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Ms. Vaughan’s Third Grade Team

November 6, 2012

Together Everyone Achieves More

Quarter 2, Issue 6

***Happy Election Day! 2 Hour Delay on Tuesday!***

***Don’t forget that Friday is our last day before Track Out! I hope everyone has a safe track out and a Happy Thanksgiving! We track back in on December 3.***

***Please continue to practice multiplication facts up to 10 x 10 with your child at home. We are continuing our Multiplication and Division Unit this week with a focus on solving word problems. Your students are learning how to be a problem solver! In writing, students are completing their book reviews on their favorite book using persuasive language. In reading, we are starting a new unit on Informational Text. Students will be able to identify text features and use them to help with their understanding of the text. Students enjoyed dissecting owl pellets and identifying the bones that they found. They were excited to take their bones home!***

**Colonial Times Museum Project! Please see the attached instructions and rubric for our Museum Project due on December 13. Students are to create a museum display that depicts an event from our Early English Settlers unit. It is a fun and creative way to review important events in the history of our country!**

*As the weather turns cooler, please make sure that your child dresses appropriately for outdoor recess!*

**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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#### 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

* **Math**: 3.OA.3 Solving Word Problems
* **Reading:** RI.3.5 Text Features of Informational Text

  **Writing**: W3.1 Opinion Writing

* **Science:** 3L.1 Human Body—Looking at our Joints

#### November 7: In-House Field Trip

#### November 9: Track Out Day!

#### November 30: Barnes & Noble Night