The Star Report

August 6, 2013

Ms. Vaughan’s Third Grade Team

Together Everyone Achieves More

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**Great news! Our class earned their Bronze Wings for SOARing in the halls and during specials!**

**Please remember to return the field trip permission forms and money prior to track out! Also, please complete the Locator Cards and return ASAP. Thank you!**

*In reading this week, students will continue to practice asking and answering questions before, during, and after reading to show understanding of the text. In math, we are studying geometry and learning about the properties of quadrilaterals. We are starting our first science unit on Changes. Students will be conducting several investigations to learn about the states of matter.*

**Please look in your child’s Homework Folder for information on their Social Studies Museum Project. Projects are due on September 20th.**

***From Dr. Council:***

**Lunch and Recess -** We welcome parents to eat lunch with their child during their lunch period and we encourage you to sit at the reserved table to enjoy your time together.  Once lunch is over, we ask parents and students to say good-bye at the cafeteria doors so students can continue with their scheduled day.

If recess is after lunch, parents are not permitted to accompany their child to recess.  It is an extreme liability for teachers to monitor students while on the playground.  We wish to ensure the highest level of safety and security for the students in such a large area by only allowing students on the playground during recess.

**Volunteers** - We need and encourage parents' and community volunteers to help and participate in the school. We appreciate the valuable role parents and volunteers have in the success of each school.  Please check with the teachers for specific times when special projects or instructional situations could benefit from your help. Teachers would like to construct schedules (dates and times) when they can count on parent participation.

***Please!*** **Parents should not bring younger siblings to school when volunteering or tutoring among our students within the school environment...younger siblings and students are not permitted in the teacher's lounge and workroom areas.** The younger siblings require supervision and may cause distractions to regular classroom procedures. We ask parents to devote their time to assisting the teacher or the individual students they are tutoring.

**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**

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* **Math**: 3G.1 Geometry
* **Reading:** RL3.1 Ask and Answer Questions

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

* **Science**: 3P.2.3

#### Upcoming Events

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  Early Dismissal at 2:45 pm on Wednesdays

 July 16—Ident-a-kid

 July 22—Early Release at 12:30 pm

 July 24—Track Out day



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 Math — Obj. 5.01 Multiplication and Division Strategies

 Reading — Obj. 2.06 Purposes for Reading

 Writing — Obj. 4.051Ideas for Writing

 Social Studies — Obj. 1.02/1.05 Living in North America

#### August 6 – Interims go home

#### August 16 – Track out day!