

# ETNA ELEMENTARY NEWSLETTER

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#### APRIL CALENDAR

4/9 & 10 Etna Enrichment

4/11 Feed and Feedback

4/16 & 17 Etna Enrichment

4/17 6th Grade Tdap Shots

> 4/19 No School

4/15-5/16 WYTOPP State Testing Window

> 4/23 & 24 Etna Erichment

> > 5/3 No School

5/14 4th Grade Rendezvous

> 5/15 Music Concert

> > 5/17 No School

5/23 Music Concert

5/24 5th Grade Living History

5/27 Memorial Day Break

5/28 5th Grade Field Trip Pinedale Aquatic Center

#### "It ain't over 'til it's over."

Parents, please be assured that we are working hard to "prepare students for the next level." Our primary mission is just that. Some might think that our state WY-TOPP testing drives our work, but I see our state tests as just one data point in the work we do with students. I have communicated with teachers the importance of these last 35 days or so, and I trust they will do the same with their students. Please do all you can to encourage a strong finish as we prepare students to be ready for next August. Please continue to maintain school success habits at home in spite of longer days, warmer weather, and the end nearing. The last months of school are every bit as critical as September was in regards to next year's success. Few children ever read enough, so please do all you can to maintain the habit of daily reading during these critical years.

Our lost and found has been tagged and bagged for donation. This is your last chance to recover something you can't find in the closet. Along the same lines, we are entering the time of year when it can be short sleeve weather one minute and the next minute sleet can be coming down sideways. Please help monitor your child's preparation for the weather each day.

Mr. Klein



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### **MUSTANG ROUNDUP**





Congratulations to our Etna Elementary Key Kids for March who each displayed one of the 8 Keys of Excellence in an exemplary way.

Back row (l-r): Andrew Taylor, Miranda Fjeldsted, Hannah Brylinski, Anthony Hubbard, Xayne Franklin Middle row (l-r):Max Baker, Colter Reinhardt, Camilla Olenslager Front row (l-r):Kanyon Rivas, Tucker Hendriks, Afton Hunting, Jacob Choma



Myli Albrecht and Cash Dunn have earned the

#### Indian Paintbrush Award

for reading all fifteen titles nominated for this Wyoming Children's Book Award.

## Congratulations to our **Honors Readers**

Rachel Thygerson and Cash Dunn. They met this goal by earning 100 Accelerated Reader Points from reading and testing on books from a specific list of quality literature.



#### Etna Enrichment Express!



Session 5 of Enrichment Express starts next week and kids are excited about their classes and the opportunities they will have to experience new things. Just as a reminder the dates are April 9, 10, 16, 17, 23 & 24. We are always looking for class ideas and instructors. If you have expertise in any area and would like to help with a class, or if you have a suggestion for a class topic, please contact Colleen Cook at colleen.cook@lcsd2.org or 801-898-4212.

Through the years, Enrichment Express has offered students opportunities to learn and experience such a wide variety of classes that we want to share some of those classes and activities with parents. Coming up in May, we will have our first Enrichment Express Family Night. There will be a variety of classes for students and parents to enjoy together in the evening. Watch for details coming soon and please plan to join us for fun and learning.

Many students have been participating in the 50 Club during morning fitness for the past several months. Students have been invited to complete several fitness challenges and fill out a punch card indicating how many dates they met the challenge. All students who fill the card in a month receive a prize. Students who met the challenge each month will be entered in a drawing for a great prize. Studies have proven that exercise not only helps the body, but also the brain's capacity for learning.

Colleen Cook, EEE Site Coordinator colleen.cook@lcsd2.org, 801-898-4212

Feed and Feedback

Thursday, April 11th 6:00-8:00 PM
For all Parents

Please join us for a roundtable discussion about our school. Dinner and childcare will be provided. Please RSVP if possible, mclark@lcsd2.org or call the school 307-885-2472.

We appreciate all those that are willing to attend.

## PIRATES OF PENZANCE



BRAVO! Compliments to the cast, crew, and supporting parents and staff for a successful Etna performance of "The Pirates of Penzance." The students worked very hard over a 10 week period to memorize lines, learn songs and dance moves, and create a fun set. "Arrrrr" you impressed? You should be - they did an amazing job!



We would like to thank our local businesses that support our school!













