

The Strohfus Star

Mrs. Strohfus 2nd Grade Newsletter - 10/13/11

Calling All Families !

Upcoming Dates

October 14th

PICTURE DAY!

BOX TOPS are due!

October 21st

Fall Festival

3:45-6:00pm

Volunteers are needed!

October 28th and 31st

NO SCHOOL!

Don't Forget: Please send
\$10 participation fee for
Enrichment Day!

There are a limited number of scholarships
available.



Please visit our classroom website! You
can access school year calendars, lunch
menus, newsletters, and most other
important documents there.

Visit: <http://msstrohfus.weebly.com/>

*Thank
you*

Fernandina Garcia, Erick's
mother, for putting together our
Thursday Folders each week! It
is such a huge help!

**Please sign up for a
time!**

**Conferences are:
October 25th and 26th.**

Spelling: Next week's spelling words are printed on the back to save paper.

Math: We are working on identifying number patterns by figuring out "What's My Rule?" Also, we will start to divide things into equal groups to lay a foundation for multiplication and division later this year. Your child can practice math facts at home by visiting our Second Grade Website at: <http://edison2ndgrade.weebly.com/> and going to Links to Learning and then on to Accelerated Reader (AR) Progress, where your child will be able to login using his/her AR Login.

Writing: This week we were working on personal narratives about Sleepovers. Next we will begin learning about how to write an informational paragraph and we will start by writing about seeds. We will hear a story called, Flip, Float, Fly Seeds On The Move, written by JoAnn Early Macken, to learn about how seeds travel.

Reading: In reading, we have been learning about comparing and contrasting, where we talk about the likenesses and differences between two stories or characters. This week we read Henry and Mudge Starry Night and we worked to identify likenesses and differences between the two characters. We have also been learning about how asking questions as we read can help us understand what we are reading.

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO FILL UP
WATER BALLOONS.**

Also, we still need **large** bags of candy; this candy will be used as prizes.

Last year, we made almost \$300 that was used to pay for field trips, in-class programs, supplies, and class celebrations.

Please contact me with any questions at michelle_strohfus@dpsk12.org.

