

# Jr. Seahawk Newsletter

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## Upcoming Events

Jan. 17:

No School, Martin Luther King Holiday

Jan 28:

No School, (day between semesters)

Feb 2:

Early Dismissal, 1:15

Feb 21 - 25:

**NO SCHOOL**  
Mid-Winter Break

Daisy, Siobhan, Charlie,  
and Jake

Room 21, Grade 4

Happy New Year! In class we are still learning about decimals. Soon we will start a science unit about electricity. None of us (Daisy, Siobhan, Jake) has a New Year's Resolution, except for Charlie, which is to be more awesome.

Why are fish so good at science? They spend all of their time in schools!

## Extras inside:

- New Year's Resolutions!
- Great Jokes and Riddles!

Rene and Chloe  
Room 1, Grades 3, 4 & 5

We have a talking globe. We have an ancient Greek city.

Rene likes reading. Chloe likes to write stories.

In our class we are going to do science. We're learning about circuits and pathways.

What dance steps can cows do on the moon?



The moooo...n walk.

Sandy and Mila  
Room 13, Grade 2

Sandy: I went tubing with my dad, uncle, my three cousins, my sister, and me. It was fun!

Mila: I went ice skating.

Our class New Year's Resolutions: We want to read more and learn more. Our teacher's resolution is to eat more vegetables.

What kind of paper to mosquitoes like? Scratch paper!

Shea  
Room 15, Grade 1

I went to the Museum of Flight for Free 1st Thursday. I saw planes. I saw the earth. I saw the Space Shuttle. I shopped in the Gift Shop. We are learning to tell time to the quarter hour.

What did the pig say to the pen?

Eat a frog.



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*News from the classroom.....*

**Steph and Ruby  
Room 25, Grade 4**

In class we are doing vocabulary studies. We are learning words like apt, pilfer, and waver. It is fun. We are reading a book called A Long Way From Chicago by Richard Peck. It is a good book. We are excited about the Global Reading Challenge. Steph has read Alvin Ho, Calvin Coconut, Riding Freedom, and George's Secret Key to the Universe. Ruby has read Riding Freedom, Calvin Coconut, and is working on George's Secret Key to the Universe.

Steph's birthday is the 16th! She is going to Great Wolf Lodge with her family. It will be her first time. She is staying in a Wolf Den Suite. It will be fun.

When Nina Laden came, she was fun. She read one of her books called Romeow and Drooliet. It was a good book. She taught us how to draw dogs. Steph liked Ruby's and Ruby liked Steph's. Steph's dog was named T-bone the Coach. Ruby's dog was named Paris.

What is black, white, and pink all over?  
An embarrassed zebra!

**Nafiso and Ptolemy  
Room 10, Grade 2**

We are reading a lot in class, and we have a lot of reading strategies, and our newest reading strategy is visualize. Our teacher's New Year's Resolution is to make it to school by 8:00 A.M.

We walk to math class. Nafiso goes to Mrs. Feagan. Ptolemy stays at Mr. Fisk's class. We are writing word webs in writing.

What did the chewing gum say to the shoe?  
I'm stuck on you!

**Yadira and Hannah  
Room 12, Grade 3**

Hannah: My Christmas was good, and I got nice toys, and my New Year's Resolution is to watch less TV. Before break we made fantasy stories, and mine was about a gingerbread man.

We are starting to do comments on our blogs. We are starting to learn geometry.

What do you call a fossil that doesn't ever want to work?  
Lazy bones!

*Nina Laden speaks at Arbor Heights!*

**Kyra and Audrey  
Room 9, Grade 3**

In class we are working on decimals and segments, like line segments, rays, and lines.

Audrey got a house puzzle for Christmas and went to see Santa. Kyra got bongos for Christmas.

What comes from outer space and leads a parade?

A Martian band!

