

4th Grade Weekly News



April 25, 2008

What's Happening:

We had another busy week in 4th grade! In Language Arts, we are working hard in the Language program on our reading, writing, and grammar skills and we continued reading aloud in The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett.

In math this week, we introduced adding and subtracting decimals...making sure to line up the decimal points. We also covered rounding decimals to the nearest whole number and ordering decimals on a number line. Next week we will continue to review fractions and decimals and move on to probability experiments.

In Social Studies, we worked very hard on preparing for Cultural Day. What a great day it was...thank you for all of your support! Next week, we will continue discussing state, county, and local government and the jobs of each.

Famous Texan Research is due on **Wednesday, April 30**. We will begin the working in the students' PowerPoint presentations that day in class, so they must have their completed research that day.

Have a fabulous weekend!!!

~ Ms. Markey, Ms. Lasley and Ms. Kopecky



School News:

- **April 26** – Rawson-Saunders Campus Clean-up, 10:00-2:00
- **May 9** – ALL BOOKS DUE to the library
- **May 15** – *Appreciation Breakfast* in Beverly Hall...hope to see you there!
- **May 19** – Spring Parent/Teacher Conferences
*more info to follow...

REMINDER:

If you have not returned your Letter of Intent for the 2008-2009 school year to the office, please do so as soon as possible. Thanks!!!

Things to bring to the RSS Campus Clean-up

- *rakes
- *shovels
- *trash bags
- *leaf blowers
- * trucks for hauling away trash/limbs

*Thanks in advance for helping
make our campus a beautiful
place!!!*

Vocabulary Words of the week...

(Please help us to reinforce your child's use of these words...)

- **intense** -very great or strong; extreme
- **refuge**- a place that is safe from danger
- **welfare**- well-being (health and happiness)



Next Week at a Glance...

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		<u>Famous Texan Research Due TODAY!!!</u>		Spelling Test
Social Skills	PE	Keyboarding	PE	Keyboarding