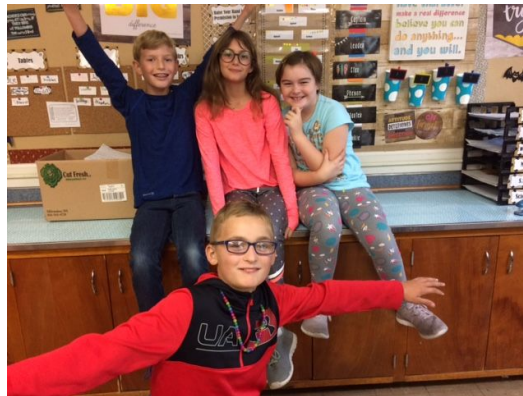


Weekly News

Week of 10/8-10/10

Mrs. Wooden's Thoughts

- Congratulations to the following students for moving up a level on our Super Improver Wall: Kaiden, Maggie, Ella, and Bryce!



- We will have our Environmental Day Field Trip to the Avanti's Dome in Pekin on Thursday, October 11th. We will leave at the beginning of the school day and return around 1:00-1:30. Students need to bring a sack lunch to school that day with a drink (no soda please). Students will be sitting on the turf which can be a bit messy, so please keep that in mind when they choose their outfit that day; wear tennis shoes as well.
- Parent Visiting Days are going to be on Wednesday from 1:15-2:00 (you will see a Social Studies Lesson) OR Friday from 1:15-2:00 (you will see an Art project). Please make sure to return the parent visiting letter that you received so I know who to expect. Thank you!

- We will be starting our Harry Potter unit towards the end of October. All four classes participate and exciting activities are being planned to bring reading to life. My daughter, Josie, has been reading the books and I am excited to read the first novel with the class.
- Don't forget to check out our class website. It's full of helpful info for you **AND PICTURES!** www.woodenbraves.weebly.com

Classroom Superstar

I am thrilled to announce our next Classroom Superstar, Mason! Mason tries his very best on his assignments. He follows our class and school rules. He volunteers to help me and others in the classroom. That's great Bolin Brave behavior! Way to go!

Reminders

- 10/5 – Teacher's Institute – No school
- 10/8 – Columbus Day – No School
- 10/11- Field Trip
- 10/16 – Fire Preparedness Stations
- 10/18 – Shake-out Drill
- 10/18 – Parent/Teacher Conferences – p.m.
- 10/19 – Parent/Teacher Conferences – a.m.
- 10/19 – End of 1st Grading Period
- 10/27 – Trunk-or-Treat @ Armstrong ~ 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- 10/31 – Halloween Parties ~ 2:00 p.m. – 3:25 p.m. (Dress in costumes at 2:00 p.m.; Parade at 2:15 p.m.; Classroom Parties at 2:30 p.m.)

Upcoming Tests

- Monday- "Words Their Way" Tests

Classroom Feature

Second Step

We will begin our Second Step Lessons this week. Second Step is a program rooted in social-emotional learning (SEL) that helps transform schools into supportive, successful learning environments uniquely equipped to encourage children to thrive. Each week will focus on a skill during our afternoon meeting sessions. This week we will focus on Empathy...what is it and how can we express empathy towards others.

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