

**Subject:** Weekly Newsletter

**Date:** Saturday, March 30, 2019 at 5:01:27 PM Eastern Daylight Time

**From:** Stacy Harker

Dear Parents,

We have decided to have our POL on Thursday, May 9 at 1:00 pm. My POL will be in the classroom. I hope everyone will be able to attend.

We will have an Easter Egg hunt on Wednesday, April 10. Please send in 24 eggs with candy inside as soon as you can.

Also, I am still needing money to make the Easter Baskets. ( \$5.00) I can not afford to pay for the materials. If you are able to send in the money by Tuesday that will be great.

The Come See Me parade is Thursday, April 4 at 6:30. It will be downtown Rock Hill. Some of the older students will be in the parade for Riverwalk. Hope you come and enjoy the parade.

Spring Break is Friday, April 12 until Tuesday, April 23. On April 12 the students are dismissed at 11:00am. Recently, I have had a couple parents not show up on time to get their child at dismissal. All elementary students who do not have middle school siblings are to leave by 3:00. I have meetings and conferences scheduled after school. Please be mindful.

The students have worked hard on our plant unit in PBL. I can't wait for them to tell you what they have learned. We have planted many things.

We began a poetry unit in writing and will invite parents to come and hear our poems when we finish the unit. The date has not yet been determined but will probably be the end of April or beginning of May. I might decide to have the children show you their poems during the POL. ??? Email me and let me know which is easier for you. I want your input. I know it is difficult getting off work for those who work.

Math we are studying graphs and counting money. Please practice counting nickels and dimes with your child. We will begin doing this on Monday.... it is a hard concept.

Please keep reading with your child. Even if your child is on a high level they need to be fluent and comprehend what is being read. It is very noticeable... even in the higher groups who is reading out loud to a parent. This is so important for them to hear themselves read and someone asking them questions about the story.

Spelling words:

big

such

even

because

turn

Bonus words: Monday, Tuesday

Math facts will be the 8 family.

Thanks for all the support and all you do to make this year successful!

Kindest Regards,  
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