

AMS Board Communications

January 2015

6th Grade

ELAR classes are ready to start their novel "Number the Stars" by Lois Lowry. This is a historical fiction which takes place during World War II. The emphasis is directed to a friendship between a Danish girl and her Jewish friend. It is about the love of humanity regardless of religion or diverse cultures. They are also beginning their writing process focusing on "color it up" techniques and focusing on narratives and expository writing using the dictionary and thesaurus.

UIL

AMS students will compete in the UIL Middle School District Meet January 15th & 16th at NCTC in Gainesville.

Library

Award winning author Jordan Sonnenblick visited Aubrey Middle School on January 14th. All students attended a session with Mr. Sonnenblick in the morning. Several students completed projects to win lunch with the author and library staff. In the afternoon, book club members and other students with books written by the author attended a meet and greet where they had their books autographed.

AG

For the 7th graders it's all new this semester. Mrs. Gilbreath is starting all over and the first subject is money. The students will be learning the ins and outs of financial obligation and growing up.

8th graders will be starting the semester learning about animal terminology and then move into the swine industry.

FFA

FFA is gearing up for a very busy spring for the next three months. The Ft Worth Stock Show is the first stop on the list. We have several breeding goats, 46 breeding pigs (about 25 more than last year), 31 market goats, 3 sheep (average #), 3 heifers, and an amazing horse judging team entered in the show this year. Mrs. Gilbreath has few extra passes for any administrator or school board member who would like to join in on the fun.

We wanted to thank all those involved for the updates at the barn. It has been a true blessing to our program. Thank You!

8th Grade

Mrs. Greenwood's Art classes are making/designing coil pots out of clay. They will be displayed at the 3rd Annual Art Exhibit at the Aubrey Area Library in March.

