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Upcoming Events

March 20:
Art Fair and Auction

March 21:
No School
(teacher in-service)

March 31-April 4:
Spring Break!

.Gwendalin and Sonny
Room 12, Grade 3

St. Patrick's Day is coming, and everyone is going to wear green. We have 4 XO's and we are going to get our report cards on March 17th.

Why do frogs like St Patrick's Day?

Because they're already wearing green!

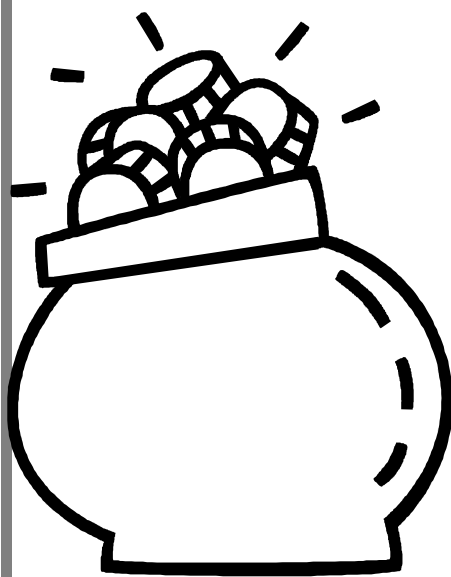
In this Issue:

- Great Irish and Leprechaun Jokes!
- For St. Patrick's Day:

Coloring

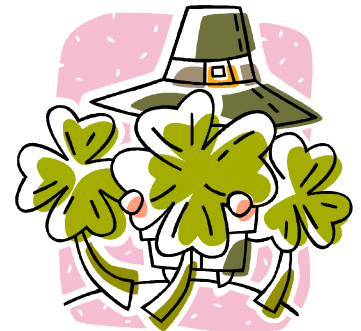
Wordsearch,

Subtraction Puzzler!



Fatuma and Maya
Room 18, Grade 2

The art fair is coming up in a couple of weeks. We are so excited. We are bringing art to the art fair. Fatuma is bringing a picture of a boat sailing across the water, and Maya is going to make something she made all by herself. We can't tell you what she did, it's a surprise.



Knock Knock
Who's there?

Irish!

Irish Who?

Irish you a happy St. Patrick's Day!



Stories, poems, articles, and *great* jokes from student news reporters at Arbor Heights Elementary School in Seattle, WA

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News from the classroom.....

**Lindsay and Chelsea
Room 25, Grade 4**

We are so excited for next week because we finally get to meet our Macy's Pen Friends! We are having an Ice Cream Social with them, and it will be a lot of fun!

We have been really practicing for the Global Reading Challenge. We are not in it, but we will be cheering for everyone!

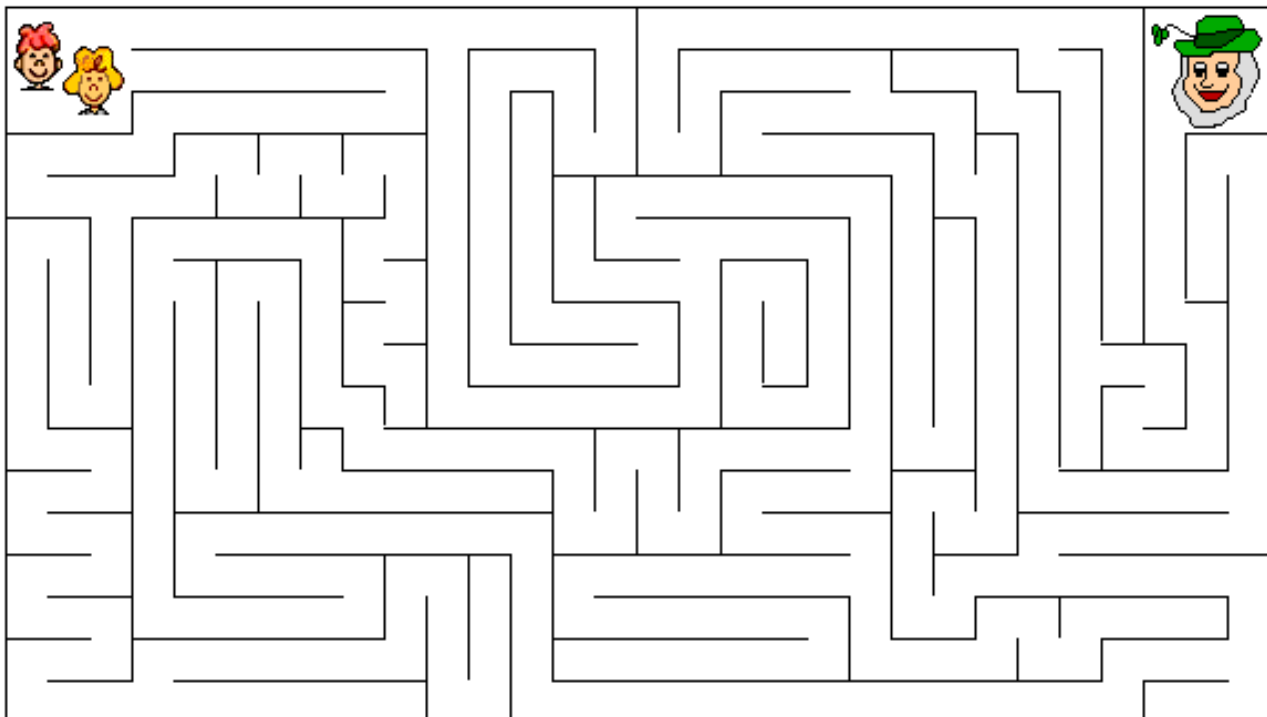
We are also going on a field trip to the Seattle Children's Theatre and see the play "One Hundred Dresses"! We've read the book in class, and it is a really fun book.

Q: What does a leprechaun call a happy man wearing green?

A: A Jolly Green Giant!



Happy Saint Patrick's Day!



More classroom news.....

**Luke and Hannah
Room 13, Grade 2**

We are going to the Frye Art Museum and the bakery!

It was Kailyn's birthday on March 10! We celebrated Ryan and Alex K.'s birthday on the same day.

We are reading Fables. We are studying about arrays. Angel uses the pencil sharpener way too much!

We got a one hundred percent homework award! We got 20 kids out of 23 today! 3 kids are out sick.

We have P.E. today! We counted to 1,000 at the beginning of the school year!

Q: What happens when a leprechaun falls into a river?



A: He gets wet!

**Jake and Ernie
Room 1, Grade 4&5**

On March 19th we are going to Macy's. Our pen pals are leaving on April 2nd to San Francisco. We're learning how to use electricity for lights and motors in science!

Q: Why did the man cross the road?



A: Because there is a leprechaun on the other side with a pot of gold.

 SHAMROCK SUBTRACTION 

Answer each problem below.
Then use the code to solve the riddle.

Code	
70 = E	59 = B
44 = N	53 = S
33 = A	56 = Y
14 = T	39 = L
34 = R	83 = Q



 SMOOCHI! 

THE IRISH BELIEVE IS GOOD LUCK TO KISS THE:

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Even more classroom news.....

**Casey and Sara
Room 21, Grade 4**

On March 13 we had a Global Reading Challenge. It was great. Sara and Casey were on the same team.

On the 18th we are going to the Children's Theater to see 100 DRESSES.

On the 19th we are going to Macys to meet our pen friends for the first time for an ice cream party. Sara's Pen friend's name is Jamie. Casey's pen friend's name is Lindsay.

We watched a movie on color and light for science!

Q: What does it mean when you find a horse-shoe?



A: Some poor horse is going barefoot!

**Kaley and Evan
Room 9, Grade 3**

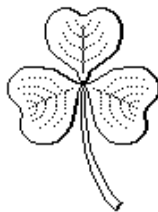
Room 9 went to the Woodland Park Zoo. We saw lots of animals. The elephant was our favorite animal. We are doing poems, like cinquains.

Q. Why do people wear shamrocks on St. Patrick's Day?



A. Regular rocks are too heavy.

St. Patrick's Day Word Search



B U L Y I G I J Q O
H V P U Z U R I E R
G H E B C M I E A E
A R E M I K S U E D
L E P R E C H A U N
E V X A M I A X Y A
L O D I T R M U F L
L L G N J T R T V E
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IRELAND
IRISH
GOLD
POT
RAINBOW
GREEN
CLOVER
LUCK

SHAMROCK
JIG
PATRICK
SAINT
SNAKES
LEPRECHAUN
SHILLELAGH