

CAMPFIRE CHRONICLE

Mrs. Matthews' Class February 26, 2017

Important Date

February 28th Firehouse Subs PRE fundraiser
March 3rd GRAND Literacy Night/Chili Cook-off 5:30 PRE
March 8th Early Release 2:30
March 10th Serve It Up Volleyball-NHS 5:20

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Writing:

In writing this week, we learned how authors use a glossary and table of contents to allow their reader to learn about what they wrote about. Some students wrote a final/back cover All About the Author as an added bonus! We can't wait to share them on Monday at our NF writing celebration. Students have an opportunity to REPUBLISH their final books into a real book to display at the March Learning Showcase at the HS!

Reading:

In whole group over the last couple of weeks, we have begun reading BIGGER BOOKS and tracking characters throughout a book series! We are still reading Sideways Stories from the Wayside School, the first comedy/fantasy chapter book in a series. We are using this text to continue to apply more complex reading strategies including, comparing and contrasting characters from ourselves, sequencing events of a story and inferring. We will continue practicing more skills and then read the second book in the series in book clubs. In place of small groups this week, students were met with regarding their second passion project topic or final support for their NF book! Next week, we will begin updating data folders for mid-year at home conferences!

AROUND THE CAMPFIRE



PBL: This week, we learned how to write a message for an appropriate audience, about different tools to use to communicate our message and what vehicles we can use. Groups began drafting a flowchart for their project. Our driving question is:
How can we support the community in educating others and help them prepare for different weather phenomenon?

3rd Grade Math: In 3rd Grade math this week, we took a what 3D shape am I challenge, reviewed rounding using a poem, added large numbers, and practiced our multiplication and division fact using several new games. After reviewing for the test, we began testing Friday, but not many students finished due to the fun assembly on Friday! 😊

