

January 20-23, 2009



Glacier View Classroom News

From The Office

Welcome back to the start of year 2009! We hope you had a terrific break and we are looking forward to getting the second quarter started off with a bang! If you notice, the PTA has decorated the school with a Hawaiian theme as we are all craving the sun! Thank you PTA for all the dedication to our students and staff.

On another note, we will be administering the MAP assessment again this month to all students in grades 3-5 and some students at grades 6-12. For grades 3-5, his assessment will be conducted the week of Dec. 20-23. For the others, it will be announced. There is no preparation for this assessment!

Another assessment

given this month will be the NAEP for all 4th and 8th graders scheduled for Feb. 2. Please call if you have any questions.

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Calendar of Event

- Mat-Su Music Festival January 27-28.
- Family Fun potluck January 22, 5:00 pm Mexican theme.
- Community Council meeting January 28, @ 6:00 pm
- Progress Reports February 4, 2009
- No School February 16-17, 2009
- Parent Teacher Conferences February 16, 2009 .
- February 27, 2009 Glacier View Olympics.

Buzz Around the School

Mexican potluck

January 22, 2009 at 5:00 pm. Plates and silverware will be provided by PTA. Games with families going head to head and scavenger hunt will follow. Door prizes and prizes for the winning Families

Spirit week winners were the 3-5 class, who celebrated with ice cream Party on Friday. Students spent the last hour of school playing games relay games hosted by PTA. Everyone had a good time. Thank you PTA.

8th Grade Travel class

Will meet January 22, 2009 from 3-5:00 pm at the school with Mr. Owen.

Mrs. Talcott

4-5 Math

T-F: Lessons 69-70, Investigation & Test 13

If the lesson isn't completed in class, students will bring it home.

Reading 5: Book Unit: *Hatchet*, Gary Paulsen Students will write the part of speech, synonym, and sentence for each vocabulary word. Chapter questions will be assigned daily.

T: *Hatchet* test 1-9

W: *Hatchet* ch. 10

Vocabulary: eddied, dormant

TH: *Hatchet* ch. 11

Vocabulary: gnarled, banked

F: *Hatchet* ch. 12-13

Vocabulary: funk, smol-

der, refracts, exulted

3-5 SRA Spelling: Daily Lessons

3-5 US: The Middle Colonies

T: Ben Franklin's Philadelphia p. 250-252

Homework: worksheet 63 & 65

W: Review and Test Ch. 9

TH: Ch. 10 Southern Colonies p. 259-260

Homework: worksheet 67

F: The Founding of the Southern Colonies p. 261-263

Homework: worksheet 68

MAP Testing this week!



3-5 Writing: Compound Sentences Ice Fishing Narrative

3-5 Science: Topographic & aerial maps of Grand Canyon and Death Valley. Create a map using a grid.

3rd Grade

Week of Jan. 20-23

3rd Grade Math

Writing numbers to 1000 using words
Adding and subtracting multiples to 100
Multiplication Facts: 2's, 4's, 7's
Solving Problems: Looking for a pattern,
Drawing a picture
Making a table

3rd Grade Reading / Language Arts:

Reading Mastery Lessons 88-91

Lessons not completed in class become homework and are due the next day.

Fundamentals in Sentence Writing:

Infinitives

Preposition

Writing sentences with

Subject (S) and Verb (V) SV

2 Subjects and a Verb (V) SSV

Subject and 2 Verbs SVV



Ms. Berkley

Saxon Courses 1 and 2

Monday: No School

Tuesday: Lesson 62

Wednesday: Lesson 63

Thursday: Lesson 64

Friday: Lesson 65

Classic Literature

Monday: No School

Tuesday: Vocab collection and novels

Wednesday-Friday: Modern English - satire, irony, Jonathan Swift

6-8 Reading and Writing

Monday: No School

Tuesday: Vocab collection and novels

Wednesday-Friday: *Sabriel* and the continuation of sentence writing strategy.

Home Ec.

Tuesday, Thursday: Piñatas.

Media Technology

Wednesday, Friday: HTML

Deutche Klasse

am Dienstag zum Freitag: Lehre Ein.



Mr. Owen

Introduction to Algebra:

Monday:

Tuesday: Test # 12

Wednesday: Assign lesson 66

Thursday: Assign lesson 67

Friday: Assign lesson 68, due Tuesday

World History:

Monday:

Tuesday: Assign section 3, pages 160-164 and do all section review; due Thurs.

Wednesday: Vespasian dvd

Thursday: Lecture

Friday: Assign section 4 and do all section review

United States History 6-8:

Monday:

Tuesday: Assign chap 10 sec 3 and do all section review; due Wed.

Wednesday: Chapter 10 review

Thursday: Chapter 10 test

Friday: Assign chapter 11, sec 1; due Tues.

Music: grades 6-12

Monday: Band

Tuesday: Choir

Wednesday: Band

Thursday: Choir

Friday: Band

MUSIC PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Jan, 27 & 28, 2009 – Borough Honor Festival

April 16-18, 2007 – Region 2 Festival at ACS in Anchorage

May 7, 2009 – “Spring Music Program”

Mr. Morgan

Math

Algebra I – Investigation, 61,62

Geometry - Investigation, 61,62

Collaborative Test Friday

Junior High Science

Chapter 6

Sections 1-2

High School Physical Science

Chapter 10 Survey

Technology I

Photography

Assignment 4 - Portfolio Development

Class Work - Digital Darkroom

Industrial Arts

Individual Projects

Library News

OVERDUE LIBRARY

BOOKS

Falling Up (lost)

Soldier X (lost)(2)

War of the Worlds

George Washington, Spymaster

Against the Odds

Japanese Made Easy

I Stay Near You

The Stranger

Cry of the Icemark

The Sea of Trolls

The Amulet of Samarkand

Tale of Despereaux

The Blue Ghost

Ragweed



Keep looking for these books at home!

Thank You,

GVS Librarian

Mary

PARENT/GUARDIAN NOTIFICATION LETTER

NAEP 2009

Glacier View School

29170 West Glenn Highway

Sutton, Alaska 99674

(907) 745-5122

Dear Parent or Guardian:

We are pleased to tell you that our school has been selected to represent schools across our state and nation by participating in the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP). NAEP is given by the U.S. Department of Education and tells us what American students know and can do in key subject areas. It is the only ongoing nationally representative assessment that provides this valuable information.

NAEP has been given in schools for nearly 40 years. You may have taken the assessment yourself when you were in school. The results are published in a report called *The Nation's Report Card* which provides reliable student achievement information to educators, parents, and other citizens.

In our school, the NAEP assessment will be given on **February 2, 2009** in reading, mathematics, or science. Your child **has been** selected to take the assessment.

It will take approximately 70 minutes for students to complete NAEP. The results are completely confidential, and your child's grades will not be affected. Your child may be excused from participation for any reason, is not required to finish the assessment, and may omit any test question. While NAEP is voluntary, we depend on student participation to collect information on student achievement that will inform improvements in education. **Your child will represent many other students, so participation is very important.** However, if you do not want your child to participate, please notify me in writing by **January 30, 2009**.

There is no need to study in preparation for NAEP. We do ask parents to encourage their children's best efforts and to have them get plenty of rest the night before the assessment.

If you would like to have additional information about NAEP, please visit the web site at:

<http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard>. If you have questions or would like to review a booklet that includes sample assessment questions, please contact me at **(907) 745-5122**.

We are excited that our school will be participating in NAEP, and we are pleased that your child **has been** selected. **We know that Glacier View's students will help us to show what American students know and can do!**

Sincerely,

Wendy J Taylor

School Principal