

Navigator News



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Fourth Grade Math We have finished working on measuring area and perimeter and using formulas to find measurements of quadrilaterals. Our next focus will be on fractions and learning to use percents.	Third Grade Math We have just completed our unit on measurement and are getting to study probability. Always work on multiplication facts!
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Expedition/Literacy:

We continue to immerse ourselves in Spokane history! Navigators have been busy reading and extracting important information about people in Spokane's history. Students are working hard through the writing process to synthesize all we have learned to create newspapers. Reflecting on past fieldwork and guest speakers, we are focusing on organization, word choice, and voice in the creation of this final product. We will also be using the revision process and the computer lab to complete an authentic newspaper.

Community Time and Service Project

WOW!!! The Navigators raised **\$2750.86** for Hutton Settlement! Way to go Navigators! Great job running, jumping, and working to give back to the community.

Field Work

Please be aware that when we schedule fieldwork, the number of chaperones we are able to take along varies with each destination. If you are interested in joining us, please talk to your student's teacher *in advance* to find out how many parents can be accommodated.

Upcoming Events:

- May 11—Class and individual pictures--Amend/McElgunn/Olson
- May 12—Class and individual pictures—Honn
- May 12—Field Work at the Davenport Hotel
- May 13—Early Release for Teacher Collaboration
- May 25—Memorial Day—No School
- May 28---Culminating Event for *Spokane: Rags to Riches* 6:00-7:15 pm