

TEAM 5 MAY NEWSLETTER

We can't believe that it is already May!!! Where did the year go? Team 5 has lots of activities to keep us busy until the last day of school. We'd like to share some of the highlights with you.

Field Trips

Team 5 will be attending a field trip to Morrill Hall as a culminating activity to our Rocks and Minerals science unit. Mrs. Hoffman and Mrs. Fellow's classes will attend on April 29th, and Mrs. Cabela's class will go on April 30th.

The Omaha Doorly Zoo trip is scheduled for Thursday, May 29th. You will be receiving detailed information in today's Wednesday notes. Be sure to sign the second sheet and return it promptly. It is required for all students.

CRT Testing

Our end of the year district-wide testing is scheduled in May. Math testing will be May 20th during math class. Language Arts will be scheduled for two days around the same time. Results will be sent to you during the summer. Science CRT's will be as follows:

Mrs. Fellows	May 21
Mrs. Hoffman	May 22
Mrs. Cabela	May 23

Each group will be given a study guide and should study for their test.

Spring Concert

Our end of the year Spring Concert is scheduled for May 15th. It's always nice to hear the band, orchestra, and choir! They have learned a lot this year.

Awards Ceremony

The Fredstrom Awards Ceremony and 5th Grade Recognition is scheduled for May 28th at 1:30. This is a very special time for your fifth grade student. He or she will be recognized for completion of 5th grade. We hope you're able to attend.

Memory Books

As part of the 5th Grade Recognition, all fifth grade students will be completing a School Memories Book. Please help your child reminisce from pre-school to fifth grade. Pictures help make the book even more meaningful. Each student will keep his or her book.

May Personal Reading Calendar

For May's Genre of the Month, your student needs to be able to recite a poem of choice for our "Sippin' Cider With Friends" activity. Please encourage your child to have the poem ready to recite by May 19th. We will hear poetry while eating cookies and drinking apple juice. Personal reading calendars need to be returned by May 23rd, and students only need to complete 350 minutes since it is a shortened month.

Living History

In social studies, our last unit will be researching and presenting a famous person in American history. Your student has chosen a partner to work with and a famous person to research. Presentations are scheduled beginning May 21st.

LOTS OF INFORMATION!

Since there are so many activities this last month of school, here is a list of important dates at a glance.

April 29 th :	Hoffman and Fellows to Morrill Hall PLC Early Release
April 30 th	Cabela to Morrill Hall
May 1 st	Growth and Development Film 2:00 – 2:53 Parents are invited to attend
May 5 th	Park visitation - A.M.
May 13 – 14	End of year writing test, personal essay
May 15 th	Spring Concert
May 20 th	Math CRT Language Arts CRT
May 21 st	Language Arts CRT 9:30 – 11:30 Dawes visitation Living History presentations begin
May 22 nd	Team 5 picnic Living History presentations continue
May 23 rd	10:15 Dawes Choir performs Living History continues
May 26 th	NO SCHOOL – Memorial Day
May 27 th	PLC Early release
May 28 th	Last day of Living History presentations 1:30 5 th Grade Recognition and Awards ceremony
May 29 th	Omaha Henry Doorly Zoo trip
May 30	Last Day of School

