








Cold Spring School

Wednesday Word

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October 31, 2012

Thurs., Nov. 8		10:45 a.m. ~ 11:45 a.m.	Music Van for Third Grade
Fri., Nov. 9			Parent/Teacher Conferences <i>Dismissal @ 11:30 a.m. for K 11:45 a.m.~1st-6th</i>
Mon., Nov. 12		No School	Veteran's Day Holiday! 
Tues. Nov. 13			Parent/Teacher Conferences <i>Dismissal @ 11:30 a.m. for K 11:45 a.m.~1st-6th</i>
Thurs., Nov. 15		10:20 a.m. ~ 10:50 a.m.	Art from Scrap Assembly (K-6th)
Mon., Nov. 19		6:00 p.m.	School Board Meeting 
Tues., Nov. 20		10:00 a.m.	Grandparents Day! 
Wed., Nov. 21~Fri., Nov. 23		No School	Turkey Trot Thanksgiving Holidays
Fri., Dec. 7			4th grade hikes Montecito Peak
Wed., Dec. 19		11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.	Winter Sing 
Thurs., Dec. 20		11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.	Winter Sing 
Mon., Dec. 24~ Fri., Jan. 4			Winter Break 

MESSAGE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT/PRINCIPAL:

November 9-16 there will be parent/teacher conferences at Cold Spring School. This is an opportunity for teachers to go over your student's first report card of the school year. Student progress in language arts, math, social studies, and science are discussed at this time, as well as art, music, P.E., computers, and work habits and citizenship. During conferences parents are encouraged to ask questions and find out how they can support student learning at home. Make sure you have scheduled a time to meet with your child's teacher for this very important conference!





Poetry inspired by Perie Longo

Turqualiomite

What is it? What does
 this outrageous,
 nonsensical word mean?
 Does it make even tears cry?
 If tears cried would they
 cry tears? No, they would cry
 turqualiomite instead!
 The odd thing about
 turqualiomite is that you can't
 hear, see, feel, or taste it.
 You just know it's there.
 You can sense it
 somehow
 like the way you can tell
 someone's creeping up
 behind you
 when you honestly can't
 hear, feel, or see
 them at all.
 Confusion, sorrow,
 excitement, happiness,
 curiosity, Turqualiomite,
 does it make any sense?
 Not really,
 although honestly, deep
 inside, what does?

by Isabella
Gr. 6, Mrs. Orwig & Villa

Trick or Treat

What is this crazy day?
 A mix of many things
 a pinch of trouble
 a glimpse of sweetness
 a bowl full of nonsense costumes
 a cup of moonlight to guide our way
 an explosion of candy:
 a Kit Kat, a Twix, a Lemon head,
 a Hershey's, a Red Vine, a Snickers,
 a Milky Way, a Milk Dud, a Mint,
 a Yak, a Reese's PB cup,
 Smartys, Candy Corn, a Mars bar.
 A Whopper, an Almond Joy,
 a Tootsie Roll, and a bag of
 Hot Tamales.
 Make this day delicious last.
 This day needs a name.
 I don't know.
 What about...
 Halloween!

by Maddi
Gr. 6, Mrs. Villa & Orwig

Fear

Fear lies there waiting for you
 to get scared. He feeds
 on your fear like a spider
 eating its prey. It shimmers
 in the moonlight. He blows
 through the air like a cloud.
 He passes you off
 like a tackle football player.
 This feeling does not
 give happiness to your life,
 believe me.

by Will C.
Gr. 5, Mr. Orr

Leaves on the Ground

I was born on a lava flow
 My hair is a thriving metropolis
 My force is a board game
 I live in a cluster of seaweed
 I run like a snake
 I burn a forest when I jump
 I swim with the manatees
 I have the balance of a mountain
 My stare produces lightning
 I walk with my head next to eagles
 Each leaf on the plant is a plain
 with a river running through it
 Things evaporate at my touch
 My tongue is made of ice
 I sleep with the polar bears
 under trees made of lollipops
 I step over lakes
 like sidewalk cracks
 I will die with the leaves on the ground



by Kerick
Gr. 5, Mr. Orr

All in the Sky

Witches flying on broom sticks
 all in the sky
 Goblins, ghouls playing tricks
 My mask protects me from
 falling into their tricks
 Bats flying around singing
 a cold, soul song
 I tell my friends not to worry
 Our scary, ugly and bumpy
 masks have the gift of an eagle
 soaring high above the mountains
 But when I swiftly slip on
 my mask it feels dark
 Almost cold in a way
 The miniscule holes for eyes
 and a nose
 The darkness of the mask inside
 feels compelling
 When I put it on, it evokes
 a feeling of compassion
 for the feeling of Halloween.



By Taylor
Grade 6., Mrs. Villa and Mrs. Orwig

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE
OUTSTANDING STUDENTS WHO EARNED
COMMENDATIONS THIS WEEK:

**Logan G., Madelyne H., Cole M.,
 Parker H., Macie G.,
 Elise I., Augustine W., Scarlet M., Michael F.,
 Annabelle A., Sofia G., James C.,
 Emma H., Sophia O., Samantha N., Haven L.,
 Alex S., Gabrielle I., John C., Cole M.**



Thank you, **Samantha Nestlerode**, grade 1, for
 the Birthday Book donation of Nicolas, where
 have you been? by Leo Lionni.



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- Click on "YES RENEW!"
- Enter either your phone number, email, or Club Card number

OR

Sign up

Your participation can mean hundreds of dollars for our group.

- Go to eScrip.com
- Click on "1-Sign Up"
- Enter your Club Card number

What's new!

Vons and Pavilions want to do what we can to help every child stay fit and have access to nutrition programs. So we are asking schools and groups that receive Vons or Pavilions donations to allocate 20% toward fitness and nutrition activities.

The Cold Spring School Foundation would like to thank the following families, community members, grandparents, staff and corporate sponsors for generously supporting our Fall Campaign.

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 The Casey Family
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 The Broody Phillips Family
 The Metcalfe Family
 The Carey Family
 The Covington Family
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 Ms. Janet Reid
 The David Lafond Family
 The Jason Oatis Family
 The Mitchell Thomas Family
 The Chapman Family
 Ms. Lara Wooten
 Ms. Sonja Linstrom



One man's trash is another man's treasure!! Support a local nonprofit called **Destined for Grace** by donating your gently used items to one of their three thrift store locations.



Carpinteria
5406 Carpinteria Ave
Open Mon-Sat 11-5



Santa Barbara
2830 De La Vina
Open Mon-Sat 11-6

Goleta
5960 Hollister Ave
Open Mon-Sat 10-6 and Sun 12-5

Destined for Grace currently supports 160 students at their elementary school, **Ecole Destined for Grace, in Mirebalais, Haiti**. Visit www.destinedforgrace.org to learn more.

Want to have your donations picked up? Call 805-619-0649 to schedule a pick up. We accept clothes, shoes, furniture, houseware, kitchenware and books. All donations are tax deductible.



Grandparent's Day and Turkey Trot Order Form

Bring a picnic lunch or order a lunch from us!

Item	Price	Qty	Total
Tinker's Turkey Dog with chips and drink	\$6.00	_____	_____
Silvergreens' half turkey sandwich on baguette with green salad, chips and drink	\$8.00	_____	_____
Total Due			_____

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Child's Name (if last name different than above) _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please make checks payable to: Cold Spring School Education Foundation

Order Forms Due Wednesday 14th at 3:00 – NO EXCEPTIONS
(Very limited availability of turkey dogs at \$8.00 and turkey sandwiches for \$10.00 day of event)



The Cold Spring Green Team encourages all the families to volunteer for **Montecito Beautification Day** this Saturday Nov 3rd to clean up our community. Please go to the green across from Tecolote Book Store on East Valley Rd at 9am to sign up! Refreshments will be served!



*Please join us for Grandparent's Day
and the Turkey Trot**

Tuesday November 20th at 9:00 am. to 12:15 p.m.

Featuring our technology, physical education, and music programs plus more.

Bring your own picnic lunch or pre-order a turkey dog or boxed lunch from attached order form.

Desserts hosted by the Cold Spring School Education Foundation.

*special friends also invited

