



Alpine Elementary School February Newsletter

February 2015

Principal's Message

It is that time of year again. The students have been challenged to read 10,000 books in one week and I have agreed to either wear the Alpine Bear costume or work from outside for an entire day if they meet the challenge. Students will be given an opportunity to vote. This challenge is only one part of a week dedicated to the Love of Reading. The festivities begin on February 27th with a author visit and ends on March 6th. An email was sent on February 18th outlining all the events. Please take the time to review it with your child so they can participate.

Thank you to the PTO for providing the funding for the author visit and offering to purchase two books for each classroom.

Mr. Giuseppe Leone, Principal

Character Education

This month's character education trait is courtesy. Courtesy is being polite, using good manners and showing consideration to others. Courtesy is an important characteristic of a caring person. It is important for children to learn this at an early age.

Mrs. Heather Yanoff, Guidance Counselor

Upcoming Events

February

23th BOE Meeting at MAS at 7:30
25th PTO Meeting at 10am
25th PreK Sports Night 6pm
27th Author Visit – Wendy Pfeffer

March

2nd–6th See Genesis Parent Email for List of Events send on February 18th
6th Spirit Wear Dress Down
12th PTO Frist Grade Math Night 6:30
20th Wear White for Honesty
20th **PTO Tricky Tray**
23rd – 27th PTO Spring Food Drive
26th Kindergarten Registration

PTO

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all the parents and teachers who assisted in making the Wizards Game an enormous success. We had over eight hundred people in attendance and it appeared as if all had an enjoyable afternoon.

The Alpine Tricky Tray on Friday, March 20th is quickly approaching and we will need a large number of volunteers to make the event as successful as it has been in the past. Please visit the PTO section of our [website](#) to find out how you can continue to support our PTO and find information about upcoming events.

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