



MR. PANEK

September 3,, 2015

Dear Parents,

September brings a lot of events and academics in class becoming a bit more rigorous as we solidify procedures in class. Please do your part by volunteering with school events when your are able and supporting your child at home by talking about what is happening at school, supporting homework procedures and reading to (and with) your child on a regular basis.

Our LCC PTA does so many great things for kids at our school and it is that time of the year when they reach out to families to join the LCC PTA organization. Joining the PTA does not commit you to any extra committees, or obligations. However, it does help raise some funds for our school. A membership envelope and letter are included in your child's homework folder this evening. Please consider joining the LCC PTA and return your membership envelope at your earliest convenience.

We have two major events in September. The Holistic Playground Project and the LCC Jogathon. Both of these events require a significant number of volunteers. The Holistic Playground project is a weekend project that will begin Friday afternoon, 9/11 and continue through Sunday, 9/13. Volunteers, 16 and older, are encouraged to help. You may sign up on the LCC webpage at <http://littlechicocreek.chicousd.org> and click on the sign up link. Volunteer shifts are in two hour intervals and there are a variety of different jobs. The jogathon will occur on Friday, September 25th. Please let me know if you are interested in being a lap marker for our class that morning.

I am awaiting final approval of parent volunteer paperwork for parents who have indicated that they would like to volunteer. once I receive final approval, I will contact you for a day and time to help. We have a field trip to Paradise on October 15th, which I will need parent drivers. If you are able to drive on that date, please let me know so I can make sure your driver paperwork is in order.

Parents often ask, "What can I do to help my child at home?" This week, I would like you to practice skip counting by 2's, 5's and 10's with them. Also, practice identifying the time on a standard clock (not digital). This will help students as we work on learning how to solve problems with elapsed time (the amount of time that passes from one point to another). The skip counting is a quick and easy task that can be completed while driving home, sitting at home or waiting to order at a restaurant. For some of us, finding a traditional clock may be a challenge. Your child has a handmade clock in their homework folder just in case.

Did you sign up to get **remind** notifications yet? If not, send a text to 81010 and enter **@mrpanek** in the message section. Then follow the prompts afterward. You may also send an email to mrpanek@mail.remind.com to set up email notifications.

Have a great week!

Weekly Report #2

Homework

All Complete
Most Complete
Some Complete

Work Behaviors

Outstanding
Satisfactory
Needs Improvement

NOTES:

No School on Monday, 9/7 due to Labor Day.

Reading

Spelling Test
Vocabulary
Grammar Worksheet

Citizenship

Outstanding
Satisfactory
Needs Improvement

Math

Lesson 1.4
1.5
1.6a

AR Point Goal _____ /20%
(100% due by 10/31)

Social Studies/Science
Investigation

Student _____ Parent Signature _____