Classroom News

We had a great field trip this week with chilly but dry weather! The students had a fun time seeing the Fort and learning about what life was like there during the fur trappers and Lewis & Clark. We wrapped up our social studies chapter today, and the chapter 2 test will be next Tuesday. If your child will be out on Tuesday, please plan to take it Monday, November 28th.

Please come by the classroom to check out our turkeys! The students did an outstanding job decorating their turkeys in a disguise, and their stories are hilarious to read. If you get a chance, please swing by to check them out. ©

Curriculum Focus for Next Week

Math

- Problem Solving
- Chapter 4 review

Reading

- Reader's Workshop
- Small groups: novel studies

Writing

- Publish turkey disguise writing
- Grammar: Action verbs

Social Studies

- Chapter 2 review
- Chapter 2 test

Religion

- Chapter 4 wrap-up
- What are we thankful for?

School News

Sock Project: We are asking that each grade contribute a specific supply. Collection bins will be in each classroom beginning the Monday after Thanksgiving. We are stuffing socks on **December 15**th. Please deliver your supplies to school by **Friday**, **December 9**th.

4th grade is responsible for travel-sized soaps. We are hoping for 18-20 per family!

Open House: Mark your calendar for our annual Open House on January 29th, from 10:00-12:30. Please help spread the word and invite your family and friends to come check out our wonderful school!

<u>Hot Lunch</u>: Hot lunch orders for December are due by November 24th. Don't miss out on hot lunch for next month!

Extended Care Dates to Remember:

- Wednesday, November 23rd: open but closing at 5:00pm rather than 6:00pm
- Thursday, November 24th and Friday, November 25th: closed for the Thanksgiving holiday
- Friday, December 2nd: Extended Care will be open as usual.
- Friday, December 16th: Morning Care will be open as usual, but there will be no after school Extended Care.

Upcoming Events:

- Tuesday, November 22nd Social studies chapter 2 test
- Wednesday, November 23rd Early dismissal day, 11:30am
- Thursday, November 24th & Friday, November 25th No school, Thanksgiving holiday