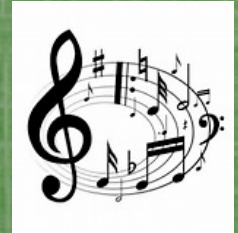
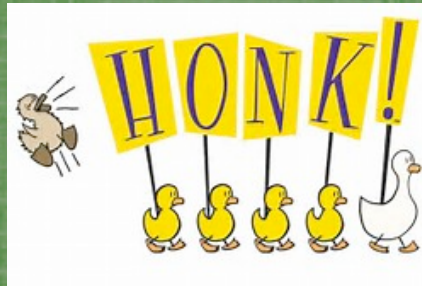


Room 5 News

MCCORNACK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MAY 1, 2017

BECKY CASADO



5th Musical Performances
May 18th, 19th, & 20th

The Carnival is Coming!

This year's carnival will take place on June 15th. Each grade level will be collecting items for a class basket to be auctioned off at the carnival. The 5th grade classrooms will be collecting items for our **"Fun in the Sun/Pool Day"** basket. A flyer with ideas for the basket is attached. We have already had a few donations to start building our basket. Thank you for helping our classes create a fun and splashy basket this year.

May Book Project Genre

Students have a nonfiction book for the upcoming May Book Project. They should be reading about a topic of interest. They will be writing a short report and creating an informational bookmark. Most students have already selected a book during library check. Books will need to be selected by the end of this week to allow time to read the book by mid May. Instructions for the project were sent home last week

Smarter Balanced Assessments Update

This week, Fifth graders will be completing the English Language Arts Performance Task. This assessment requires students to read a series of articles, take notes, and write a final paper based upon what they have read. Math assessments are scheduled for the end of May. I will update parents as we get closer to the math testing dates. We are working hard to keep the testing environment calm and free of distractions. Making sure your child is well rested and has eaten a healthy breakfast each morning will help support them as well.

Mark Your Calendar

May 12th -PTO Popcorn Friday

May 18th, 19th & 20th -Fifth Grade Musical Performance of "Honk", 7:00 p.m., McCornack's Gym, Admission is free.

May 25th & 26th - 5th Grade Outdoor School

Honk Rehearsals:

Monday, May 8 - 2:15 - 4:00 - A Poultry Tale, Joy of Motherhood, Ida's Different, Hold Your Head Up High and Look at Him, Ugly's Different - Run scenes and songs

Tuesday, May 9 - 2:15 - 4:00 - Play With Your Food Scene and Song - Cat, Ugly

Wednesday, May 10 - 2:15 - 4:00 - The Elegy, Every Tear A Mother Cries, Wild Goose Chase, It Takes All Sorts, Scenes and Songs - Entire Cast

Thursday, May 11 - 2:15 - 4:00 - Run Act One - Dress Rehearsal - All Cast Members

Friday, May 12 - 1:15 - 3:30 - Run Act Two - Dress Rehearsal - All Cast Members