# Homedale Elementary School Memo

To: Homedale Board of Trustees, Superintendent Rob Sauer

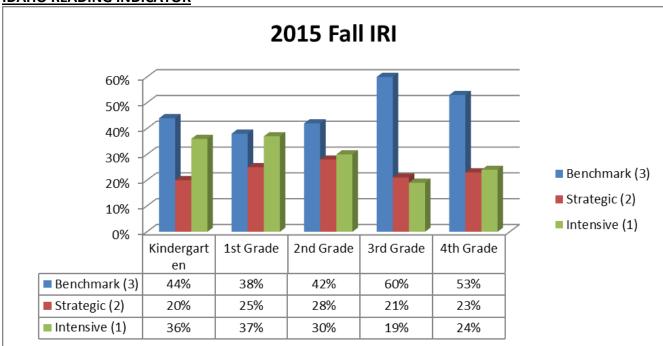
From: Terri Vasquez, Principal Date: September 14, 2015 Re: Report to Board of Trustees



#### **ENROLLMENT**

AM Kindergarten: 40  $1^{st}$ : 104 PM Kindergarten: 37  $2^{nd}$ : 92 ELL Immersion AM: 13  $3^{rd}$ : 84 SPDC (Special Day): 11  $4^{th}$ : 95

#### **IDAHO READING INDICATOR**



#### **MEET THE TEACHER NIGHT**

Meet the Teacher Night was held on Thursday, August 20<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-7:00 pm. Parents were asked at registration to sign up for scheduled appointments for their children's teachers. The teachers set aside five 25-minute sessions to discuss classroom expectations and procedures, as well as grade-level and elementary school expectations with the parents and students. Families were given a new Student Handbook, and students brought their supplies to put in their desks. It made for a very smooth first day of school. We had 93% of our parents attend scheduled Meet the Teacher night compared to 52% last year. New students receive handbooks when they register. PTO served popsicles on the West Playground after the parents and students were finished with their appointments.

### **FUNDRAISER**

The annual Fundraiser will begin on September 14<sup>th</sup> and end on September 28th. This fundraiser is our main source of funding for elementary needs that are not in the budget: technology, playground equipment, etc. This year we are not selling from the catalog. Instead we are selling pre-portioned frozen cookie dough, sweet treats, and flower bulbs.

## **LEP STUDENTS:**

After receiving the Spring 2015 IELA scores for our Homedale Elementary LEP students, we were able to exit 13 from the program. These students have received scores of EF+ (Early Fluent +) in all areas: Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing, and Comprehension. We will continue to monitor these exited students.

## **Upcoming Events**

September 30 – "Wagons Ho" for 4<sup>th</sup> Grade