

# Faulconer Chapman School Board Report May 2014

## How are we doing?

**Enrollment:** 626  
Kindergarten: 79  
First Grade: 72  
Second Grade: 69  
Third Grade: 64  
Fourth Grade: 70  
Fifth Grade: 65  
Sixth Grade: 77  
Seventh Grade: 62  
Eighth Grade : 68

## Student Highlights:

Parent Teacher Conferences were held the week on April 30-May 1<sup>st</sup>. This was a great success. It is always nice to share kids successes with the parents...as well as give them some areas to work on.

SHS FFA came to FCS and did their annual petting zoo on Tuesday April 29<sup>th</sup>. It is always so much fun to see the looks on the students eyes as they are excited to see these animals. For some students this is the first opportunity to see and actually touch some of these animals. It is a great experience.

Kindergarten Round Up was held on Friday May 9<sup>th</sup>. We hold 2 sessions. We had just under 40 new kindergarteners come and take place in these activities. It is always an amazing situation, to see how these little tiny 4-5 year olds start out. It is always such a fun and exciting day at FCS.

## What's New:

Several FCS Staff are attending conferences that show how to work with students that are affected by poverty. Leah Gottheiner attended the Poverty Summit in Salem on Friday May 9<sup>th</sup>. Melissa Kidd, Tim Hart, Mindy Arthur and myself are attending the School Improvement Summit on May 13-14, 2014. All FCS staff will be doing a book study over the summer on the book entitled, "Teaching with Poverty in Mind." By Eric Jensen. This is an area of Focus for the staff at FCS.

## Dates to remember:

- May 14-16 Outdoor School for 6<sup>th</sup> grade
- May 19-23 BOGO Book fair
- May 22 FCS students to attend Band Festival
- May 29 SHS Band show at FCS

- June 3 Band Concert
- June 7 Spring Concert
- June 9 8<sup>th</sup> grade promotion
- June 10 8<sup>th</sup> grade promotion trip
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