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Spring Newsletter

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## GOOD SUMMER READING

To add to your summer adventure, pick up a good book. Try And the Dish Ran Away With the Spoon by Janet Stevens, Fredrick by Leo Lionni, Fly Guy Presents: Castles by Ted Arnold. If you like adventure you should try The Boy Who Invented TV by Kathleen Krull, Bunnicula by Deborah Howe, Honus and Me by Dan Gutman, Waiting for the Magic by Patricia MacLachlan. For the curious mind try reading Journey that saved Curious George by Louise Borden. Half Magic by Edward Egar has quite a twist in the plot that you may enjoy. For the classic book lover you may want to read Swiss Family Robinson by Johann Wyss. A good high fantasy is Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan. A beautiful story of Alaska culture is Aleutian Sparrow by Karen Hesse, or Two Old Women by Velma Wallis. Whatever you do during your summer, let reading be part of that adventure.

## CHECK OUT YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY

*Most of our sites have libraries that are open for your reading pleasure during the summer months. Evenings are good times to visit the library but rainy afternoons might be the perfect destination to find a good book and a cozy corner.*

## REMEMBER, SAFETY FIRST!

Your summer can be fun and relaxing but you need to remember safety to keep it fun. Always wear a life jacket while boating. Alaska waters are cold and your body will react with shock and loss of breathing will occur. Campfires are great for roasting marshmallows but remember they are hot and the rocks around them are hot. Burns happen quickly. Keep a safe distance from the open flame and enjoy a S'more for me!

### We Need Your Help...

*Our district funding depends on our families completing all paperwork. As we are looking forward to fall you can enroll for the new school year please help us increase our funding by completing all pages completely. Also, include a map that gives us an idea of your fishing camps required by migrant Education.*

## Try Some Summer Cooking.....

### Foolproof Fudge

3 cups of chocolate chips, 1 can of Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, a dash of salt, 1 cup walnuts, chopped and 1 ½ teaspoons of vanilla. Melt the chips over low heat with the milk and salt. Remove from heat. Stir in nuts and vanilla. Spread into 9 inch pan. Chill 2 hours.



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