

# Miss Basinger's First Grade Newsletter November 10, 2016

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

NOV 11- VETERANS' DAY AT BLAST OFF! Students are encouraged to wear **red**, white, and **blue** shirts with uniform bottoms ☺  
\*\*\*FROM Admin\*\*\*

Parents: We are hosting a very special Veteran's Day Blast Off! on Friday, Nov. 11th at 8:00 a.m. in JRCS Gym. We are inviting parents, grandparents, and family members that have served or are serving in the military to join us in honoring our Military Veterans. Please let me know if you or a family member will be participating so we can have enough reserved seating for you.  
**PARENTS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND AS WELL- ALL of the students are singing.**

NOV 14- ICE SKATING AT 9:45-11:15

NOV 28- BEDLAM food drive hosted by 2<sup>nd</sup> grade ☺



## From admin

Parents:

Since the weather is changing, we are seeing students in their fall attire. This is to remind you that leggings and socks are to be the solid colors of blue, black, white and brown. Patterns are not part of the uniform. If you have questions regarding the uniform or our uniform policy, please contact Mrs. Fulmer.

Also, our "Lost and Found" tote is overflowing with jackets and sweaters. Feel free to check the tote which is located by the elevator for your child's clothing. We are also requesting that you put your child's name somewhere on their coats and jackets so we can get them back to their rightful owners.

--Salvation Army will be here to pick everything that is left on November 18th.

# URGENT

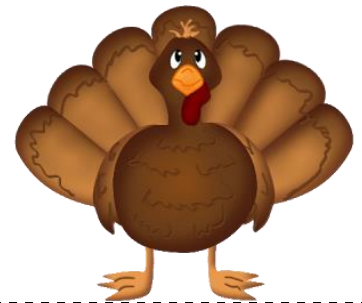


## URGENT NEWS

We are going ice skating Monday (Nov 14)!!! I need permission slips RETURNED TOMORROW (Friday) along with shoe size on the form to make Fittings easier. PLEASE PLEASE let me know ASAP if you can CHAPERONE. (FREE chaperones) We will leave school at 9:45 and return to school around 11:15-11:25.  
NO SIBLINGS.

## This is what we studied:

- Doubles and fact families with dominoes and picture cards.
- Anansi the Spider- African folktales
- Word of the week was citizenship. This really was a great word for this week with the election and Veterans' Day. We talked about how to be helpful members in the community, respectful of all other people's opinions, not to use put downs of opposing viewpoints and to be kind and productive.
- The 5 different branches of the military and the different jobs they do.
- We have been really working hard on journal writing, figuring out the most important details, visualizing, and punctuation.
- Blends, digraphs, and long vowel/sneaky e patterns in words.
- Telling time by the hour (analog and digital) \*\*\* something to work with your child on ☺



Return your turkeys in disguise on Monday Nov 14 ☺  
Can't wait to see them!