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News and Information

Science – 8th grade is finishing up the year by creating a Rube Goldberg machine. They are required to complete a specific task and include at least 3 simple machines in the project. They are limited by the size of the contraption as we must be able to move it out of the way each day.

Math - We are working on high school concepts for next year. Students will be focusing on Monomials and Polynomials.

Social Studies – We are continuing to read about and discuss the end of the Civil War and the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, and Reconstruction.

Language Arts - We are finishing the class novel study of Steal Away Home. We are also about to wrap up Animal Farm as a read-aloud. We will watch the movie next week, and compare it to the book.

Final Novel – The 10th novel for the year is due this Thursday, May 6th. Please check with your child and encourage them to be reading, if they are not finished.

Library Books – All library books are due next week.

Cue Party – We will try to have our final cue in the 2nd week of May. More information will be sent home closer to the time for the trip.

Banquet – 8th-grade banquet will be Tuesday, May 10th at 6:00 pm.

Sports Banquet – The annual sports banquet will be next Tuesday, May 12th.

Silver Dollar City – Our 8th grade trip to Silver Dollar City will be next Friday, May 13th. Students need to be at the school no later than 6:30 am that morning.

Graduation – 8th Grade graduation will be Monday, May 16th at Harrison Auditorium at 6:00 pm.

Schedules – Mr. Leake will be by sometime soon to give the 8th graders their freshman schedules.