UPCOMING EVENTS

• **Monday Oct 29**
  4:00-8:00pm Book Fair Family Night, Library

• **Tuesday Oct 30**
  10:00-11:00 Mr. Morris’ Young Author’s Day, Rm. 232

• **Wednesday, Oct 31**
  9:30-12:15 Preschool Field Trip, Burke Nursery
  NO DRAMA

• **Thursday, Nov 1**

• **Friday, Nov 2**
  First Grading Period Ends

DATE REMINDERS

November 5-6 - Student Holidays
November 12 – Veteran’s Day School Activities
November 14 – Fall Picture Make-up Day
November 15 – 4th Gr. Field Trip to Jamestown

November 9 – 5th Gr. Field trip to Luray Caverns
November 13 – Naglieri Testing (2nd Grade)
November 14 – Math Night, Cafeteria
November 15 – 1st Gr. Field Trip to Frying Pan Park
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With
FCPS “Parent View”

“Parent View” gives parents their own account on FCPS 24/7 Learning (also known as Blackboard). The advantage of this account is that if you have more than one child in Fairfax County Public Schools, you can access all of their courses with just one login. The second advantage of these accounts is that you can update your emergency care information on-line. Obtaining an account is a two step process. First you must login to http://fcps.blackboard.com. The login is newuser and the password is parentreg. Fill out the online prompts. At the end of the process, print or write down your unique registration key. (The information that you enter must be exactly the same as the information used when you registered your child.) Secondly you must bring the unique registration key to the school office. (ON NOVEMBER 5th and 6th ICES WILL BE REGISTERING USERS FROM 7:30am–4pm) Please bring a photo ID so that your account can be verified. This process only takes a couple of minutes. You will then receive your username and your password will be e-mailed to you. You only need to go through this process one time. “Keep in Touch” is another FCPS initiative that will help keep you informed. When you register, you sign up for just the information you wish to receive. You can list up to two e-mail addresses in each Keep in Touch profile. Island Creek is able to send emergency messages through this service. In addition you will be notified of school closing etc. The link to sign up for this service is on the Island Creek home page (www.fcps.edu/islandcreekes) and on the home page of Fairfax County Public Schools (www.fcps.edu). Please feel free to call the school if you have any questions.