



Tiger Times

Pearl Sample Soap Box Derby Q & A

Who: Students in 4th and 5th grade

What: Build a soap box derby car and race it against other area schools

Where: At Pearl Sample after school January through April (one day a week)

When: Race is all day Saturday, April 14

Why: It's fun--with some learning mixed in! Our team won 1st last year!

How: As a team!

Two teams again this year! ** New** "Girls only" team and a combined 4th

Pearl Sample
Elementary School

November 2017

Important Facts:

- We strive for perfect student attendance all day every day.
- **Office Hours**
7:30-4:30 M-Th
7:30-4:00 Fridays
- **Students may arrive beginning at 7:45.**

Title 1 Reading Specialist News

Fall into a great book at the Tiger Tales Bookstore. Tiger Tales is open from 8:00 a.m. to 8:25 a.m. daily. All books are fifty cents. Check out the special display of books in the Red Barn outside the Tiger Tales bookstore. Each month a different theme of books will be highlighted. There are hundreds of titles to choose from! Mrs. Sublett loves to help students pick out books. Get ready for an exciting contest in Tiger Tales starting November 1st! Each time you purchase a book, place your name in a drawing to win a super-cool prize! (Hint: Minecraft and more!) Winners will receive their prizes before Thanksgiving break, so they will have something fun to read on our days off.

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Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015

On December 10, 2015, the *Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (ESSA)* was signed into law. Section 1112(e)(2) of ESSA states that parents of students in school receiving Title 1 funds, have the right to know about state or division policies regarding student participation in any assessments mandated by ESSA, including any policy, procedure, or parental right to opt students out of such assessments. If you would like to receive more information about this topic, please contact Mrs. Williams

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Dates and Reminders

- Tiger Tales \$.50 books for sale daily
- 15th– Interims go home
- Nov 18th- Pajama day-Students who pay \$1 may wear pajamas (No slippers!) to school. All of the money will go toward purchasing new recess equipment for our school.
- Nov 18th– PTO Frozen Friday
- Nov 18th-PTO Family BINGO night 5:30-7:30 PM
- **Nov 23-25th– NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS**
- Nov 28th-Dec 2nd—SCA Canned Food Drive
- Dec 2nd– School Spelling Bee
- Dec 5th-9th– PTO Santa Shop
- Dec 6th-PTO meeting
- Dec 6th– 6:30 PM PSES Winter Concert featuring 4th/5th Grade After School Chorus and 5th Grade Band with a Cookies and Juice Reception following.
- Dec 13th-SOL Night– information and activities for 3rd-5th grade
- Dec 20th-End of 2nd Quarter
- **Dec 20th– 1:00 Dismissal**
- **Dec 21 & 22 POSSIBLE make up days-see school calendar**
- **Dec 23rd-Jan 4th Winter Break-No School for Students**
- Please be sure to visit Mrs. Hicks class web page for the video they created using the "12 Powerful Words"! These words will be seen on tests and formal assessments through high school, so they found a fun way to remember them!