



# Fifth Grade News

From the desk of Ms. Noonan



St. Albert's School

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## Fifth Grade Specials

- Monday: PE 10:45-11:25
- Computers 1:00-1:30
- Tuesday: Music 9:20-9:50  
PE 2:20-2:55
- Thursday: Mass 10:30
- Computers: 2:00-2:30
- Friday: Library 10:45-11:15
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## Special Dates and Reminders

10/17 PTO—kids meet in the classroom at 6:10

10/18 all school mass

10/19 early release; witch story due

10/20 jog-a-thon, green t-shirt and PE bottoms, we run at 1:30;

vocab notecards due

10/24 math test

10/26 book report due; Halloween parade and party 1:00

### Current Events Wednesday

Aaron Miriam

John Lily H.

PTO is tomorrow night. Students should be in the classroom around 6:10. They are ready to sing you the states and capitals...it's darling. A big thank you to Mrs. Weaver. Also, please bring one dozen cookies and leave them on the table in the back of the gym.

If you haven't signed up for a conference time yet, please do so as soon as possible. I look forward to meeting with you and your child.

### Go Math

Chapter 3, Adding and Subtracting Decimals continues. They'll be ready for a test on October 24th. Facts practice worksheets are in the Monday folder and due Friday morning. It's all about practice.

### Religion

Parables and Beatitudes continue, as does Unit 2: Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. It's also Rosary month. We'll practice with our buddies throughout the month. In the next few weeks, please send in a baptism picture of your child. It's best if it's them alone for one of my favorite games...Guess the Baby! They love it. Pictures will be returned. Email a photo, if that's easier. Hard copies will be returned.

### Social Studies

The First Americans (pages 36-75), and corresponding packet continues. The guidelines for Native American dioramas have been explained, so we'll start this week. Regardless of what you hear, do not have to go the store to purchase diorama items :-)

### ELA (English Language Arts)

#### Writers Workshop

Bud, Not Buddy, by Christopher Paul Curtis, is a big hit. Most of the corresponding work/projects will be done in class.

They are working on a quick three paragraph witch story and picture during center time. It's due on Thursday.

We'll start another My Access prompt by the end of the week.

**Three reading groups have finished their books. They have book summary reports due this week. We have done the pre-write in class, so they simple need to put it together. Typed preferred, but neatly written on binder paper is a-okay.**

#### Spelling

Unit 8 and one page of nightly homework. Tests every Friday.

#### Vocabulary

The Unit 5 notecards are due on Friday and the test is on 10/25.

The October book report genre is mystery. For this report, Nancy Drew/Hardy Boys are highly recommended. They have the guidelines. There are photos of samples to view in the classroom.

### READING COUNTS

12 points for the first quarter.

**ACT/ASPIRE TESTING CONTINUES TOMORROW AND THURSDAY. YOU KNOW THE DRILL-A LOT OF SLEEP AND A GOOD BREAKFAST.**

**THE GBOS (overnight camp) DATES ARE FEBRUARY 28-MARCH 1, 2018.**



**YOUR DAY WILL GO THE WAY THE CORNERS OF YOUR MOUTH TURN!**



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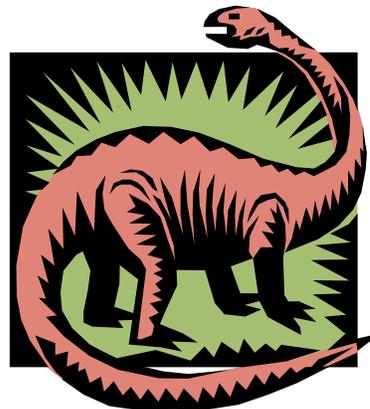
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