

Weekly News Update February 12, 2018

Good Evening ACES Tigers! This is Dr. Reasoner calling with our weekly update. We hope everyone has had a wonderful weekend.

Here is our week at a glance:

Monday 2/12: PTA Valentine grams and Valentine spirit sticks will be sold during lunches. The February monthly school board meeting will be held at ACHS auditorium at 6:30 P.M. Read Chapter 3 of "The Lemonade War."

Tuesday 2/13: 3rd Quarter Interims will go home. Last day for PTA Valentine grams and Valentine spirit sticks to be sold during lunches. Tiger Jump Rope Club will meet afterschool (3:30-4:30 P.M.). Read Chapter 4 of "The Lemonade War."

Wednesday 2/14: Our Tiger HELP Club will be sponsoring a special fundraiser to support children who are born with a congenital heart defect. Students may wear their favorite hat to school for a \$1.00 donation to the American Heart Association. Money will be collected in each homeroom. PTA Valentine grams will be delivered during the afternoon. Read Chapter 5 of "The Lemonade War."

Thursday 2/15: Chick Fil A Spirit Night at the Winterpock Chick Fil A. You can visit anytime on Thursday and tell the cashier that you support ACES. Our Kindergarten team will be present to spin the wheel for fabulous prizes from 5:00-8:00 P.M. They will also receive all profit from the day's Chick Fil A fundraiser. We will also hold a special reading incentive assembly with the Richmond Flying Squirrels. Students who complete their reading goal will receive a free ticket to the Richmond Flying Squirrels game on April 27, 2018. Read Chapter 6 of "The Lemonade War".

Friday 2/16: Looking ahead to Monday, February 19, 2018 there will be no school in observance of Presidents' Day. Read Chapter 7 of "The Lemonade War."

Once again, we want to share a few reminders with you regarding Valentines' Day. For everyone's enjoyment and to ensure student safety, we ask that you please adhere to the following guidelines:

1. Please be mindful that not every student celebrates Valentines' Day.
2. If a student is passing out valentine cards, please remember to include a card for ALL students in his or her class.
3. Please consider not including extra candy treats with valentine cards. We are selling PTA valentine grams (which are candy bars) and many classes will be having some sort of treat. Many of our students have food allergies which may be unknown to other students and parents. Please consider helping us support a healthy and safe environment by exchanging tattoos, stickers, pencils, or erasers instead of candy. Thank you for your support as we work to keep every student healthy and safe.
4. No glass flower vases or large balloon bouquets will be allowed on our school buses, as they are a safety concern. If a student receives a flower vase or balloons a parent or other adult will need to transport these items home.

Please continue reading at home every night for at least 20 minutes and keep practicing good hand washing both at home and at school. We look forward to welcoming our students tomorrow morning. Have a wonderful week ahead!