



# Abreu's News



## Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>



**United Way  
Hero Week  
Thursday  
PTA Bingo**



### Math (Quiz-Wed)

Add and subtract fractions with unlike denominators (including mixed numbers) by replacing given fractions with equivalent fractions in such a way as to produce an equivalent sum or difference of fractions with like denominators (e.g.,  $2/3 + 5/4 = 8/12 + 15/12 = 23/12$ ) (13.NF.1)

### Social Studies (Ch3 Test Tuesday)

Compare the effects of the transcontinental railroad in the late 19th century on cowboys, Native Americans, and homesteaders Describe the role of the cattle trails in the late 19th century including the Black Cowboys of Texas, the Great Western Cattle Trail, and the Chisholm Trail (AKS 39a, 39e)

### Science

Identify beneficial microorganisms and explain why they are beneficial. Identify harmful microorganisms and explain why they are harmful (AKS 1a,1b)



### October Birthdays

Lucas 11/2  
Conor 11/23



### Charismatic Cardinal



Shelby Nichole  
Favorite Subject- P.E.  
Favorite Book- *Hunger Games*  
Favorite Food- Cherry Frudel  
Enjoys crocheting and painting



### Language Arts (11/10 Reading Response Due)

**Reading:** (F) Determine theme of a story, drama, poem, from details in the text. (NF) Determine main ideas show support finding key details. Summarize text. Analyzing characters response to challenges (AKS 2,12,) (Quiz - )

**Word Study:** determine/clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words – root words ( ), long vowel sounds (AKS 41) 3rd Unit Wordly Wise (Quiz –Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> Unit)

**Writing:** Writing strong descriptive sentences – emphasis on word choice. Creating compound – complex sentences and using effectively in writing. Strong paragraphs with main idea, major details, and specific examples. . Organization of ideas through planning. Genre focus – informational, opinion (AKS; 24,30, 38)

### Important Dates and Information

Mon	11/10	United Way Hero Week--Favorite College Team
Tue	11/11	UWHW--Favorite Pro Team, Zaxby Spirit Night --
Wed	11/12	UWHW--Wacky Wed , Art Club, Tumbling, Chess Club, 5th Grade Focus Field Trip to Dahlonga
Thu	11/13	UWHW-(Dress in your favorite decade.) PTA Bingo
Fri	11/14	UWHW--Wear cape or super hero shirt (no costumes, please), Choir
Wed	11/19	Tumbling Team,, Chess Club, Student Council
Thu	11/20	Special Olympics, 6:00pm 5th Grade Musical --
Fri	11/21	Relay for Life Coins for Cancer, Cardinal Choir
Mon-Fri	11/24-28	Thanksgiving Break -- School Holiday
Mon	12/1	Career Week - Grades 3 – 5, Cardinal Choir
Tue	12/2	Buffalos Spirit Night
Wed	12/3	Art Club, Tumbling Team practice
Fri	12/5	Cardinal Choir
Mon	12/8	Firehouse Subs Spirit Night
Tue	12/9	Holiday Lunch -- Grades 1, 3, & 5
Wed	12/10	Art Club Holiday Brkfstt , Tumbling , Student Council
Thu	12/11	Holiday LunchHoliday Lunch -- Grades K, 2, & 4
Fri	12/12	Cardinal Choir Rehearsal
Mon	12/15	Tumbling at Peachtree Ridge HS, Cardinal Choir
Tue	12/16	Cardinal Choir Rehearsal
Wed	12/17	Tumbling Team
Thu	12/18	Cardinal Choir , DC Chorus Concert -- Cafeteria
Fri	12/19	Immigration Day--5th Grade Classrooms
Mon	12/ 22	Winter Break -- School Holiday

### Highlights Information

Absence notices have to be sent in with parent signature in order to be excused. Agendas are signed by me at the end of each day. I will indicate in the agenda if work has not been completed. Please encourage your child to complete work even if late.

### Folder

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