Pears Orange Juice Vegetables Offered | Fruits Offered Strawberry Cup Orange Juice Vegetables Offered | Fruits Offered Mixed Fruit Orange Juice Vegetables Offered |
| | Milk of Choice | Milk Of Choice | Milk of Choice | Milk of Choice |

BREAKFAST

LUNCH



We have the opportunity to “Pay it Back” and “Pay it Forward”. January 21 through January 31st we will once again be collecting coins for a cause. We have two separate ways to contribute – if you feel led to donate.

1st – we will be putting our coin jars out in the foyer for students to drop in loose change – even pennies add up.

2nd – We will be selling Kudo’s for a cause in Mrs. Gresham’s room from 7:50 – 8:10 on the following days: Tuesday, Jan 22, Wednesday, Jan. 23, Thursday, Jan. 24, Monday, Jan. 28, Tuesday, Jan. 29, Wednesday, Jan. 30 and Thursday, Jan. 31.

The Kudo’s are small Hersey candy bars wrapped with a Kudo You’re Kool wrap on the candy bar. The Kudo’s will cost 25 cents, and can be sent to a student in the classroom anonymously to prevent hurt feelings. Please talk with your child about giving something to someone just to make them smile. Kudo’s will be delivered to students in the classroom on Friday, Jan. 25 and Fri. Feb. 1st, every child will receive Kudo’s. You can also have one delivered to a teacher at school, but it will cost 50 cents, your child will be able to sign the Kudo for the teachers.

I totally understand concerns about all the chocolate in our health conscience society. If you would like to send an alternative snack specifically for your child I’ll certainly do my best to make sure they get it.

If you have questions or concerns please email me at:
greshams@conwayschools.net

Our school has joined the My Coke Rewards for Schools Program. That means by drinking the Coca Cola products your family already enjoys, you can earn points and donate them to the school.

Enter your points at www.mycokerewards.com and donate them to the school.

Thanks so much!



***We need pictures from the K, 1st and 2nd grade Musical and Character Kid Awards for the yearbook. Please upload!!! You can upload throughout the year. We love any pictures from school events or any pictures taken at school (lunch, recess, special class project, class parties, running club etc....

UPLOAD DIRECTIONS

1. point your web browser to: images.balfour.com
2. enter project number 317046 and password STALLIONS
3. enter contact information
4. browse and select one or more images from your computer and upload (see reminders)
5. add captions to photo --names of children, teacher name, grade
6. click BEGIN UPLOAD

REMINDERS

IMAGES SHOULD BE IN JPEG FORMAT, RGB
MAXIMUM FILE SIZE IS 20MB PER IMAGE
CELL PHONE PHOTOS DO NOT WORK

Please upload Photos! The children get excited when they find their picture in the yearbook.

Thanks for collecting for Jim Stone Elementary!

