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Monthly Look Back

So it wasn't until today that I finally realized it's actually April and I hadn't sent out a newsletter. I apologize for the timeliness this month. It seems like March was hands down the fastest, slow month of the year (if that makes any sense). It seemed like a drawn out month while it happened, but when I look back on it, it all seems like a fast blur. We had a busy month and did a lot of new things. At the beginning of the month we took a fun trip to the Finger Lakes Boating Museum in Hammondsport. The kids had a blast! Even cooler, we brought in a mobile planetarium a couple weeks later and we had some great discoveries. We've had a couple small "rough patches" but the class has shown great reliance and is gearing up to finish the year strong!

Mr. Baker

Swimming Season in P.E.

I've been very proud of the way our class has been behaving in the locker rooms during P.E. The swimming unit began a couple of weeks ago and will last until around the first of May. We had a good discussion in class about proper locker room etiquette. So far, we have had no issues here. The kids really seem to enjoy the unit. Another second grade teacher and I went and watched on day and the kids were quite attentive. Reminder we swim on B and D days, so please make sure the kids have their suit on the correct day.

Instagram Account

Many of you continue to follow our Instagram account. The kids love when their images and pictures being share. I hope it's become a better tool of staying updating more regularly. If you're not on there yet, check it out and join the fun!

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Topics Covered:

Math: We have entered world the of arrays (multiplication). This is a small intro before 3rd arade and the kids love it! CKLA: We are currently working our way through a story about a young college girl and her little brother looking for a part time summer job. We are learning perspective and how • characters see a story differently.

S.S.: We began a unit on Greek Mythology past month and the kids have enjoyed reading about Zeus and Hercules. Science: The mealworms and beetles are gone and we are now learning more about solids and liquids and the properties than make them unique. Spelling: Our spelling continues to line up with our CKLA work and lessons in class. Please ' make sure your child is practicing their words at home.

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Hopefully you've been receiving my School Messenger updates.