

Homedale Elementary School Memo



To: Homedale Board of Trustees, Superintendent Rob Sauer
From: Terri Vasquez, Principal
Date: March 9, 2020
Re: Report to Board of Trustees

ENROLLMENT (460)

AM Kindergarten: 42 (+2 SPDC)
ELL Kindergarten (AM): 15
PM Kindergarten: 44
Pre-First: 12

1st Grade: 91 (+ 4 Spec Day)
2nd Grade: 86
3rd Grade: 86 (+2 Spec Day)
4th Grade: 87 (+4 Spec Day)
Special Day (COSSA): 13

FAMILY LITERACY NIGHT: Families were invited for a fun literacy night on Thursday, February 20th. Students were greeted at the entrance with three estimation jars, then they went to Trojan Café for a variety of games and activities, to the gym for a math obstacle course, and to the library for a game of Bingo. It was a great night!



LITERACY WEEK: Our students celebrated Literacy Week and Dr. Seuss's birthday with a week of fun activities. Students dressed up in crazy hats and socks, as their "chosen" careers, and like 100-Year-olds for the 100th day of school. The PTO served birthday treats on Monday, March 2nd to celebrate the birthday of Dr. Seuss, and they will be giving each child a free book on Thursday, March 5th.

BIKES FOR BOOKS: Again, the Silver City Masons have donated 8 bikes to be raffled to students who read for our 21-day per month reading challenge in March, April, and May. We began on March 2nd and will end on May 26th. The Bikes for Books assembly will be held on May 27th.



LIBRARY BUCKET BRIGADE: Mrs. Eubanks' students helped at the public library on February 12th. The students lined up and they passed books from the old library into the new library. Mrs. Silva's students also went down to help! Mrs. Silva's class has finished a unit of serving your community. One of her students said "We're making a difference!" What a great opportunity and life lesson for our elementary students.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

March 16-19– Book Fair

March 18 & 19 – Conferences

April 1 – Spring Walking Club begins

April 7 – Family STEAM Night

April 9 – Kindergarten Registration