

Kindergarten Highlights

Mendon Elementary – Mrs. Avoletta – Feb. 17, 2012

Dear Families,

The highlight of our week was a very nice Valentines Party on Tuesday afternoon. Thanks to Mrs. Howell, Mr. & Mrs. McGlaughlin, and Mrs. Weiman for providing refreshments and hosting the party. The children had really cute boxes to hold their valentines! They enjoyed delivering the valentines and especially getting to open them and read them at the party. Also, thank you to Mrs. McMillen and Mr. & Mrs. Hoing for providing special snacks and craft items for our class during the week.

This week we studied the letter **X**, and the sight word **for**. We have been learning about President Abraham Lincoln and George Washington. In Math we will be working on counting money, pennies, nickels and dimes, for the next couple weeks. At story time we have been listening to a number of books checked out from the Four Star Public Library that have been nominated for a special award. Children will get to vote on their favorite story, to help select the winning book!

Reading Homework for this weekend is a little different. Your child has brought home a book about George Washington or Abraham Lincoln. **Please read the book aloud to your child.** Afterwards ask your child to tell you an important fact about that president. We will write about it on Tuesday.

The **Read for Success** forms, to earn a free ticket to Six Flags are due on Friday, Feb. 24. Also, Mrs. Marcia Cornwell will be filling in for me as Kindergarten teacher next Friday, as I accompany my daughter on a College visit. Due to the short week next week, I will not be sending home a newsletter.

Reminders:

- Please return library books by Tuesday, Feb. 21st.
- Feb. 20th – No School. President's Day.

Enjoy the long weekend!

