

Mrs. Bland's Newsletter

April 7-11



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Note from the teacher

Good afternoon families! Hope you all had an enjoyable weekend with family and friends. Congratulations to Norah for being our cooperation winner! YAY Norah! April is a very busy month. Here are a few things we have coming up...

April 7th starts our Penny Wars fund raised. See the attached flyer for more information.

April 15th is our first grade music program. First grade will sign at 7:00pm. Your child should be here 5-10 minutes before.

April 17th starts Camp Deerfield. This is a fun tradition first grade has to celebrate our last 26 days together. Each day we will have a fun activity. Some days we will need students to bring in items or families to donate items to the class. More information about activities and items that will be needed will be sent out soon.

April 28th is our field trip to Prairie fire museum. Please remember to turn in your child's permission slip and five dollars. If you are planning to chaperone, you will also need five dollars to attend. If you need another copy of the permission slip please let me know.

The class has also earned a stuffie day. Tuesday the 8th students will be allowed to bring a stuffie from home. It needs to be smaller than their backpack and not make noise.

Please reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns.

This week's Focus Lessons

Phonics-Unit 4: Review /er/ spelled ~~er~~ like in **fern**, /ar/ spelled ar like in **park**. and /or/ spelled like or in **fork**.

Story comprehension-Whole class read: River Otters, Cranes and spoonbills.. Story elements.

Language Arts- Adjectives and compound words

Writing-Opinion writing

Math-Unit 5: Adding double digit numbers

Science-Color

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Specials schedule

Monday-Music

Tuesday-PE

please wear or bring sneakers

Wednesday-PE

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Thursday-Art

Friday-Art

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4/7-4/11 Penny Wars week

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4/15 First grade music program

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4/17 Camp Deerfield beginnings

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4/18 No school: teacher work day

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4/28 Field trip to Prairie Fire



Important dates

Important links

[VIP sign-up](#)

[Class schedule](#)

[Breakfast Menu](#)

[Lunch Menu](#)

[Mrs. Bland's email](#)

[Mrs. Bland's Webex](#)

[Mrs. Bland's class wish list](#)

Important information

- Please have your child layer up for recess. The mornings can be cold and a winter coat might be what they need. However, the afternoons can be warm and they need a light jacket. Oh, the joys of Spring!



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DANCERS**

Upcoming PTO events:

JOIN THE FUN!

Help us prepare for Deerfield PTO's

SPRING CARNIVAL

CARNIVAL PLANNING MEETINGS
WILL BE ON TUESDAYS AT 7:15PM
IN THE MUSIC ROOM

WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU THERE!

FEBRUARY 25
MARCH 25
APRIL 8
APRIL 29

OUR CARNIVAL IS SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2025 3-6PM



Penny Wars is BACK April 7-11

+ pts



Bring Pennies to
earn points for
your class!



- pts



All of the other silver
coins, like quarters, dimes,
nickels, take away points.
So, you might want to put
these in other class jars.

Jars for coins will be at the front of the school with
teacher names and pictures

DEERFIELD DINES OUT DESSERTS EDITION

Treat your student and yourself to a sweet treat **after**
the Deerfield music programs:

Location: Deerfield School (outside the gym)

Tuesday, February 4th
Tuesday, March 4th
Tuesday, April 15



**15% OF ALL SALES WILL BE DONATED
BACK TO DEERFIELD PTO!**



Cupcakes
\$4.25