



May 4, 2012

How did May get here so quickly? Seems like just yesterday that we were starting the new year. We have many exciting activities happening here at Wesley this month to wrap up a great year. The students just learned about a new project regarding choosing a **Famous American** to portray. This is an oral project - nothing needs to be written but 3x5 card notes can be used. They have taken their letters home with the details and name of their famous person. Please ask them about it. They may need a little help from you regarding their costumes. Please just use things that can already be found in your closets at home. **Project is due on Tuesday May 15.** Next week the students should bring in a baby picture by Monday. Please place their names on the back of the picture and put it in a sealed envelope. These will go in the hallway so all the 5th graders can have fun guess who's who. **Permission slips for the Talent Show are due on Tuesday, May 8.** No slips will be accepted after that date. Fri., **May 11** is an **Early Release Day** so they will leave at 12 noon.

For the Week of May 7-11, we will be working on:

Math: Finish Ch. 13 "Multiplying Fractions". **Test Wed.** Keep studying multiplication/division facts to 12's. Your child should be able to do 100 facts correctly in 5 min.

Reading/Writing/Grammar: The Fun They Had story in Trophies reader. **Test Thurs.**

Spelling: The Fun They Had words. **Test Thurs.**

Social Studies: Daily Geography Week 33 "Florida". Wk. 31-32 **Quiz Mon.** **Ch. 14 Les 1** "North and South Grow Apart" **Quiz Tues.**

Science: Les. 8 "Severe Storms". **Quiz Fri.**

Helpful Websites Are:

Tumblebooks: <http://www.tumblebooklibrary.com> (Username: addison, Password: books)

ISAT Math and Reading: <http://studyisland.com>

Math.com: <http://math.com/>

AAA Math: <http://aaamath.com/>

MAP Reading: <http://www.sowashco.k12.mn.us/ro/Pages/studentlinks/map/reading.htm>

MAP Math: <http://www.sowashco.k12.mn.us/ro/Pages/studentlinks/map/>

MacMillan/McGraw-Hill Math: <http://www.mhln.com/> (Student Code: Wesley)

Harcourt Math: http://www.harcourtschool.com/menus/math2004/math2004_gr5.html

National Library Math: <http://nlvm.usu.edu/en/nav/vlibrary.html>

Harcourt Reading: <http://www.harcourtschool.com/menus/trophies/menu.html>

Spelling City: <http://www.spellingcity.com/krybowicz/>