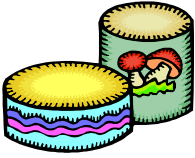


## East Fairhaven School November Newsletter



### November Can Drive November 1<sup>st</sup>- 18<sup>th</sup>.

Doug Braley, a recent graduate of Fairhaven High School has asked us to help with the can drive conducted by WBSM. For the past 20 years, Pete Braley has done "Cans Across the Park." It's held every year on the Saturday before Thanksgiving. What they do is collect cans from all over the community. On Saturday November 19th, they line them up along the sidewalk of Court St. from Brownell Avenue to Rockdale Avenue in the city. They like to try to make it all the way down and then all the way back up. Last year they raised over 10,000 cans. This year they have asked for our help.

We will be collecting cans to help with the "Cans Across the Park." To make it more interesting the classroom that collects the most cans will win a pizza party. Remember it's just cans and we are collecting November 1<sup>st</sup> through the 18<sup>th</sup> only. Have your child bring the cans to his/her classroom first to be counted then we will store them in boxes near the entrance.

### Veteran's Day Program Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup> @ 1:00 PM.

Each year East Fairhaven School has celebrated Veteran's Day with a special program aimed at acknowledging and thanking the veteran's in our community. Students, staff and community members share memorabilia, stories, poems and songs in a special afternoon program. After the program we invite our guests to share the company of friends while enjoying coffee and treats.

Celebrating Veteran's Day teaches our students about our country's history of military service and protection around the world. It is important to help our students understand and respect the sacrifices our service members and their families have made to protect the freedoms we enjoy. Any veterans are welcome to come to our program. Please call the office to let us know if a veteran you know will be attending our program because we would like to have everyone's name, and the branch of service.

## Parent/Teacher Conferences

Monday, November 21<sup>st</sup> and Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>.

As a parent you are your child's first, and most important teacher. The classroom teacher and the parent working together can be an incredible team because you both want your child to do well. Parent-teacher conference is a time for each person to share valuable information about your child's talents, and needs, and a time when you can both learn something new about your child. If you do not have a scheduled appointment please call the office @ 508-979-4058 to schedule one soon.

## Updates

- Lifetouch Pictures November 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Veteran's day Program, Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup> @ 1PM.
- Report Cards go home November 14<sup>th</sup>.
- There are no report cards for kindergarten students in November.
- Kindergarten students will receive a report card in January, April and June.
- Half Day Noon Dismissal Monday and Tuesday November 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> for Parent Teacher Conferences.
- Half Day Noon Dismissal Wednesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> (No lunches served)
- Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup> Winter Concert with Band and Strings
- Thursday, December 22<sup>rd</sup> last day of school before Christmas Vacation.

