

# Mrs. Larsen's

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Class

### Weekly Newsletter

**Week 8!** October!! The weather is becoming cooler as we begin to enjoy the fall season. Please pack light sweaters for your child for the varying temperatures that occur throughout the day.

Using **apostrophes** was the start of our week, while we created stories with **contractions** and **possessive nouns** that highlighted their use.

We continued to analyze **fiction** and **non-fiction** passages and developed skills to answer questions that were **inferred** within the text.

In **Science**-We studied, **What is a food chain?**, and learned about animals that are herbivores, carnivores, and omnivores.

In **Social Studies** we studied the map of the **Appalachian Trail** and discovered how many states it runs through.

**Grades will be coming out soon.** Please continue to support your child with their homework and see to it

they get plenty of sleep, so they may be prepared for their school day.

*Appointments for parent/teacher conferences are coming up. Please check the available times that will be going home in your child's homework folder.*

**Phonograms for the week.**

th, sh, si, ti, or, ea, ur, er, ar, y, j, s, f,  
di, cu, sc, ge, sci, eu, rh

**Poem-The Neighbors Dog is Purple**

My neighbor's dog is purple. It's eyes are large and green. It's tail is almost endless, The longest I have seen. My neighbor's dog is quiet. It does not bark one bit. But when my neighbor's dog is near, I feel afraid of it! My neighbor's dog looks nasty. It has a wicked smile. Before my neighbor painted it, It was a crocodile by Jack Prelutsky

**Quote of the week.**

"You can learn something everyday if you listen."-anonymous

*Just a reminder to have your child read to themself for 30 minutes every night.*

