Issue 23 Week of Feb. 25-March 1

# The McDonough Weekly

# A Peek at our Week in Kindergarten

**<u>Bible:</u>** This weeks Bible verse is 2 Cor. 5:17 Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come! Next week Mark 10:14b.

**Phonics:** This week we are learning and reviewing the special sounds "ck" in duck, "o" in go, "st" in stop, "pl" in plane, "sh" in ship, "th" in thick, "ay" in pray, "fr" in frog, "e" in me, "tr" in train, "y" in fly, "th" in this and "th" in thick. New this week: "bl" in block, "cl" in clock, "fl" in flake and "gl" in glue. Please practice and continue marking vowels.

**<u>Reading</u>**: Reading groups will continue this week. Please remember to do and turn in Book-its. Book-its are due Thurs. 2/28 for February.

<u>**Handwriting:**</u> This week we are learning capital letters B. We are continuing to learn first names in cursive. Please practice at home.

<u>Math:</u> Addition families 1-9, counting to 100, by 10's, by 5's and counting nickels, dimes and pennies, number words (one-ten).

Social Studies: We are learning about China this week.

## Important Dates:

<u>2/28:</u> Dr. Seuss Art 1:00-1:40. <u>3/1:</u> Dr. Seuss Day  $\bigcirc$  We will be reading Dr. Seuss stories and eating yummy treats around 1:00. <u>3/8:</u> End of third quarter. <u>3/14:</u> St. Patricks Day Art 1:00-1:40.

<u>3/18-3/22: SAT Week. AM –Testing and PM – Fun (please see what your child can bring or do listed below).</u> <u>Monday- board games</u> <u>Tuesday – stuffed animal</u> <u>Wednesday – favorite toy</u> <u>Thursday – ice cream social</u> Friday – movie and popcorn

#### 3/25-3/29: Spring Break ©

4/19: Easter Egg Hunt and Brunch 9-11. All parents are welcome to attend this day. It is a half day. We are dismissed at 11:20 AM.



Show and Tell Samuel – Friday 3/1 Reminder no toys



<u>February Birthday</u> Mrs. McDonough – Feb. 6 Chloe – Feb. 9 Magnolia – Feb. 15

### Teacher's Words:

Dear Parents,

Friday is our Dr. Seuss Day! This will be later in the day. We will read Dr. Seuss books and eat treats around 1:00! We have been reading Dr. Seuss Books and doing fun activities all week in honor of Dr. Seuss.

As we draw near the end of Third Quarter please be aware that your child should be making good grades (A's and B's) at this point. We will continue to cover all new material into Fourth Quarter. If your child is struggling in any area please work with them. As a reminder we have a test in every subject, every week.

During the next three months we have a lot happening. Please see that we have SAT week March 18-22 This is the week before Spring Break. Please make sure your child is getting enough sleep and eating a healthy breakfast. SAT week we will have fun every afternoon. Please see list in important dates.

☺ In His service, Mrs. McDonough