

# the SPARK

Apr 3, 2014

***From the teachers...***

This week grades 3-7 were able to start working on their poetry collections. We had a really rewarding time last year when we did poetry month and I was amazed then with the poetry that came out of the students. I can't wait to see what they will dazzle us with this time! Their poetry collections are due May 5<sup>th</sup>!

I have just opened my last box of tissues. If you have any more at home that you would be willing to donate, I'd gladly take them off your hands.

On Monday we were able to go the Fire Hall. Students learned all about the pump truck and the search and rescue truck. They even were allowed to hold the Jaws of Life! Next Monday we plan to go to the Nepean Corona School of Gymnastics. Please make sure that your kids have some PE clothes available that day.

Spring is on its way!

Mrs. Smith

Et voilà le printemps qui se présente finalement! :-)) Une bonne semaine où nous avons terminé Les Contes en 3. Tous les élèves ont bien réussi leur quiz sur 'Les Trois Boucs'. Nous avons commencé notre nouveau thème pour le mois d'avril. Nous parlons des 5 sens/Le printemps. Comment est-ce qu'on utilise nos 5 sens au printemps et dans la nature? Lots of vocabulary and sentences, verbs etc this month.

We have less than 3 months of school left. Wow!

Short and 'sweet' this week.  
Have a great weekend 'tout le monde'.

Mme Ludwig

**Looking Ahead:**

**Star of the Week:** Derek

**Bible History:**

- Jesus' Death and Burial (Matt 27:45-66; Mark 15:33-47; Luke 23:44-56; John 19:29-42)

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**Social Studies:**

Christianity Comes to Britain

- Medieval Monasteries

- Writing Books by Hand

**Quizzes and Assignments:**

- Monday: Class Trip

March is over, and voucher sales have been excellent. Last month you purchased \$5,595.00 in vouchers which is a \$276.00 profit for ACS.

That's more than a general membership! Thank you so much for continuing to support ACS. I'm looking forward to setting you up with your April vouchers. Let me know what I can get together for you.

On behalf of the fundraising committee for ACS,  
Evelyn Nieuwenhuis

**Spelling/Sight Words:**

**Grade 1:** *Sight words:* first, try, new, must, start *Spelling words:* bun, fun, sun, blue, glue, true, grow, snow, throw, what room, zoom, bloom, sag, brag, drag, sagging, bragging, dragging, two

**Grade 2:** fiddle, middle, griddle, battle, rattle, cattle, nibble, dribble, scribble, puddle, huddle, cuddle, giggle, jiggle, wiggle, juggle, snuggle, struggle, word, work, world

**Grade 3:** sloppy, sloppier, sloppiest, lazy, lazier, laziest, bumpy, bumpier, bumpiest, muddy, muddier, muddiest, shiny, shinier, shiniest, dusty, dustier, dustiest, foggy, foggier, foggiest, silky, silkier, silkiest, caught, taught, eight

**Grade 4:** zero, ten, twenty, thirty, forty, fifty, sixty, seventy, eighty, ninety, hundred, thousand, million, eight, one, once, two, Revelation

**Grade 5:** capital, capitol, presents, presence, stationary, stationery, mussel, muscle, muscular, cymbal, symbol, symbolic, forth, sealing, fourth, ceiling, rein, reign

**Grade 6:** despair, desperate, desperation, abound, abundant, abundance, repeat, repetition, reveal, revelation, explain, explanation, mischief, mischievous, Somalia, South Africa, Solomon Islands, Spain

**Grade 7:** confetti, reign, raspberry, audible, immobilize, treasure, sheer, graffiti, defendant, logical, abduction, field, supervise, consideration, distinguished, dejected, microscope, suspended, reality, foreigner, bifocals, precede