



Ranger Roars

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School has 10th Highest Score in State on NECAP Science

Congratulations go out to last years grade 4 students for their success in the NECAP Science Assessment they completed last Spring. **Sixty eight percent** of the students received a proficient score which ranked us as the 10th best elementary school in the state out of 177 elementary schools listed in the RIDE website. Commendations also go out to the entire school staff for their tireless efforts to provide our students with excellent instruction.

	Ranger		District		State	
	08	09	08	09	08	09
Prof. w/ Dist.	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	< 1%
Proficient	58%	68%	49%	47%	35%	40%
Total Met	58%	68%	49%	47%	36%	40%
Partial Prof.	38%	27%	40%	42%	42%	40%
Sub. Below	5%	4%	11%	11%	22%	20%

Fire Prevention Poster Contest Winners

Congratulations to the following students whose posters were chosen during the Fire Prevention Poster contest:

Grade 1: First Place—Abigail Simmons and Second Place—Kaylee Martins

Grade 2: First Place—Cherilyn DeFreitas and Second Place—Joshua Leonard

Grade 3: First place—Jasmine Queterio and Second Place—Amelia Peterson

Grade 4: First Place—Skylar Lewis and Second Place—Amber Pavao

Grand Prize Winner: Kristen Kendera

First Place winners received a \$20.00 certificates and Second Place winners received \$10.00 certificates from Toys R Us. Grand Prize was a bicycle and helmet.

Feinstein

Annual Fall Food Drive

October 23rd to November 18th

Goods will be accepted before, during and after school daily

We intend to utilize donations for Ranger School families first. All remaining donations will be given to the Tiverton Food pantry

Note: Please contact the office if your family has any needs. The Feinstein Community Fund is available to all Ranger School Community members. All inquiries are strictly confidential

FEINSTEIN NEWS

Please remember to watch his TV Show 'Our Great Kids' every Saturday at 1:00 pm. and Sunday mornings at 10:30 – on PBS 36, Cox 8 and Comcast 19

Feinstein Community Fund

We will have Stop and Shop gift cards available starting Wednesday, November 18th to all Ranger School families who need assistance purchasing Thanksgiving turkeys and fixings. Please contact the school. All inquiries and participation are strictly confidential.

Lost and Found

Parents are urged to label your child's clothing, hats, lunch bags, backpacks, etc. We have already collected numerous items that are currently in our Lost and Found area in the main foyer. Please be sure to visit the area whenever you are in the building if your child has anything missing

Low Cost or No Cost Health Insurance For Kids and Families

For more information visit www.dhs.ri.gov
Call the Rite Care info line toll-free at 401-462-5300

Parent—Teacher Conferences

November 18th
5:00 to 8:00

November 19th
3:30 to 5:30

Please contact the office if you haven't received the form to schedule a conference. Conferences will be scheduled on a first come, first serve basis.

High School Strings Mentors

The Tiverton String Orchestra Program received a grant from the group "Up with School Arts" or U.S.A. The funds are being used for a mentoring project in which the Tiverton High School String Orchestra students, under the direction of Gael Berberick, come to the elementary schools to mentor the 4th grade String Orchestra Students in October and then again in March of 2010. The first session, was held recently. Special thanks to "Up with School Arts" members for attending the first session and for their continuous efforts to support our young musicians

November Calendar of Events

- 11 No School – Veteran's Day**
- 12 Mrs. Curtis and Mr. Gastall @
District Science training
Grade 3 @ Boston Science Museum
- 16 Evaluation Team Meeting @ 9:00
Mrs. Truver, Mrs. Souza, and Mrs.
Tavares @ Grade-Level meeting
Teaching and Learning Committee meeting @ 3:30
- 16-19 Book Fair
- 17 RTI Meeting @ 7:45 A.M.
- 18 Parent-Teacher Conferences 5:00 to 8:00
- 19 Parent-Teacher Conferences 3:30 to 5:30
- 20 No School**
- 23 Faculty Meeting @ 3:30
- 26+27 No School – Thanksgiving Recess**