



BEAR PAWS

BURNT RANCH SCHOOL DISTRICT/SCHOOL YEAR 2014-15/JANUARY ISSUE

Burnt Ranch School Safety Plan

We will hold a Public Hearing on our school Safety Plan Tuesday, February 10 at 4:00 pm. You are welcome to view our Plan, and makes comments and suggestions.

LCAP Public Input Meeting

We will hold a meeting regarding the Burnt Ranch School District Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP), which is the school plan that guides the allocation of our resources, including our budget and staff efforts. Our LCAP was built last year with the suggestions from staff, students, parents and the public. Come see what we have accomplished in our first year, and make comments or suggestions for revisions to the Plan for the coming years. This meeting will be held Tuesday, February 10 from 5:00 - 6:00 pm at the Burnt Ranch School office meeting space.



Art by Alden Weber

Thanks and Appreciation

Burnt Ranch School would like to thank Mike's uncle, Mr. Richard Barrows of Folsom, CA for his donation of a 21" iMac desktop computer. We are thrilled to have the use of another high quality computer here at school!

The Make-A-Wish Foundation sent a thank you to our students for contributing to their latest campaign. For every student who wrote a letter to Santa on special stationery, Macy's donated \$1 to the Foundation. Make-A-Wish said **"Magic was certainly in the air this holiday season throughout the campus of Burnt Ranch School! We are proud to commend your school on your effort to collect letters to Santa!"** We at BRS are very proud of the kind and generous behavior exhibited by our students year-round!

MAKE A WISH!

Family Fun Night!!!!!!

Please join us on Friday night, February 6th for a good time. We start off with an Indian Taco dinner, a fundraiser for the 4th grade class, from 5:30 - 6:45 pm in the multi-purpose room. This is followed by a Movie Night in Miss Neva's room for preK-4th grade (movie TBD), and a Valentine's Dance for 5-8th grade students in the multi-purpose. A special Parents' Club Room will be set up in our Art/K room with games and cards to play, or a chance to just visit while the kids enjoy their activities. The Parents' Club will also have a campfire area set up, weather permitting, for an additional space to hang out and visit, and enjoy the night sky. Parents' Club areas will be for adults only. We hope to see you all there!



Ms. Irene music

View newsletter in color on our website: bresd.org



Burnt Ranch Readers

Burnt Ranch students are reading up a storm! The students are showing dedication to their reading, and the hard work is paying off. Many students are both earning points towards the Water Slides trip at the end of the year and raising their test scores at the same time. Students earn points towards the reward trip by passing comprehension quizzes on books at their lexile level at an 80% rate or better (books that are also movies are awarded half of point value). Students in grades K-4 need 100 points by the end of April to earn the trip, while students in grades 5-8 need 200 points.



Brody and Grace were special awards for their commitment and focus on improving their reading.



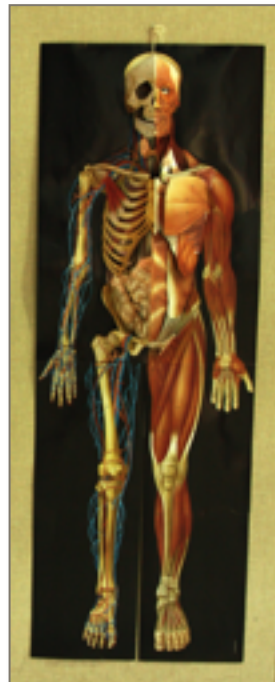
Recognition of reaching a new Reading Milestone will be made at our next Assembly on Tuesday, February 3rd at 8:30 am. The character trait for the Assembly is Respect, and the color for the trait is yellow. Please join us!

Important dates:

- 2/3 Assembly
- 2/4 Public Hearing Safety Plan / LCAP Input Mtg.
- 2/6 Family Fun Night
- 2/9 100th Day of school
- 2/16-2/20 No School--President's Week



Students who have earned points by reading, in hopes of meeting their grade goal and earn a trip to the Waterslides in Redding.



A life size representation of the human body, located in the Multi-purpose room, lent to us by the TCOE Nutrition Program, to expand our student's physical education.