Weekly Newsletter March 25, 2022

French Gulch-Whiskeytown School

FGWS Families: We have had a number of absences in the past two weeks which makes us feel that we need another Saturday School session to give us that extra edge to push our ADA into funding band 2. It would be devastating to end up 1/100 of a percentage point short. That's how close this all is! The staff appreciates the attendance we have had the past two sessions and hopes for the same on APRIL 2. Teachers and aides will be attending a math workshop this weekend on math fact fluency. We are all burning the midnight oil these days!

SPOTLIGHT ON FGWS MINERS - PLAY BALL!



These 4 kiddos are in various spring ball leagues. L to R: Katelynn is currently playing "around" checking out various positions but is hoping to pitch. Beau is in the coach pitched baseball farm league, sometimes playing the bases but mostly outfield. Jeanette is hoping to pitch, her preferred position. Reese's

coach is eyeing her as a pitcher. Congratulations to these budding athletes.

NEW KITCHEN APPLIANCES

Our FGWS kitchen is getting a face lift! The school received a kitchen appliance grant last fall. Two new refrigerators arrived Monday. Carmona's needed to call for reinforcements to get one of the old fridges out of the kitchen. It was too wide to go through the doorway so it needed to be lifted out through the serving window opening! It ended up being a 4- person job. New ranges are back ordered but hopefully will be arriving soon. The new appliances are beautiful, more energy efficient and certainly improve the aesthetics of our tired little school kitchen.

SALMON IN THE CLASSROOM

Ms Hill's class has been raising salmon in the classroom from eggs. They are reaching the point that they can be released. On either April 7th or 8th, the class will release them into our local creek. This will be a walking fieldtrip experience. Maybe in 6-7 years we will be giving away salmon fillets in the school parking lot as we did on Tuesday from this group of classroom raised fish!



Upcoming Events

April 2
Saturday School

April 7 or 8
Salmon release grades 5-8

Week of April 11-15 Spring Break

April 20 5-8th Gr to Turtle Bay Exploratorium King Tut Exhibit

LUNCH MENU



Menu for March 28-31

Monday: Chicken Nuggets, Fritos, mixed greens salad and fruit

Tuesday: Homemade chicken noodle soup, muffin and apples

Wednesday: Grilled Cheese Sandwich, tomato soup, cheddar goldfish crackers and pineapple

Thursday: Egg Salad Sandwich w/romaine, chips and apples

Friday: TBA

Milk served at every meal

