Monaco Elementary School School Board Communication April 2014



Besides the **Texas Bluebonnets** looking beautiful, April started with **STAAR** testing for 4th and 5th grades. We are very proud that Fifth grade scores were excellent. We are looking forward to receiving more scores the end of May!

The 1st Graders went to **Casa Manana** on the 4th to see, "How I Became a Pirate". The students enjoyed lots of music and dancing and then traveled back to Denton. They ate sack lunches at **Eureka Park** and even had a little time to play.

Don Painter came on the 8th for **Spring Pictures** and group pictures. We also recognized our parent **Volunteers** with a luncheon commemorating National Volunteer Week. Everyone was delighted with the good food and the appreciation. Thanks to our **Hospitality Team!**

Our PTO hosted a **Family Night** at Chuck E. Cheese on Friday the 11th. The restaurant donated back to the PTO a portion of the proceeds.

We are proud to announce that MES had four 5th grade students who entered their **Science Fair Projects** in the **TWU Science Fair**. The students competed on Saturday the 12th. Kelsey Ranton received high honors of 2nd place!

Fish Camp will be wrapping up on the 16th. All of the students have been studying diligently. Third through fifth grades will be taking various **STAAR** tests the following week. We know that they will do their very best!

The 2nd graders will be taking a **Field Trip** to **Sci-Tech Discovery Center** in Frisco on the 17th. They are looking forward to some hands-on science exhibits and experiments.

On the night of the 24th, the **Kindergarteners** will be performing their musical, "All About Learning". The program begins at 7:00 pm. The students always do a great job!

Aesop's Fables Puppet Show will be coming to perform for the Kinder to 2nd graders. This group is with the Bureau of Lectures & Concert Artists, Inc. They will be working with the Red Herring Puppets. That should be exciting!

There will also be a showing of "**Frozen**" on the evening of the 25th. This event is sponsored by the **Stu-Co**, student council, and is one of their fund raisers. Admission is free, but available there will be: make-your-own sundaes, popcorn, and beverages for purchase. Start time is 6:30 pm in the MES cafeteria.

We at Monaco Elementary wish you a Happy Easter!!

