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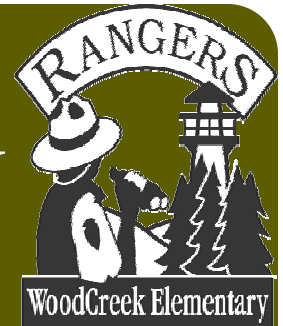
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Ranger Round Up

NOVEMBER

5th – Character Counts
Respect

Wear yellow/jeans

4th - Election Day

6th - “Now that You’re 10”

Parent Preview 9:30am and 6:30pm

7th - End of 2nd six weeks/early dismissal

7th - Fundraiser Winners: Stinky Feet Day, and Wrap Mr. Mosher
like a mummy

10th - 3rd six weeks begins

10th - Student Council food drive begins. Bring canned vegetables

11th - 50th day of school. Wear 50’s clothes.

11th - Bring canned meat

12th - Veteran’s Day

12th - VIPS Workday 9am-3pm

12th - Bring canned fruit

13th - Bring canned soups

14th - Bring dry goods

14th - Report cards go home

Morning Drop Off

This is a friendly reminder that each morning we welcome our Rangers at 7:55 am. Dropping off children prior to 7:55am results in them not being provided with adequate supervision as our WCE staff does not begin their morning duties until 7:55 am. Also, we have only one morning drop-off location for car riders, which is in the front of the school (facing WoodCreek Bend Lane). Our Safety Patrol, who is directed by WCE staff members, assists with unloading cars each morning in the front of the school only. We kindly ask that parents do not drop off students in our staff parking lot area during morning drop-off time (7:55 am-8:20am). Your help with this is greatly appreciated.



Counselor's Corner



"Now That you're 10" parent preview for 4th and 5th grade parents will be offered Thursday, November 6 with two identical sessions for **parents only** at 9:30 am and 6:30 pm. Come and hear how the laws affect your child once he/she turns 10. Permission slips for 4th and 5th grade students were sent home for the student sessions on November 12th and 13th- please return these as soon as possible.

book nook

If you plan to purchase one of Chris Espinosa's books, World Wide Wes (\$10.00), or a copy of The Tale of Despereaux (\$8.00) for the Reading Rangers Book Club, the deadline is Friday, November 7, 2008.

The book fair is Coming!

WCE book fair is scheduled to run November 17-21. Tax free day will be November 18. More details to come!



Ranger Science Strikes Again!



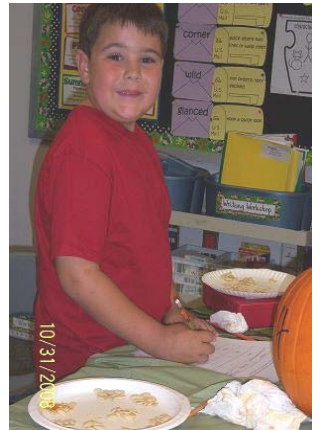
3rd grade Rangers studied simple machines as their Ranger Science project.

The 4th grade classes learned all about ocean animals.

Who knew learning could be this fun?



On Friday, October 31st, the 2nd grade did pumpkin activities for Science and Math. We predicted, weighed, counted seeds, described our pumpkins, and found out they could float!



We Remember our Veterans



On Veterans Day, we pay tribute to the service and sacrifice of the men and women who in defense of our freedom have bravely worn the uniform of the United States. Our country is forever indebted to our veterans for their quiet courage and exemplary service. We also remember and honor those who laid down their lives in freedom's defense. These brave men and women made the ultimate sacrifice for our benefit. On Veterans Day, we remember these heroes for their valor, their loyalty, and their dedication. Their selfless sacrifices continue to inspire us today as we work to advance peace and extend freedom around the world.

George W. Bush
31 October 2008