**Third Grade Newsletter**

**August 21-25…NO SCHOOL MONDAY**

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**ELA**

**Reading: Comprehension skills**

***Owen Foote, Money Man***

We will finish reading this book. Our next book will be *Fudge-a-mania.*

**Language Arts:** **Super Sentences and basic language skills**

I can create a super sentence with each of my vocabulary words.

I can use basic language skills in my everyday writing.

**We will begin vocab and spelling tests this week. The vocab test will be included with the weekly reading test. The spelling test will be separate.**

**Vocab Words: We will have the same words plus – pride.**

**demonstration**-an activity that shows how something is done or made.

**reaction**-a feeling or action that happens after something else.

**disappointed**-feeling sad because you didn’t do or get something you wanted.

**persuade**-to cause someone to believe something by telling reasons.

**collaborate**-to work together to something done.

**cautious**-to be careful.

**consultant**-an expert that helps you with something

**pride**-a good feeling you get when you work hard or are good at something.

**Spelling Words: (from the story)**

shout, shouted, start, started, watch, watching, hate, hated, hating, like, liked, care, cared, live, lived

**Math**

We are still working on Numbers and Operations. We are rounding numbers to the nearest tens and hundreds.

Please have the students log into IXL to practice at home.

It would also be beneficial for them to review basic addition and subtraction facts.

**Science/Social Studies**

We will begin our study of habitats, which will cover the mountains, piedmont, coastal plain, and swamp and marsh regions of Georgia. We will be learning about the plants and animals that live in these regions and their interdependence on the environment in which they live.

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**News and Important Dates**

* **Please do not drop students off before 7:10 am.**
* **8-31 Butter Braids sale ends**
* **8-31 – 9-8 Book Fair**
* **9-8 Lunch with a Loved One**
* **9-13 Butter Braids Delivery**

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Please practice cursive handwriting with your child. This will eventually become required this year.

If you have a transportation change, please let the office know by 1:00 each day. Do not rely only on e-mail or voicemail in the case that the teacher may be absent. This is for the safety of our students, so the office has record of any changes.

Please check your child’s green folder every Friday and return it on Monday.

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