



Deerfield Elementary 411

Excellence and Equity in Education



February 2009

At Deerfield Elementary School we are committed to educating the whole child while providing a safe and nurturing environment that promotes a passion for lifelong learning, respect for self and others, and an appreciation for individual differences.

Important Dates

- 2/8 PTO Meeting
- 2/18 Kindergarten Registration, 8am-3pm
- 2/19 Kindergarten Registration, 8am-3pm
- 2/19 Friday Family Fitness Night, 6:15pm
- 2/22 Enrichment K-6, 1245pm
- 2/24 Early Release
- 2/25 Wear your school t-shirt day
- 2/25 Trimester ends
- 2/26 No School
- 3/5 Read Across America
- 3/8 Report cards come home
- 3/10 Early Release
- 3/11 Parent Teacher Conferences
- 3/12 Wear your school t-shirt day
- 3/16 Parent Teacher Conferences
- 3/24 Early Release
- 3/26 Wear your school t-shirt day

to get them counted and bundled before we mail them. Any labels/coupons turned in after the 19th will be part of next years fund raising efforts. Thanks to all of you who have taken the time to clip the box-tops and send them in! Your efforts are very much appreciated!!

February Webquest Questions

Congratulations to the 5th grade for winning January's Webquest. This means that they have won the "no homework for a day reward." Great job!

Pottery and Baskets, 1100-1960

1. Pottery is made from
 - a. marble
 - b. stone
 - c. clay
2. Exactly how many years ago were the 6 Anasazi jars created?
3. Louisa Keyser's baskets were made from what natural plant?

Check out the new Elementary Calendar on line at www.deerfield.k12.wi.us

Reminder: No School on February 26th!

Box Tops for Education are Due February 19th!

Please submit all Box-Tops for education labels/coupons by Friday, February 19. Our final mailing to receive funds for this school year will happen the following week. Our wonderful volunteers need to have time



Friday Family Fitness Nights a HUGE Success!

Anyone who is interested in helping out or has questions, please contact Pam Haffely at haffelyp@deerfield.k12.wi.us. Hope to see you all there **February 19th** at 6:15pm for our next night. It's a great way to spend quality time with your family as well as burn a few calories before the weekend starts.

Haiti Relief Popcorn Day Raises Almost \$350!

Thank you to parents, staff, and students for your generosity last Friday for our popcorn fundraiser for Haiti. Our school will be donating almost \$350. Mrs. Hruby and the Student Action Committee should get a big round of applause for organizing this event. Great job!

Everyday Math Parent Resources

Below are some Everyday Math parent resources that parents can find on the internet. Some of the resources have to do with the program itself and others revolved around basic facts practice and strategies. If you have any questions regarding Everyday Math or math in general, your child's teacher is your best resource.

1. Go to www.Everdaymathonline.com and click on Family Resources.
2. www.wrightgroup.com/parent_connection/index.html
3. www.dadsworksheets.com
4. www.mathfactscafe.com

4K and Kindergarten Registration Dates are Announced

Registration dates for 4k and Kindergarten are fast approaching.

4K registration is taking place on February 24th from 8am-3pm at the elementary school. Parents are asked to bring their child's birth certificate with them.

Kindergarten registration will be taking place on February 18&19 from 8am-3pm. Parents are asked to bring in birth certificates to be verified as well.

If you have any questions regarding 4K or Kindergarten registration, please contact the elementary school office at 764-5442.

Winter Clothing Needed

We are always looking for extra winter clothing at the elementary school. Sometimes students are need of warm clothing, and other times students just forget their hat or gloves. If you do have some winter clothing that has some wears left, please drop it off in the elementary school office. We really appreciate it!

