



# 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Newsletter

Ms. Kaylene

March 8-12, 2010

Ms. Stephanie

CCA Vision Statement: "Using Biblical principles to produce excellence in every area of life."

*Congratulations to all of our 3<sup>rd</sup> graders for working so hard to memorize their selections for the Speech Meet. It must have been so difficult for the judges to choose the winners in each category! The following students will be our representatives in the District ACSI Speech Meet on March 11<sup>th</sup>:*

Ms. Kaylene's Class Caleb Brana (fable) Daniella Salinas (poetry) Lauren Hutcherson (Bible memory)

Ms. Stephanie's Class Ceci Vail (fable) Ross Arroyo (poetry) Andre Hamoy (Bible memory)

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS/REMINDERS:

- **Photos needed:** If you have any pictures that you have taken throughout the school year of our classes, please bring them in to your child's teacher. Thank you!!
- **GALA:** Our Gala, themed *Under the Savannah Moon*, is March 26<sup>th</sup> in Ms. Cheri's gym. CCA is asking each family to donate \$50 or an item valued at \$50. Should you decide to donate \$50, the money will be combined to purchase items to be included in the silent auction.
- **Science Fair:** It is time to choose an experiment for the CCA Science Fair. This year 3<sup>rd</sup> graders will be conducting experiments using the steps of the Scientific Method for their projects. Your child's topic in the form of a question is due on Tuesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. An information packet was sent home on Friday. Also, please click on "Science Fair Handbook" under CCA News @ [www.ccamcallen.com](http://www.ccamcallen.com) The CCA Science Fair is on April 9<sup>th</sup>.
- **Multiplication Flash Cards online-** Check out this website recommended by Daniella's mom for extra practice [www.factmonster.com/mathmoney.html](http://www.factmonster.com/mathmoney.html)
- **AR NEWS: Congratulations** for earning your **30 AR points** and the privilege of wearing his/her AR cap on AR t-shirt Tuesdays: **Glenn Martinez**
  - **Students may wear their AR T-shirts this Tuesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>.**
  - **The children will not be able to return/exchange books during the school day this week due to testing. The library will be open after school until 4:15p.m. through Thursday. Please sign your child's agenda to give him/her permission to go to the library after school.**

## THIS WEEK'S ACADEMICS:

**Bible:** Lessons 22 & 23 Joseph's brothers return to Egypt  
**Memory work:** Memorizing the books of the Old Testament (Proverbs - Zechariah)  
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**Math:** **TEST ON Wednesday** (Ms. Kaylene)

**Spelling:** **List #24 Test on Friday** (Ms. Stephanie)

poor, occasion, prince, requested, wheelchair, chili, while, glimpse, type, travel, jigsaw, maybe, auditorium, sharpen, threw, coconut, tourist, searching, thermometer, temperature, degrees  
**vocabulary:** **adequate**—sufficient enough **participate**—a sudden disaster  
**document**—written proof of something

**BONUS WORDS: Deuteronomy, Ecclesiastes, Lamentations**

**English:** Review of synonyms, antonyms, homonyms; **TEST on Tuesday**(Ms. Stephanie)

**Writing:** 6 + 1 Writing- Word Choice trait. Composition: "The Speech Meet from the Black Lagoon" (Ms. Stephanie)

**Reading:** *Charlotte's Web* vocabulary, daily comprehension & reading skills activities

**History:** Patriotic Symbols **TEST on Thursday** (Ms. Kaylene)

**Science:** Rocks & Minerals Chapter review; **TEST on Thursday** (Ms. Stephanie)

**Project RESSPECT :** Requesting (review)

## CCA News:

- Mar. 9<sup>th</sup> AR T-shirt Day
- Mar. 11<sup>th</sup> ACSI District Speech Meet @ CCA
- Mar. 12<sup>th</sup> Early release @ 12p.m.
- Mar. 15-19<sup>th</sup> Spring Break

- **Mar. 26<sup>th</sup> Gala**

Memory Work for week of March 8<sup>th</sup>:  
Old Testament Books-*Proverbs* through *Zechariah*

*Proverbs*  
*Ecclesiastes*  
*Song of Songs*  
*Isaiah*  
*Jeremiah*  
*Lamentations*  
*Ezekiel*  
*Daniel*  
*Hosea*  
*Joel*  
*Amos*  
*Obadiah*  
*Jonah*  
*Micah*  
*Nahum*  
*Habakkuk*  
*Zephaniah*  
*Haggai*  
*Zechariah*