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**Valentine’s Day:**

If your child wants to bring Valentines for classmates, there are 29 students in class. It will be easiest to distribute them if your child just signs them “from Amelia” rather than “To Anna From Amelia.” This will make distribution easier. Cards and small treats can be sent to school on Tue. Feb. 14 for students’ Valentine bags.

**What We’ve Been Busy Doing:**

**Writing:**  Students have been reading non-fiction articles, forming an opinion, and writing using facts from the text to support their opinions.

**Reading/Skills:** Students have been reading non-fiction resources about wolves. Students are working on close reading, which means reading a text multiple times for different purposes. Students are answering questions based on the text.

**Math:** We will be starting work on fractions next week.

**Science:** We have just started our Objects in the Sky science unit, and we will be studying the moon, constellations, planets and sun. The third grade music performance will be about Objects in the Sky. This performance will occur on Fri. Feb. 10 at 11:00 a.m. in the auditorium. It features songs students have written. Please come!

**FUNDRAISING**:

The Teacher Treasures silent auction will be on Thur. Feb. 23 during student-led conferences, parent-teacher conferences, and math night.

My items are:

Denver Zoo with Ms. Mathews – spend most of a day on spring break or in June with Ms. Mathews at Denver Zoo, seeing the shows and participating in animal feeding opportunities. Parents must provide transportation. Student needs to bring a lunch or bring money to purchase lunch. This item includes a photo collage souvenir of Ms. Mathews’s photography of the zoo trip and an album of stretched penny souvenirs the student makes at the zoo. The price for this item is $ 80.

Zoo Lights with Ms. Mathews – bundle up and spend a December 2017 evening at Zoo Lights at Denver Zoo with Ms. Mathews. The price for this item is $ 60.

# SUPPLY NEEDS:

We could use reams of white copy paper and rolls of paper towels. Thanks!

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