



WILDCAT WEEKLY

October 18, 2019



MATH NIGHT

DATES TO REMEMBER

October 22-Math Night 5:30-6:30PM
October 23-Picture Day!
October 25-Trunk or Treat 5-7PM
November 11-No School

We are so excited about our upcoming Math Night event on October 22, 2019 from 5:30-6:30PM. We have lots of fun games planned, popcorn and many giveaway prizes!! We are hoping to see all of our students there. Any students that attend will be exempt from homework that night!

PRINCIPAL'S CAFE

Twelve students were selected to eat at the Principal's Cafe today. The students selected had received a Paw Pride sticker for exhibiting safe, responsible and/or respectful behavior at school. When students receive a Paw Pride sticker his/her name gets entered into a drawing. The twelve students selected today were able to eat lunch with the principal at a special table in the office. If you see your child come home with a Paw Pride sticker, we encourage you to ask what they did to earn it!

Other Information:

Trunk or Treat is being held Friday, October 25 from 5-7PM. Anyone willing to donate candy for the event can drop it off at the front desk. Thank you!

Morning Drop Off

When dropping off your child(ren) in the morning we are asking that parents pull up around the curb as far as possible. This allows for other cars to pull up behind. Staff members are outside to assist with the drop off process. Please release your child(ren) from your vehicle on the curb/sidewalk side.



CLASSROOM BUZZ

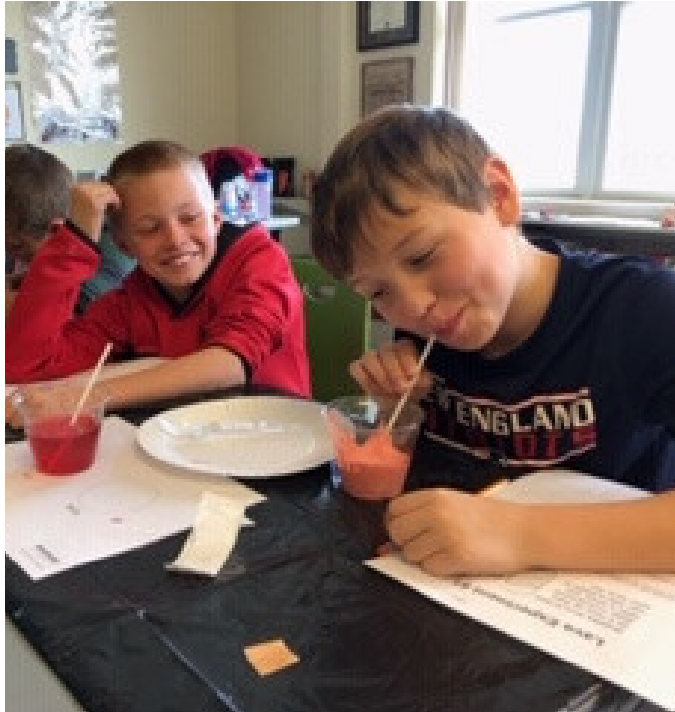
A SNEAK PEAK INSIDE OUR CLASSROOMS

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GRADE 4 SCIENCE

Students in Miss Houp's grade 4 class learned about the characteristics of cone and shield volcanoes. As part of their exploration, students had two cups of "lava" of differing thicknesses. Students explored how the type of lava within each volcano is related to the shape of the volcano and intensity of eruptions. They did this by blowing bubbles to imitate the pressure inside a volcano and dropping the lava onto a plate to observe the shape it would create (cone or shield).



EARLY LOVE OF LITERACY

In order to continue to build students' at-home libraries and the love of reading, the Early Love of Literacy program was born.

Angie McLaughlin, a kindergarten teacher at Asa C Adams Elementary School in Orono, ME, asked Sebasticook Valley Elementary to join her in this effort to provide one free book a month across the school year to our kindergarten students. The program is being sponsored by the Masons at Meridian Splendor in Newport, ME. They are generously purchasing several copies of a book through Scholastic, Inc. each month and delivering them to the kindergarten classes at Sebasticook Valley Elementary School and Asa C Adams Elementary. The Early Love of Literacy "kick off" event was Tuesday, October 15th at 8:30 am. The kindergarten students and teachers gathered in the cafeteria to receive their first free book and to be informed that they will be receiving a new book each month for the entire school year! We are grateful for this opportunity to increase our students' access to high quality books in their homes, and to live in a community that has such a strong commitment to our students' education.

