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UP-COMING EVENTS

APRIL 4th—PTSO Meeting 5:15 PM APRIL 5th—Spring Pictures April 8th—Kindergarten Concert 1:30 PM April 12-14—No School– Snow Make Up Day April 15th—No School– Spring Break April 18th—No School– Snow Make Up Day April 29—2nd grade field trip to Reptiland and Little league Museum



Corning Glass Museum

2nd grade enjoying their field trip to Corning Glass. They sandblasted drinking glasses, toured the galleries, and explored the innovations section.

Hands & Hearts Art Project

April is Child Abuse Prevention month. 2nd grade participated in making these Hands and Hearts to be placed in windows to bring awareness to child abuse and to show support for all children.

**Mr. Oldroyd's class displaying their projects.

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Ag Literacy Week

The Pennsylvania Friends of Agriculture Foundation donated a copy of this years Book of the Year, "My Family's Soybean Farm" to W.R. Croman.

The book talks about the day to day activities of a farming family through the eye of young Alexander who lives on his family's farm. The book talks about how plants grow, the nutrients they need to grown and how they are harvested. This book showcases the importance of agriculture in our daily lives.

Literacy Week is recognized March 14-18. Visit their website...www.pfb.com/agliteracy for education





W.R. CROMAN STUDENTS OF THE MONTH FOR MARCH

<u>Kindergarten</u>: Carson S., Ashton C., Aubrey M., Jackson M., Kenslee B., Jeremy F. <u>First Grade</u>: Layla L., Abigale S., Greyson B., Kira T., Loreli W. <u>Second Grade</u>: Adam P., Connor P., Everleigh C., Damon H., Sawyer P., Chloe H.

A message from our nurse, Mrs. Martin

What Veggies?

Let's face it, getting kids to eat veggies can be a chore!! We know that vegetables are packed full of nutrients and have numerous benefits but, convincing kids to even try them can be near impossible. Don't give up, there are some ways to help encourage or hide those veggies in things kids love to eat.

* Try hiding them in smoothies. There are many great recipes out there that combine fruit and leafy greens in smoothies and kids will be none the wiser.

* Add diced veggies like peppers, tomatoes, mushrooms or spinach to scrambled eggs, egg cups or omelets.

* Keep cut up veggies handy for snacking on. We tend to grab what's easy when we want a snack. So, make it easy for them to grab some veggies instead of sugary snacks.

* You can add grated zucchini, carrots or spinach to meatloaf, lasagna, or casseroles. If you haven't yet, try the new craze of replacing rice in dishes with riced cauliflower.

* Add vegetables to your pizza toppings. Not as sneaky but can be fun for kids to get creative with arranging them and making "pizza art" they can then eat.

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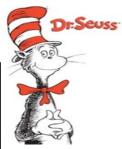
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READ-A-THON

On Tuesday, March 2, 2022, the students, staff, and volunteers at W.R. Croman Primary School had a Read-A-Thon. The students enjoyed listening to our many guest readers; including parents, grandparents, and retired employees. Thank you to the PTSO and staff for all of their donations of time to make this a successful Read-A-Thon!! Students received a ticket for each book they read during the month of February. The tickets were chosen randomly and the winners were announced in a school assembly.



Read-A-Thon Winners

Basket Prize Winners: K- Oliver L. 1st- Savannah S. 2nd- Kyper M.

Bike Prize Winners: K- Sahara S. & Colton P.

1st- Addison H. & Silas M.

2nd- Vanessa S. & Braxton H.





