



April News

Stone Ridge News

SMART BOARDS

Our smart boards are ordered for our last five classrooms. I ordered one portable smart board which will be used in the portables which we will have to have next year to house our growing population.

Parent/Teacher Conferences:

This is a very important time for your student. We consider each time we meet with you as a way to close the gap between what is happening in the classroom and what is perceived to be happening in the classroom. The year is almost over and some teachers will be mak-

ing recommendations for your child during the summer months and maybe even for next year. Remember to always take time to think over what you hear. After you have thought about everything presented, call us, email us or make another appointment to come in and make a reasonable solution for the best for your child. We are here for you and your child.

CRTs: April 13th through the 16th. In the great State of Oklahoma, our testing process for third through fifth grade is based upon P.A.S.S. skills. These skills are the foundation for all our grade level curriculum. The CRTs

are actually the Oklahoma Core Curriculum Tests. Do we teach to the test? That is always a question presented by persons who do not like the tests. Of course we are going to teach the curriculum that is based upon the P.A.S.S. skills which is the foundation for the tests. But, I always add that we teach beyond the test so students can be tested on the overflow of knowledge they get from our classrooms.

What we ask of you is to make sure that your child gets a regular schedule of sleep and a big breakfast each morning to help the brain recall everything it has learned. It works!

Mrs. Dale

HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Dowling has been selected as the Master Teacher to conduct the KESAM mathematics workshops at SWOSU in Weatherford this summer. This is a great honor for

Mrs. Dowling as well as a lot of work. Congratulations!

CULINARY COOK-OFF

Our students can create or send their favorite recipe by April 3rd to possibly win

a new bicycle. For sure they will get a chef's hat and coat for participating in the 1st Culinary Cook-off. Make a healthy snack or meal with your child and send to us your favorite healthy snack recipe by this Friday.

Stone Ridge Elementary APRIL

Special points of interest:

- ☺ April 3: Talent Show at 6:30 p.m. in our gym. \$5 per person.
- ☺ April 6th: 7p.m. PTO meeting in the cafeteria. Piedmont Elementary will join us.
- ☺ April 7th and 9th: 5 to 8 p.m. Parent/Teacher Conferences.
- ☺ April 6th through the 9th Scholastic Book Fair in the Library. Send lots of money for your child to buy books.
- ☺ April 10th: SCHOOL IS OUT.
- ☺ April 13 through 16th: CRTs for third through fifth grade.
- ☺ April 22: Administrative Professional Day.
- ☺ April 22: Land Run for fourth grade. 12 NOON
- ☺ April 23: Pre k and K enrollment at Piedmont Primary , 615 Edmond Rd. 4:30 to 7 p.m. We will join them for enrollment.
- ☺ April 24: EL Chico Night May and Britton
- ☺ April 29: Culinary Cook-off at our school
- ☺ April 30: Third Grade Choir Concert in our gym.