



# Cockrum's Classroom Connection

## Upcoming Events

**March 2-8: National School Breakfast Week**

**Mon. March 3<sup>rd</sup>: Yearbook orders are due!!!**

**Tues. March 4<sup>th</sup>: Tornado Drill 1:30**

**Good News Club 2:45**

**Thurs. March 6<sup>th</sup>: PTO Meeting 5:00**

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade Plus+ Parent Night 6:00**

**School Principal's Day**

**Fri. March 7<sup>th</sup>: Get Fired Up Party 1:50 (for those who donated \$10 for a t-shirt)**



Nick Matthews (March 1<sup>st</sup>)

## Specials

Monday (D)	Music/Counselor
Tuesday (E)	Art
Wednesday (A)	Music/P.E.
Thursday (B)	Library/Computer
Friday (C)	Computer/P.E.

Project Grad is sponsoring a Faculty Basketball Game on Friday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00. The event will be held at the Odessa High School. Tickets and t-shirts are available for sale.



## Weekly Curriculum

**Communication Arts:** The students will be wondering and asking questions about different types of biographies. We will be answering MAP-like questions to help us prepare for the upcoming assessment. In writing we are learning the 5 parts of a letter.

Start working on the March reading goal. This month's project, students may choose between a diorama or a cereal box.

**Spelling:** We will be working on homophones. The words are **way, weigh, great, grate, sail, sale, sell, cell, cent, scent, sent, owe, oh, its, and it's**. This week's words will be tricky since we are working on homophones again. Please help your child learn the meaning of each word. Test will be Friday! Congratulations on this week's 100's!!!

**Math:** We are learning about symmetry, congruent/similar, 3 dimensional shapes, and measurement. We are also reviewing previous skills to help the students prepare for the MAP.



### Spotlight on Students

Congratulations to Megan Martin for receiving her Academic Bulldog pin. This is awarded to students who receive 30 100% on tests. Way to go!!!

### Parent-Teacher Conferences

Conferences are coming up quickly!! The date for this event is Thursday, March 13. A sign-up sheet is attached to this memo. Please fill out the form and return to me ASAP. If you have questions, please let me know.



Thank you for the donations of non-perishable food items. Our class donated 123 items!!



### Bead Winners

**Red Bead (Hard Worker):**

Angel Hamblen

**Gold Bead (Kind):**

Chase Williams

**Cool Kid:** Mycha Cenac

## Cockrum's Class Parties

### Parent Helpers and Phone #'s:

Holly Mefferd: 816-263-1143

Kelly Watson: 816-678-1278

Cynthia Logan: 816-204-7151

Cindy Blacketter:

Melissa Unruh: 816-625-6929



Valentine's (February 14<sup>th</sup> @ 1:45)



Snack: Cindy Blacketer

Drink: Melissa Unruh

Cups, napkins, plates: Kelly Watson

Craft/Project/Games: \_\_\_\_\_

Take home treat bags: Cynthia Logan



Spotlight on Students

Bead Winners

Red (Hard Worker)-Corban Coffel

Black (High Academics)-Avery Slusher

Gold (Treat Others Kindly)-Kali Plunket

Cool Kid-Chase Williams