

Dear Parent Suns,

We had some amazing entries for our Reflections Contest. Congratulations to our winners:

- Teachers Choice
 - Keagan Hendricks
 - Autumn Stewart
- Best Theme Connection
 - Angela Montano
 - Kennedy Holladay
- Thinking Creatively Award
 - Afton Roth
 - Azalea Fuchs
- Best in Category
 - Jansen Andelin
- Music
 - Zoey Sato
- Drama
 - Blaise Robinson
 - Nikoda Courtney
- Budding Artist Award
 - Lena Roth
 - Miles Hortin

Calendar:

- Month of March: Dr. Suess Reading Challenge (see below for details)
- March 12 - Forest Crew with Mrs. Guzetti's class
- March 17 - End of Quarter
- March 18 & 19 - **SLCs out at 1:30**
- March 19 - Board Meeting 7 p.m.
- March 23 - Spring Pictures
- April 5 - 9 - Spring Break!

Announcements:

- **Dr. Suess March Reading Challenge:** During the month of March READ your favorite books! Complete 20 of the activities on the sheet (only one per day - see the attached flyer) for at least 20 minutes per activity then have your parent date and initial each completed square. Bring in your sheet AFTER MARCH 31st with PARENT SIGNATURE for a Free Pizza Pie Cafe Buffet and a Dr. Seuss Prize! We will also be sending home hard copies on Monday. **READING IS SO MUCH FUN!!!**
- Our **spring pictures** will be taken on March 23rd. You are welcome to bring siblings in as well.
- The **virtual book fair** will be March 15-28. Parents can go to our book fair website <https://www.scholastic.com/bf/greenwoodcharterschool1> and start an ewallet for their students. This is a great way for students to select their own books and friends and families can contribute too. Students can earn prizes during the book fair for logging on at home with their family. The flyer must be signed by a parent and turned in by March 26th. Prizes will be handed out daily.
- **SLC's** are coming up! Please set aside time on either March 18th or 19th to spend some time with your child. They work hard to prepare, so please make sure you attend.

- Please try to send your student with a **mask** each day. We are running low on our donations. :) Also, washing them is so important to keep us germ free. Please try to wash them as often as possible. Thanks!
- We need your help to **collect sticks**! If you could start collecting sticks with your students while you are out enjoying the warm weather we would really appreciate it. The sticks need to be about an inch in diameter, around a foot long and no bark. Students will be using these for an Earth Week Art Project with Mrs. Stewart in April. (We need around 100 sticks).
- The Ogden Nature Center is having an **art contest** for all K-6 students. The theme this year is "The Earth Needs Trees". I will attach the flyer to this email. Entries are due by April 10th at the Ogden Nature Center.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- **Thank you to Mr. Hortin for helping us in the morning!** Please remember to be kind and respectful. It really helps traffic flow if everyone moves all the way forward before dropping off. Thank you!
- **Thank you to Jennifer Quick and Ms. Charleen** for organizing our virtual Book Fair! Make sure you take a second to check it out!
- **We could still use a few more parents that would like to volunteer to read with kids**, please let Charleen in the office know.
- We have Earth week coming up in April that we need help with. We also have Better World Day (service day) on May 7th. If you are interested in volunteering for either of these, just let Charleen in the office know!
- Just a reminder that if you are volunteering at the school you need a mask and we will be taking your temperature. You will also be asked to follow all COVID procedures.

Let's have another fabulous week and..... GROW DEEP, STAND TALL!

Mrs. Nelsen