

The Falcon Pride

Written By: 4th Grade Junior Writers

Celebrating Reading Week

The first week of March, elementary students were able to celebrate reading week. This includes fun worksheets, wearing different colors for each day, and Minute to Win it games on Friday. The worksheets were all about Dr. Seuss. There were crosswords, scrambles, and different words you can make out of the word Dr. Seuss. As for the Minute to Win it, there were various different challenges to accomplish, all hosted by Mrs. Bratanich and Mrs. Ellwanger. Minute to Win it is a series of challenges, but the catch is you only have a minute to complete your assigned challenge, then you rotate to the next challenge. Reading is awesome! By: Christian



As part of Reading Week, students were able to meet Jeanne Styczinski author of several children's books. Students were able to ask questions and learn about the writing process.



Crazy 8 Math Club

Have you heard about the new after school Math Club? Crazy 8's is no ordinary math club, it's a CRAZY math club! Math can be boring for most kids, but at Crazy 8's, kids will not be bored! Crazy 8's is a fun place for kids! If your child needs help in math, just sign up for CRAZY 8's! CRAZY 8's meets on Tuesday afterschool. By: Ellie

Elementary Boys Basketball

The last boys basketball tournament was crazy. It was at the Cornell High School. Flambeau first went against Cornell. We lost by two points. The score was 20 to 18. We beat winter 10 to 9. The second game was against New Auburn, we lost. Our third game was against Lake Holcombe, they had some really big people. Flambeau's last game was hard. The other times our team had played Winter, we lost. But this game we **won!** Players for Flambeau are Dominic, Chanse, Joey, Ethan, Oliver, Hunter, Josh, Tyler, Kyle, Kevin, Noah, Cole, Eli and Dane. Our coaches are Brett Ludesher and Dan Kopacz.
By: Oliver

Fourth Grade STEM Activity

ZOOM...the Flambeau fourth grade was busy making and flying rockets, we used a block of foam and sandpaper to make rockets! We could also use knives, and many more items. We could also paint it if we wanted and put wings on it. We put it on a zipline to test it. We already tested our rockets and the winners were: 1 place was Oliver.T, 2 place was Madison.B, and 3 place was Harper.D.
By: Audrey



Banana Milk Shake

If you have extra bananas on your hand try this delicious breakfast shake.

Ingredients:

1 banana peeled

$\frac{3}{4}$ cup cold milk

4 to 6 ice cubes

Put banana, milk, and ice cubes in a blender. Cover with the lid, turn on the blender to high speed, and blend until smooth and frothy. Pour into tall glass. Serve right away.

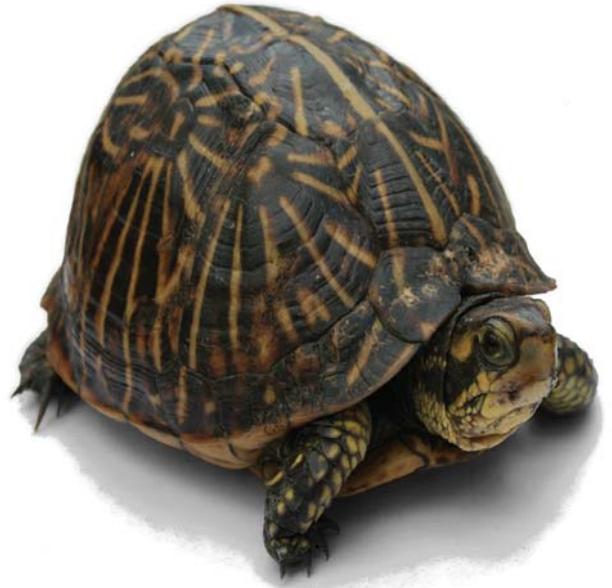
By Reya Frafjord



Turtles

Turtles live all over the world, but not where it is very cold. Many turtles live on land close to water. Turtles do not have teeth. Their jaws are very sharp. Turtles use their jaws and claws to rip pray apart then they swallow the pieces whole. Most turtles eat plants and small animals. Sea turtles swim fast to catch shrimp and fish. Snapping turtles hide and wait for a worm or frog to go by. Then they chomp with their HUGE jaws. Some sea turtles live eighty years. Giant tortoises can live more than one hundred years. If you would like to learn more about Turtles, stop at the library and checkout a book.

By: Madison



First Annual Library Potato Character Contest

As part of the Reading Week activities, the library held its First Potato Character Contest. Students could dress up a potato as one of their favorite book characters. Madison Plath won 1st place with her “Little Critter” character. Gracie Torres won 2nd place with her “Paddington” character. Winners received books and a prize. Mrs. Zimmer’s 2nd grade class won first place with their spider character. The class received a \$10 voucher to use at the Spring Book Fair. Thanks to all who participated.



Valentine's Day

In fourth grade we celebrated Valentine's day. We traded candy to other people. We watched movies and ate candy. In the morning we went to Jump Rope for Heart. We jumped rope until, it was almost lunch time. We did not have any homework or assignments to do. Some kids traded candy or chocolate to their teacher. Some got to watch movies in the afternoon and ate some candy or saved it for home. We had a fun day at school.

Jump Rope for Heart

This year is the 27th year for Jump Rope For Heart. We made around \$3000 dollars this year. The highest amount of money made was \$445 by Jacob Hecker.

Every year we have competitions called Ball Jump, Criss-Cross, Speed Jump, Forwards, and Backwards. The person who won the most medals is in 5th grade.

For parents at home, Jump Rope For Heart is when everyone in the Elementary gather in the big gym to jump for people who that they know who had problems with their heart.

By: Maggie & Madisen



Student Interview

Meet Taylor Vojtasek

1. **What's your favorite school subject?** P.E.
2. **What's your favorite author?** Dr. Seuss
3. **What's your favorite activity to do outdoors?** Winter fort
4. **What's your favorite school website?** Cool Math
5. **What's your favorite animal?** Wolf
6. **What's your favorite thing about school?** Specials
7. **What's your favorite movie?** Forever My girl
8. **What's your best talent?** Front flip
9. **What's your favorite electronic?** Xbox 360.
10. **What's your favorite thing about being a Falcon?** A good team

By: Braden

Dog Care

If you get a dog you need to take care of him or her. Here are some tips, First you need a leash, collar, identification tag, food and water dishes, kennel, and of course dog food.

Second you need to take care of him or her. So you will need to let him or her outside often during the day. You will need to feed him or her in the morning and at night.

Most dogs live from eight to twelve years. So you will have to take care of him or her for eight to twelve years.

By: Peyton



Middle School Championship game

At the championship game for the girls OLS tournament Ladysmith Lumber Jacks were winning and the students from Ladysmith wanted to keep winning. So every time when Flambeau dribble the students will say DRIBBLE, DRIBBLE, DRIBBLE! Then when they passed the ball they would say PASS! Then every time they shot then they would say SHOT! Would you get mad, because I was? Flambeau still won 20-24.

All of the players received roses and their championship trophy.

The team who received the sportsmanship trophy was OLS. Ladysmith Lumber Jills got 2nd place and in first place for the Bruce team. The Flambeau boys team got second place.

By: Reese

Teacher Interview

I think he is a very fascinating person. One of the questions I asked was had he ever had any jobs before teaching at Flambeau. He had many jobs before teaching at Flambeau. A few examples are a pizza delivery man, a rescue worker and many more. I also wanted to know if he liked teaching. He replied with a, "Yes he loves it." Even though he did not go to Flambeau school he still is apart of the Falcon family. Mr. Roehl loves this job he has been working here for 18 years.

By: Harper

JOKES

"Knock Knock"
 "Who's there?"
 "Interrupting Cow"
 "Interrupting cow wh- moo!"

Question: Can a Kangaroo jump higher than a house?
 Answer: Of course a house cant jump at all.

By: Tatum