



Hola Amigos! February has been a very busy month for Lohr Elementary. To start the month, Lohr welcomed five Kohl's employees as volunteers as part of the Kohl's Cares program. These gracious ladies spent their morning of February 6th reading to students, assisting in classrooms, creating crafts for our family night, and filling snack sacks.



*Hannah Kessel and Jeremy Desiato work with our Kohl's Volunteers as Mrs. Frase's class listens to a story.*



To continue our literacy work in February, Lohr students and families were invited to the Learning is a Fiesta Family Night that accompanied the Scholastic Book Fair. Our Fiesta theme offered nachos and cheese, cinnamon cookies (sponsored by the Lohr PTO), Mexican Hat Dance lessons with Mrs. Wendt, Story Telling by Mr. Ryan, Perry's Ass't Superintendent, piñata making, Fraction Fajitas and Mexican Jumping Bean patterns. It was a fabulous evening filled with literacy and math activities, ideas, prizes from the piñata and of course pictures with Jasper our Burrow. We had a tremendous turn out...over 140 students! Thank you to the students and families that participated and to all the teachers that put in time and energy to make this evening a success.



## **KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION**

Mark your calendars! Thursday, April 13, 2014 is Lohr Elementary's Kindergarten Registration. It will be held at Lohr School 4-7pm and requires the child's birth certificate, social security card, shot records, and 2 proofs of residency. The parent also is required to bring a legal drivers license and custody papers (if applicable). All paper-work is available on line through the Perry

Local website if you are interested in completing the forms prior to registration day. Please bring all required items with you when registering your Kindergarten student. Please note, Perry Local requires that all Kindergarten students need to be 5 years of age by August 1st in order to enroll. We are looking forward to meeting you at registration!

## **DATES TO DOCUMENT**

### **March**

- March 3-** After School Achievement Adventure Math (OAA AA) 3:30-4:45
- March 4-** After School Achievement Adventure Reading (OAA AA) 3:30-4:45
- March 7-** Spirit Shop
- March 11-** OAA AA Math 3:30-4:45
- March 12-** OAA AA Reading 3:30-4:45
- March 14-** Popcorn Boys Night Out 6:30
- March 18-** OAA AA Math 3:30-4:45
- March 19-** OAA AA Reading 3:30-4:45
- March 21-** Spirit Shop
- April 4-** All School Picture Princess Ball

*Kariane Elson won \$25 worth of free books at our Book Fair. Her name was drawn as a participant at our Feb. 25th Literacy is a Fiesta Family Fun Night.*

# OHIO ACHIEVEMENT ASSESSMENT

3rd and 4th grade students will be taking the Ohio Achievement Assessment for Reading and Math on the following dates.

- 4th Grade Reading: April 29
- 4th Grade Math: May 6
- 3rd Grade Reading: May 1
- 3rd Grade Math: May 8

We encourage you to plan accordingly and limit all vacation days, doctors and dentist appointments on these days.

*Spring Break is scheduled from March 24-28. School will resume on March 31st.*



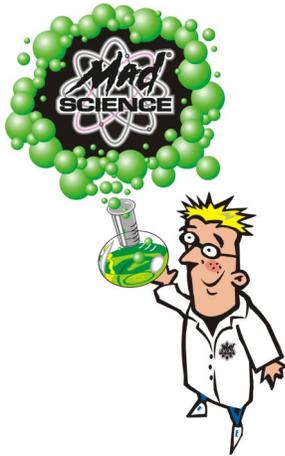
Happy St. Patrick's Day

## LUNCHROOM NEWS

We had a short week for our Valentine's contest because of the Winter and a snow day, so we announced our winners on Monday February 10th. Guessing 123 the amount of suckers in the container was Ocean Wheeler (Mrs. Edgein's class ) and James Sutherland (Mrs. Williamson's class.) Congrats to both our winners. They received a really nice goody bag and had their picture taken. Each child at Lohr received a sucker with their lunch. Thank you goes to the teachers for helping with this project. Our next and last contest for this school year will be at Easter. HAPPY SPRING EVERYONE !!! It will be great to see the grass again.

Happy Spring,

Pat, Darlene, Gina and Rose



We are very fortunate to hold another round of Mad Scientists in our buildings this spring. Starting on March 4th, registered students will be participating in the Mad Science after school program. It offers hands-on activities and real word discussions making learning about science fun for kids.

The interactive, one-hour after school science programs are themed around particular areas of science and include such topics as rocketry, magnets, polymers, and even the science of toys.



## COUNSELOR'S CORNER

March's Guidance topic is Tolerance. All students in grades K-4 will have a lesson on accepting individual differences.

- Kindergarten** will read and discuss the book, "I Accept You As You Are".
- First grade** will read and discuss the book, "It's Okay to be Different".
- Second grade** will view and discuss the video, "The Unforgettable Pen Pal."
- Third grade** will view "Putting Yourself in Someone Else's Shoes".
- Fourth grade** will view and discuss the video, "Planting the Seeds of

Students groove to the Mexican Hat Dance as Mrs. Wendt instructs during our Family Night Fiesta.

