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**Rotary Club Essay Winners**

 I am proud to announce that the 4th grade Rotary Club Essay winners are Roxana Santos-Perez and Autumn Kermmoade. They will be able to invite a family member to a special luncheon, receive a 4-way test medallion, receive a gift certificate to a book store, and receive a book that has all of the essays from the winners of this year’s contest.

Spring is in the Air

 As spring approaches please revisit the Cherrelyn dress code. District has strict guidelines for what is considered appropriate attire for both male and female students. Please be aware that there is a **no makeup rule** at Cherrelyn. If your child arrives with makeup on, she will be asked to remove it. Thank you for your support.

**What’s going on in our class:**

**Reading:**

We are studying the story elements of Greek mythology. Students are analyzing the myths by using the 5 W’s and 1 H then writing a summary using that information. They will also be comparing and contrasting different myths to each other as well as the difference versions of same myth.

**Writing:**

Students are researching natural phenomena to write their own explanation myth about it.

**Math:**

We will be finishing up Unit 5 soon and moving into Unit 6, which will focus on multiplication and division strategies.

**Science:**

Students are researching a planet and will be writing a research project about it. They will be tying it into Greek mythology by researching the Greek name of their planet and how it got that name.

**Thank you all for your support during conferences!**

I was able to meet with almost all families and it was a delight to share your child’s successes with you as well as address concerns that you or I had. Please feel free to keep the lines of communication open. I can be reached at: 303-806-2516x1203 or jayne\_coleman@engschools.net

Email is the best way to get a hold of me, as my phone does not always light up to notify me of a message.

**Important Dates:**

**3/5 6:30:** School Board Meeting

**3/10 5:30:** PTSO meeting

**3/11 6:00:** Movie Night

**3/15 8:00-8:20:** Awards Assembly; You will be notified if your child is receiving an award. Please check your child’s Friday Folder.

**3/21-3/25 Spring Break:** No school

**4/4 No school:** Professional Development for teachers

**4/5-4/8 PARRC Testing**

**4th Grade News**

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