

PRAIRIE VIEW ML

monthly newsletter

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FROM MRS. CLEMENTS



April Showers bring May and not a lot of school days left. Wow! This year has flown by. We are less than 40 days until the end of the school year and we still have so much to learn. We will finish our units in Language Studio this month and in May, we will focus more on reviewing and wrapping up what we have learned. There will be lots of field trips in classrooms coming up and the students are super excited for that too!

Love, Mrs. Clements

IMPORTANT DATES

Apr 9	Early Release
Apr 10	Gr. 4 Concert 6:00 Gr. 5 Concert 7:00
Apr 17-21	Spring Break
May 1	Gr. 1 Concert 6:00
May 2	5th Grade Bash
May 21	All School Picnic
May 22	Field Day
May 26	No School-Memorial Day
May 29	5th Gr. Graduation
May 30	Last Day of School
Jul 28-Aug 8	ML Adventures



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KINDERGARTEN

We have started working on rhyming, syllables and sight words and will continue this until the end of the year.

1ST GRADE

We will continue to practice our unit spelling words, first grade spelling patterns, and heart words.

2ND GRADE

We just started our new unit. The students will be pre-learning about slavery and the U.S. Civil War.

3RD GRADE

We started our new unit. We will be learning about the cultures and regions of Native Americans.

4TH GRADE

We will finish our unit on Contemporary Fiction and move onto learning about the Revolutionary War.

5TH GRADE

We have started our next unit. The students will be learning about the Native Americans and their history.



SUPPLIES

We are in need of supplies. If you are able to donate them, we could use some tissue boxes, clorox wipes, and glue sticks. Thank you!

HMONG PARADE

Our Hmong Parade will be on Wed. April 16th right away in the morning. A reminder slip will be sent home soon. We will be doing our parade in honor of Hmong Heritage Month and our Hmong author who will be one of our special guests for our Environmental Awareness celebration here at Prairie View. Our Hmong guest is Vong Bidania. She is the author of the chapter book series, Astrid and Apollo. These books were written to include many of her life experiences growing up as a Hmong immigrant.



HMOOB AMERICAN DAY

Please join Cia Siab and the Vang Council of La Crosse's Hmoob American Day this year. It will be on Saturday, May 17th at the Omni Center. There will be many things for your family to enjoy--shows, vendors, food, etc.

For more information about Hmoob American Day, [click here](#).

SUMMER SCHOOL

Regular summer school will be July 7-24 here at Prairie View this year. More information will be sent out soon.

ML Adventures will be from July 29-August 8. Registration forms are due April 15th.

Students with reading plans will be contacted to attend **Reading Support Summer School**, which is offered in addition to regular summer school. More information will be sent out soon for this also.

FEATURED BOOKS



B.T. Bidania is the author of the Astrid and Apollo children's chapter book series. She is a local author who immigrated to Wisconsin and grew up in St. Paul, Minnesota. In this video, she talks about her own life growing up and how it influenced her to write these books. She explains how she came up with the two characters and why she wrote the stories in these books. She will be our honorary guest author for our Environmental Awareness Day celebration.

[Click here](#) to listen to B.T. Bidania's introduction to her books.

“Where flowers bloom,
so does hope.”

- Lady Bird Johnson