## **WILLIAMS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

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School Hours: 7:40am-1:55pm www.threerivers.k12.or.us





Mrs. Renee Hults
Principal



Mindi Gallegos Office Manager

# February 2014

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		ARTIST Sylvia Branzei-	IN Valasquez	RESIDENCE		

Scholastic Book Fair Family Reading Night

Spring Break

March 3 to 7

March 6

March 24 to 28

School spirit
days/wear red
and black

#### Hello Families-

I hope you have welcomed in 2014 and are ready to embrace all the opportunities it brings. We are quickly approaching the mid-year point in the school year. I am amazed how quickly the school year is passing. This is a time of great learning and academic growth; it is exciting to see a child learn. The look on their face as they learn to read and fall in love with books is priceless. The pride in their eyes as they solve a math problem or complete a science experiment is an amazing thing. We are truly blessed to be part of this learning.

As with all other areas of your child's education, we will continue to ask you for your support in making this year a success. Your child needs your help and support to reach their goals. Each child has individual learning goals; communicate with your child and their teacher to see how you can be an active part in helping them achieve their goals.

Attendance plays a significant role in academic success. Please make every effort to have your child at school every day. It is also important for students to arrive to school on time. Ms. Sarah has breakfast ready every morning at 7:15 and our learning bell rings at 7:40am. Being on time and ready to work builds success today and in life.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if there is any way we can further help build success for your child. I am excited to watch your child grow over the next 5 months of school. I look forward to seeing you all at our Family Reading Night.

Renee Hults/Principal Williams Elementary School

#### Immunizations:

You may have received a letter recently from the office notifying you to update your student's immunizations. If you have had your student's shots updated recently please bring the records to Mindi in the office in order to have their school files up to date.

#### School Fundraising Opportunities

Labels for Education: collect and bring labels to school. See info and participating products at www.labelsforeducation.com

Box Tops for Education: collect and bring box tops to school. See info and participating products at www.boxtops4education.com

eScrip: Shop online and at participating local merchants (like Safeway) to earn money for school. Go to www.escrip.com and use ID
#8568026 for more information and to



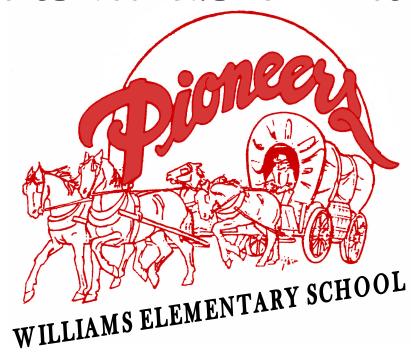
#### Scholastic Book Fair, March 3-7, 2014 Dr. Seuss Family Reading Night

Thursday, March 6, 2014 5:30pm - 7:00pm

Reading and Fun Activities for the whole family:
More To Be Announced in next months newsletter

"Book Fair" books are available to purchase during the Book Fair Week and on the evening of March 6th.

# SUPPORT WILLIAMS ELEMENTARY ORDER YOUR SWEATSHIRT TODAY!!



\$22.00 each

Charcoal grey with Williams logo
Youth - Adult sizes

\*\*A limited amount of T-Shirts are also available for 10.00 each\*\*

# SWEATSHIRT ORDER FORM

Please return order form to school office:	#Adult S-M-L-XL-2XL
	#Adult S-M-L-XL-2XL
\$22.00 each add 2.00 for 2XL or larger	#Youth XS-S-M-L-XL
(please enclose \$ with your order)	#Youth XS-S-M-L-XL
Parent Name	(circle size)
Student Name	<del> </del>



## Facts of the Day for February

Dear Williams Community,

The Facts of the Day are a routine part of our school days. They can be seen in every classroom and in the gym. Students are increasingly becoming more fluent in basic facts. Place this calendar in a prominent place. Students are excited to see who can correctly get the facts first. Please remember that the addition facts are especially good for all grades, while the multiplication facts are intended for grades 3-5. We appreciate all of your support!

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Date	Addition/Subtraction	<u>Multiplication</u>
Feb. 1	7+7	9x4
Feb. 4	9-7	4×8
Feb. 5	5+9	8×6
Feb. 6	9-6	6×9
Feb. 11	7+1	0x 5
Feb. 12	8+5	4×4
Feb. 13	9-7	3x7
Feb. 14	8-5	4x2
Feb. 15	7-6	7×9
Feb. 19	9+8	1 x9
Feb. 20	4+8	6x6
Feb. 21	5+7	8×7
Feb. 22	9+5	3x6
Feb. 25	8+6	5×4
Feb. 26	9+7	3x9
Feb. 27	4-1	8x0
Feb. 28	9-4	8×8

### Artist in Residence

In February and March, Williams Elementary will welcome two local Artist in Residence. Sherry Peterson local artist and substitute teacher will be here to teach our students about watercolors and stencils. We would also like to welcome Sylvia Branzei-Valasquez, author and inventor of the *Grossology* book and TV series. Sylvia is also known to our students as one of the "Wacky Dogs". While at Williams, Sylvia will give a Grossology performance and perform her latest "Rebel in a Dress". You can meet Sylvia at our Family Reading Night. Read more about both Sherry and Sylvia at sherrypetersonart.com and www.branzei.com