Books We Read Together
\*What Does Everybody
Need? (Ms. E)
\*A Grand Old Tree
\*The Pine Tree (vocab)
\*Elmer \*Elmer and Wilbur
\*Is It an Earthquake?
\*\*\*small group books for Mr. R
about farming around the world.

\*Sight words: or, he, with We are on list 3 now, review all weekly. Thank you!

## Upcoming Dates

\* Tonight! Dairy Queen Night-Jan.24th 5-8pm to benefit the PTA

\*PTA meeting is Jan. 28th at 6pm Please join our PTA in helping our Wonderful school!

\*Trivia Night at Brightside Ale on January 31st.

\*One of our student leadership groups is collecting canned food items next Friday January 31st! It is a superbowl themed collection so let's score a touchdown for helping others! If you are able to donate all proceeds will go to the Caring Hands food bank in town.

Happy Half-birthday to Harper on January 19th! We celebrated on Wednesday with her!





Happy 6th Birthday to Joey on January 20th! We celebrated on Tuesday with Joey!

## Kindergarten News

Mrs. Dangel's Class January 24th, 2020 Michelle.Dangel@southeastpolk.org

Dear Parents,

We had a great lesson during our RAMS time this week about Dr. Martin Luther King. The kids were shocked to hear how things used to be in our country and were thankful to be in a school where everyone can learn together! They talked about ways to help others and show that we can be kind like he taught us. On Wednesday the kids then wrote an idea to share kindness.

On Friday we finally got to have Mr. Ballagh teach us his 'Book and Build' lesson for science! He read us a story about an architect and then challenged us to build a long, strong, and sturdy bridge together as a team. Then we tested the bridge with a water bottle. All 5 bridges beat the test and some could have held more water bottles! Look for the pictures on our website.

We worked on breaking numbers apart all week with many different activities. We will play a game on Monday and then see how the kids do with this skill. Ask your child to show you ways to break about the number 8 into 2 groups.

## Mr. R raises Rainbow Ribbons

\* We practiced opinion writing with 2 reasons when we wrote about Mr. R in our journals. We learned about the 'bossy r' changing the vowels sound in words. We made a remarkable puzzle on Friday with r words.

Raising Canes has given us another chance to win a free chicken dinner! Just return homework bags with all the books read 3 times or more for 3 weeks in a row and your child will bring home a bookmark with the combo coupon!

Update-22 of 23 kids have their first week done! :)

Valentine's Day student list will be in homework bags next week. Your child can bring a card and/or treat for everyone in the class to pass out that day. We have 23 students, 3 adults.