



# PARIS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2019

## *Where's Parry?*

Congratulations to Caleb F. in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade! He discovered Parry hiding by the TV in the Library. Be sure to be on the lookout for Parry's next hiding spot.



## **Counselor Connection**

In February, students will be finishing up the "Choose Love Program" by learning about compassion and how to put it into action. Kindergarten will learn the three steps to help them solve a problem: Breathe, Think, Do. Have a great month!

**Ms. Thomas**  
School Counselor



## **Class of the Month Spotlight**

### **5th Grade**

Fifth grade has been working hard since we returned from break! In math, we have been focusing on fractions and decimals. Our class just learned how to do long division with decimals, and they are naturals at it! I am excited about the opportunity that we had to have a "Friendship Week." During our weeklong study of friendship topics such as respect, inclusion, loyalty and teamwork, the fifth graders developed a presentation with fellow classmates. I was so impressed by their hard work on these projects, and how they have applied what they learned to being great friends to each other. We recently took a break from our Journey's curriculum to read "The City of Ember" by Jeanne DuPrau. To culminate this unit, fifth graders created their own project, either a museum, game or brochure-to show case their knowledge of the book. Some of the projects even had battery-powered lights!

We displayed these projects in the hallway, and students in third and fourth grade loved seeing our creations! We are eagerly anticipating the start of our new Project Lead the Way science curriculum, and are extremely grateful for the help of many parent volunteers who have made this possible. Lastly, the month of February serves as a great reminder to spread kindness throughout our classroom and school as Valentine's Day approaches!

## **DO YOU KNOW THIS STAFF PERSON?**

1. I grew up in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.
2. I enjoy reading and camping.
3. I went to Carroll College and UW-La Crosse.
4. My dog's name is Penny.
5. I work at three other schools beside Paris.  
However, Paris is my favorite school ☺



**Answer:** Ms. Kozlowski  
School Psychologist

# GET READY FOR OODLES OF NOODLES: SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 2019!



Be a part of the  
FUN and the YUM!

- ♥ **HELP PLAN SPAGHETTI SUPPER 2019**
- ♥ **DONATE TO OUR DINNER OR AUCTIONS**
- ♥ **BAKE DESSERTS TO SERVE OUR GUESTS**
- ♥ **SELL TICKETS TO FAMILY & FRIENDS**
- ♥ **VOLUNTEER ON EVENT EVENING**
- ♥ **ATTEND SPAGHETTI SUPPER 2019!**

- **PARIS SCHOOL FAMILIES** are the most important ingredient for continued Spaghetti Supper Fundraising Event success! Your participation will help us welcome more than 1,000 guests for this exciting evening of food & fun with family, friends, & neighbors.
- Look for your family's event information packet and pre-sale tickets to come home soon—then choose from many ways to support our event!
- Please contact **Beth LaBell** at (262) 515-3175 or [label15@yahoo.com](mailto:label15@yahoo.com) for event details or to donate!



ON TOP OF **OUR** SPAGHETTI IS SAUCE BY



## LITERACY UNIT 2019: MEDIEVAL TIMES

The Paris School Organization is proud to sponsor the K-8 curricular and educational experiences for Paris School's upcoming Medieval Times exploration unit March 4-15, 2019!



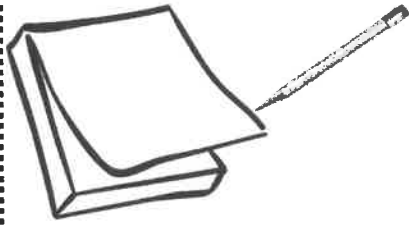
The Paris School Organization thanks Dairy Queen-Union Grove for helping to make our recent all-school Panther Prowl Dilly Bar Day a delectable success!





# Literacy Corner

February 2019



## Writer's Club Update

We are looking forward to our first Writer's Club workshops to start next week Tuesday, February 5<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, February 6<sup>th</sup>. The stories are looking great and ready for final edits and illustrations! A big "Thank You" to the classroom teachers for getting us this far on our books!

The Writer's Club schedule is also on the school calendar for February. We will meet every Tuesday and Wednesday this month, and we will have our Saturday workshop on February the 16<sup>th</sup>. We can't wait to see all the stories come to life!



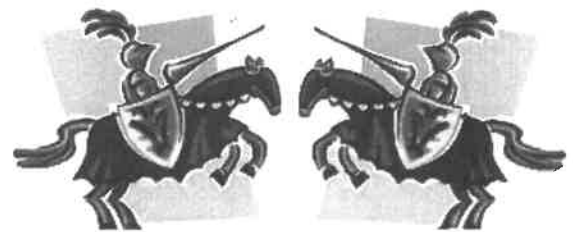
## Exploration Unit- 2019

### Journey to Medieval Times



Plans for our exploration unit into Medieval Times are underway. We will depart on our expedition on March 4<sup>th</sup>. We are finalizing plans that will make our study meaningful and memorable for all of our students. If you have any insight or contacts about the medieval era, please contact the school.

Together we will make this a great journey for our kids! Look for exciting details to come home soon!



## Forensics Team



Students in grades 6-8 who are interested in public speaking and acting will get an opportunity to be on the Forensic team. It is a great way to use your creative talents and build your public speaking skills. We will have time to practice during school with very little after-school obligations. Look for more information to come home soon about the Forensics Team! Mrs. Berce is excited to join the team .

## MAP TESTING

Students in grades K-8 will be taking their Measurement of Academic Progress (MAP) in the next couple of weeks. The results will be used to guide assessment and ensure that each student is making progress in the areas of Reading and Math. Results of individual student performances will be discussed at conferences or sent directly home. Please feel to contact the school with any questions about MAP.

