



# McLouth Elementary Bull Pup Bulletin

May 20, 2013

Together, we learn in a community that promotes academic excellence, respect, life-long learning and responsible citizenship.



## From the desk of Mr. Dodge.....

What a great year this has been. Your children have worked extremely hard this year. I couldn't be more proud. While there is excitement for the summer and time with family, I am also looking forward to what next year will bring.

If your child has any items to turn in or fees to pay, please do so. Any questions regarding library materials can be addressed by Ms. Holcomb. Mrs. Warden can assist you with any questions pertaining to textbook fees or lunch accounts. Thank you for your help with this.

May 21<sup>st</sup>, the last day of school, will be extremely busy! It will be a full day, as dismissal will take place at 3:15. Starting at 8:45 in the Purple Gym, we will gather as a school to celebrate a year's worth of successes at our annual end-of-the year assembly. Following the assembly, we will have a BBQ cookout. Mr. Splichal and I will assist the cooks by grilling hotdogs for the students. We will eat outdoors, picnic style. So, please feel free to send your child to school with a blanket or towel to spread out on the ground while we eat. While the cookout is for the students, parents are welcome to bring a lunch and join us in the celebration. In the afternoon, Mrs. Feuerborn and I will partner up for our end of the year celebration. The details will be a surprise to the students. However, please know that we will be taking into account the students effort scores and homework completion percentages, along with their AR points. It will be an awesome ending to an exciting school year.

## Last day of school Activities

Tuesday 5/21

\*\*Popsicle party for 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, winners of the Change for a Cure drive.

8:45: All School Assembly in the Purple Gym.

10:45: We will begin our all school picnic K-5.

Here is the tentative schedule:

10:45 – Kdg

10:55 – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

11:10 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

12:00 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

12:10 – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

12:20 – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

\*As soon as the kids are finished eating, they may play on the playground.

12:00 to 1:00: Kdg and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Homework, Effort, and AR Celebration

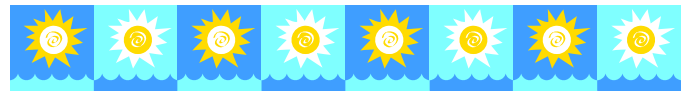
1:00 to 2:00: 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Homework, Effort, and AR Celebration

2:00 to 3:00: 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Homework, Effort, and AR Celebration



## Read Kansas Read

The Kansas State Department of Education is pleased to support the **Read Kansas Read** summer program along with Governor Brownback and the State Library. Information about **Read Kansas Read** can be found at <http://www.readkansasread.ks.gov/default.htm> including bookmarks, a reading log, links to finding appropriate reading-level books, and details about prizes. I encourage you to visit the website and consider sending information home with your students about the importance of reading over the summer months. Summer break often interrupts the learning process, especially for students from low-income families. Summer achievement loss is particularly evident in reading ability. We can assist the summer achievement loss by encouraging students to **Read Kansas Read!**



## HAVE A GREAT SUMMER, SEE YOU IN AUGUST.

If you need to speak to someone in the office over summer break after June 15<sup>th</sup>, please call the district office at 796-2201 and they will be able to assist you.

**Don't forget to keep an eye on the school website over the summer for enrollment dates and other great information.**

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