Room 5 News

MCCORNACK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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World Heroes Project

Fifth graders have been working very hard on their World Hero Reports & speech cards. They have also created a Google Slideshow to represent their world hero. We are excited to begin sharing the presentations this week.

Our goal this week is to complete all reports and speech cards and begin the oral presentations. Our class will be making our presentation schedule this week. Our goal is to hear 5-6 speeches per day. Students will have an opportunity to practice their presentation with a partner at school, however, they will also need to practice at home. I will be sharing important speaking tips with students, and they will have a scoring guide to refer to as they practice.

"Honk" Update

Miss Olsen will be handing out a new rehearsal schedule beginning this week. Students are reminded to keep a copy at home or in their binders for parents to refer to. I will also post a copy of the schedule in our classroom for students to check each day.

Special Artist Session

Last week our class put the finishing touches on the tile projects that were completed with our Artist in Residence, Alex Landrum. The children are excited to see their projects after they have been fired in the kiln and returned to us in a few weeks. Many thanks to the Eugene Downtown Rotary for funding this wonderful opportunity for our McCornack students.

OBOB Finals on Friday

Congratulations to all OBOB participants this year. What a fun way to promote the love of reading and teamwork. This Friday, February 24th will be the final round for McCornack teams. Oregon Readers will be representing 5th grade. Good luck!

Mark Your Calender

February 20th- President's Day, No school

February 22nd- Human Dignity Assembly, 9:00 a.m., Gym

February 23rd- March 3rd- World Heroes Presentations

February 24th- OBOB Finals, 9:30 a.m., McCornack Library