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Class News

**DATE: April, 2017**

**Important Dates:**

April 3 – Marking Period Ends

April 3 – POPmania Rehearsal

April 4 – POPmania Rehearsal

April 5 – POPmania Rehearsal

April 6 – POPmania Rehearsal

April 7- POPmania Performance

April 8 – POPmania Performance

April 9 – POPmania Performance

April 7 – Spirit Day

April 11 – 5th Grade Class Trip

April 13 – Report Cards Go Home

April 14-21 – Spring Break

April 25 – Honor Roll Assembly

**5th Grade Math:**

Students completed their measurement and data unit. They learned to convert measurement units within both the standard and metric system. Students learned to find the volume of solid figures and applied this knowledge to measure the volumes using various units.

**4th Grade Math:**

Students completed their geometry unit. They learned about different types of angles and how to measure them. They discovered and compared the properties of two and three – dimensional shapes. They studied the relationships among quadrilaterals and explored translations, reflections, and rotations. Students are applying their knowledge of geometry to design their own mini golf courses. We started our measurement unit this week.

**ELA:**

We have begun to read the novel *Tuck Everlasting*. The students have done an amazing job developing their interpretive and reasoning skills in literature through the study of this book. They have taken on the challenging vocabulary from this book and have given great insight during our Socratic seminars. We are reading and discussing the book in class and students are answering journal prompt questions each week on Schoology.

Students are continuing to apply their knowledge of the writing process and elements of effective writing to write a creative three- paragraph essay on Schoology.