



# Knighthly News January

AGS Families ~

I want to take this opportunity to wish all our Arthur Grade School families a happy and healthy new year. I hope your holiday was relaxing and filled with memories to cherish with family and friends. Our students have transitioned back into their academic routines, and believe it or not, we have completed half of the school year! Report cards will go home on January 5th. As always, please be sure to contact your child's teacher should you have any questions about their progress.

Additionally, it's important for students to arrive to school on time. The homeroom period provides students with a smooth transition to a day of learning. At this time, the students may review the day's schedule, copy homework assignments, listen to school announcements, get breakfast, and begin in their specials classes. To provide your children with a positive start to the day, please plan your morning so your child arrives in homeroom before 8:10. After 8:15, they are considered tardy.

During my visits to the classrooms, I witness students who are very engaged and excited about their learning. I am very proud of the students and teachers at Arthur Grade School and I look forward to more great things in 2017.

-Mrs. Hale, Principal

## Thanks to all that have supported our AGS fundraising this year!

We raised approximately \$3600 on the Basket Raffle! Winners are as follows:

- K - High Adventure Basket - Tina Hammel
- 1st grade - Cozy Christmas Basket - Myrna Crist
- 2nd grade - Gift Card Basket - Wanda Plank
- 3rd grade - Movie Basket - Bruce Condill
- 4th grade - Sweet and Salty Camp Fire Basket - Mackenzie Angus
- 5th grade - Illini Basket - Treston Eads

*Thank  
you*

Our Fannie May was a HUGE success as well! Our sales were over \$20,000 with 152 students participating. We profited just over \$8,200 that will go to our playground fund! Sellers who sold 25 items will be able to go back stage and interact with our Silly Safari Animal Show on January 5th. They are:

- Rebecca Hostetler, Brayden Leech, Jillian and Denton Marnier, Coy and Hunter Grant, Charleigh Tripp, Brooklyn Matheny, Rylan Miller, Austin Abercrombie, Sophie Monts, Hunter Carson, Cody Kuhns, Sarah Rogers, and Kelly Toto



## Knight Vision

The following committees are still active for this school year:

Pork Chop Dinner, Spring Carnival, Fun Day, Teacher Appreciation , Playground, Pizza Fundraiser

We will not be holding general membership meetings until April. However, these 6 committees will be meeting to organize and plan. Please feel free to contact us ([knightvision@cusd305.org](mailto:knightvision@cusd305.org)) to find out how you can help. The committee heads will also be contacting those who volunteered at the beginning of the school year to let you know how you can help.

Knight Vision board positions will be open for nomination until the April membership meeting. A vote to elect new board members will be held at the May meeting. All nominations should be submitted to a Knight Vision board member or to the Knight Vision email no later than the end of the membership meeting to be held on April 5, 2017. Candidates must be the parent or guardian of a current student at Arthur Grade School.

You can continue to help with our Playground Project by contributing to our Go Fund Me Page:

<https://www.gofundme.com/26y44264>

### Homework Hangout!

Tues/Wed/Thurs

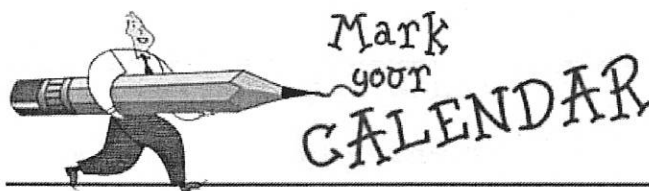
from 3:30-4:30 in Computer Lab

Grades 4th- 8th

If you have not done so, please take the

2017 Illinois Parent Survey by the Jan. 30th deadline!

<https://survey.5-essentials.org/illinois/survey/parent/login/>



## Events

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| January | 3  | <i>Teacher Institute Day - No Student Attendance</i> |
|         | 4  | <i>School Resumes</i>                                |
|         | 5  | <i>Silly Safari Animal Show @ 1pm</i>                |
|         |    | <i>Report Cards</i>                                  |
|         | 16 | <i>NO SCHOOL - Martin Luther King Jr. Day</i>        |
|         | 18 | <i>Board Meeting</i>                                 |

**Please save and send in your School Spirit Labels, Box Tops and Coke Rewards!!! We could really use the help!!!**

School Board Meetings have moved to the 3rd Wednesday of each month. They are held at the Unit office and begin at 6pm.