



Team Ronzio's Report

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IMPORTANT DATES

November 11-15th:
Parent Teacher Con-
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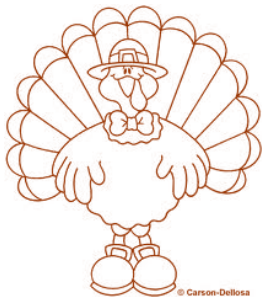
November 14-15th:
Scholastic Book Fair at
Paxton

November 18th: Toy
Drive Kick Off

November 22nd:
Scholastic Book Or-
ders Due

November 25th: Team
Ronzio's Thanksgiving
Lunch with Ms. Ronzio

November 27-29th:
Thanksgiving Break



Information and Events

- * **Conferences:** Thank you to everyone who was able to attend their conference! I enjoyed talking with you about your child and sharing their wonderful work!
- * **Scholastic Book Fair:** During conferences, there will be a Scholastic Book Fair in Paxton Keeley's Commons. Feel free to browse through the book fair for new reading materials!
- * **Girls on the Run:** On Saturday, November 16th at 9:30am, Paxton's Girls on the Run team will be running in a 5k at Steven's Lake Park. This 5k is open to the public as well. Feel free to come cheer on or run with your friends. There is a green flier with the registration website in your child's Friday folder.
- * **Toy Drive:** On November 18th, Paxton Keeley's Annual Toy Drive will begin! Bring in new toys to be donated.
- * **Friday Folders:** Due to conferences this week, there will be no comments in your child's Friday folders.
- * **Team Ronzio Thanksgiving Lunch:** In the spirit of the upcoming holiday, Team Ronzio will be eating lunch with Ms. Ronzio. This fun and special lunch will take place on November 25th from 11:15-11:30pm. Your child may bring or buy their lunch, but will have the opportunity to eat with their teammate in the classroom.
- * **Scholastic Book Orders:** The November Scholastic Book Orders are due by 3:00pm on Friday, November 22nd.

What We've Been Doing

- * **Science:** We learned how water can drastically change the Earth through flash floods. We also started talking about how earthquakes change the Earth.
- * **Math:** On Tuesday we took our district assessment over everything we learned in the first trimester. Throughout the rest of the week we continued to review place value and effective strategies to use when solving word problems.
- * **Writing:** On Monday we wrote book recommendations for our new bulletin board...the theme is "Chill out with a good book!" We also continued our unit on how to write like scientist. In groups of four, students created their own experiment by asking "What if..." or "I wonder..." questions. They will be conducting these experiments next week and writing up a lab report. There is a note in your student's Friday folder about supplies they need to conduct their group's experiment next week.
- * **Reading:** In shared reading we started to learn about the differences between retelling and summarizing. Ask your child what book they read in their book club this week?
- * **Social Studies:** On Monday we discussed what Veteran's day celebrates and who it honors.