The Star Report

Ms. Vaughan’s Third Grade Team

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**Thank you for supporting Boosterthon Fun Run! So far as a class, we are up to $28 a lap and have earned extra recess, a homework pass, and crazy hair day! Two more dollars and we earn pajama day! The students are having fun learning about COMMUNITY through the Rock’n Town Live theme. Please remember to register your student on funrun.com so they can run at the Boosterthon Fun Run on Thursday. If you register your child, they will receive a FREE GIFT the next school day! Funrun.com also has all the music videos from each Community Challenge. Be sure to check them out. Thanks again for your help and supporting our class! Let’s work together to finish strong! Our Fun Run is Thursday from 10:40 – 11:40!**

**Curriculum:** In reading this week, we will learn how to use context clues to figure out the meaning of unfamiliar words and begin our unit on Characters. Ask your student about Flashlight Friday! In writing, students are drafting and revising their personal narrative stories. We will start our unit on Geometry this week and learn about the properties of quadrilaterals. We continue to investigate the properties of solids, liquids, and gases in science. Our unit test in science will be on Friday this week.

***Our first “in house” field trip is Friday, August 29! Science Fun is coming to Sanford Creek! If you have not paid for the field trips yet, please do so before Friday.***

Please look in your child’s Tuesday Folder this week for 1st Quarter Interims and BOG (Beginning of Grade) test results. Please remember the interims are based on what we have covered so far this quarter.

**Contact Information!**

* Go to <http://vaughansc.wikispaces.com/home>to access my weekly newsletter, homework, class schedule, websites, and other important information.
* Please feel free to contact me anytime at **kvaughan1@wcpss.net**

## Curriculum Connections:

## Look what we are learning!

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**Upcoming Events**

* **August 26 – Interims**
* **August 28 – Boosterthon Fun Run**
* **September 1 – Labor Day Holiday**

**Curriculum Connections:**

**Look What We Are Learning!**

* **Math**: 3.G.1 Geometry
* **Reading:** RL3.3 Character Study

  **Writing**: W3.3a Personal Narratives

* **Science**: 3P.2 Changes