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Fall is Here

by Caroline Frede

There was a girl named Lily walking to a store to buy a new jacket. Fall was coming and it was getting cold. She saw an old lady on the street. She seemed cold. Lily was confused. "I'll give her something tomorrow." She thought. Lily wanted to help the lady, but she needed a new jacket for herself. She knew that the old lady needed a jacket, but Lily was cold and if she didn't get a new jacket she would be cold until she got her allowance. The old lady smiled at Lily and she smiled back. When Lily was at the store she found the newest jacket and it was rare. She bought it and couldn't wait to show her friends. When she walked passed the old lady she didn't smile at all and just flew by. The next day at school she showed her friends and they loved it! They said that they looked everywhere for that jacket. When she was walking home she saw the old lady and totally forgot to get her an old blanket. When she got home she saw the blanket sitting on the couch and she forgot to pick it up when she left for school. "I'll bring it to the old lady tomorrow." She thought. The next day there was a field trip to the Bengals stadium and they would get to meet the players. Again she forgot about the blanket and she just noticed when she walked up to the old lady. "I'll get you something tomorrow." Lily said, "What if there is no tomorrow?" The old lady said. Those words went through Lily's brain all day. When her favorite Bengals player Carlos Dunlap was signing her football he said, "You can do anything." Words just kept falling out of Lily's mouth she said, "I saw an old lady on the side of the street, and I haven't gotten her anything and I have something for her and I keep forgetting to give her it." "Whoa Whoa Whoa, don't worry give it to her tomorrow." "I can't" Lily said, she said, "What if there is no tomorrow?" Lily said. "Well just look tomorrow and if she's not there then donate it to a charity and hopefully she'll get it." He said. "Okay." Lily said. "You can do it!" He said. He walked on to sign other people's footballs. The next day she went to the corner the lady usually was and she wasn't there. Lily was upset. She went to a nearby charity and dropped off the blanket. She didn't want to turn in her jacket because it was all she had and it was a lot of money. Then she saw a picture of someone on the side of the street hanging on the wall. It took her a while, but she took off her jacket and put it in the bin. Her friends were so shocked she gave the expensive jacket to charity. But Lily told them she was glad she did it. When she was walking home from school she saw an old lady. The same one

who was sitting in the corner. She was now waiting at a bus stop with the blanket and the jacket. Lily felt very proud of giving her jacket. The old lady saw her and said, "You have learned your lesson young one, and know it's time to teach another. She winked and then disappeared into thin air. No one else was around her. The busy street became a one-lane road. She got an email from her friend. "She chose..." Lily was shocked. She emailed her back and wrote in her email, "You can do anything, You can do it!- Carlos Dunlap. So in the end Lily learned her lesson," Give to the poor while you can."



More Than Turkey

Thanksgiving is a time for families to get together for a special meal. The meal often includes turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, and pumpkin pie. Thanksgiving day is a time for many people to give thanks for what they have. Thanksgiving, is a holiday which occurs on the fourth Thursday in November, it's based on the Colonial Pilgrims, and the 1621 harvest meal. The holiday continues to be a day for America to gather for a day of feasting, football and family. Thomas Jefferson canceled Thanksgiving during his Presidency. The first Thanksgiving Parade involved live animals. Thanksgiving is celebrated on Thursday, November 22. Did you know that "Jingle Bells" was originally a Thanksgiving song? The Detroit Lions always play on Thanksgiving. The very first Thanksgiving was a three-day celebration.

In 1939, Thanksgiving was celebrated on the third Thursday of November not the fourth. Almost 46 million Turkeys are cooked every year. Only male Turkeys actually gobble. Almost 50 million pumpkin pies are eaten every year. Baby Turkeys are called poults. The very first Thanksgiving took 3 days to eat all of the food. Ben Franklin voted the Turkey for the national bird. Americans eat up to 690 million pounds of Turkey every year. At the first Thanksgiving there were no forks, there were only spoons, knives, and they used their fingers. The average person eats 1.4 pounds of food every Thanksgiving. Americans eat 46 million turkey on average every Thanksgiving. Minnesota produces the most Turkeys every year. In 1621, the Plymouth Colonists and Wampanoag Indians shared an autumn harvest feast that is acknowledged today as one of the first Thanksgiving celebrations in the colonies. For more than centuries, days of Thanksgiving were celebrated by individual colonies and states.

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Class Spotlight- Mrs. Schooley

By: Jack Brinck, Anthony Western and Jonathan Byrum

Question 1: What are the reasons you like your teacher?

They said: she is smart, and we do experiments

Question 2: What is your favorite thing you've done so far this year?

The two we called on said: Science, recess, Religion, and Math

Question 3: Which special do you like the most?

They said: Gym and Computers

Question 4: What your favorite non-special subject

They said: science, Math, Social Studies, Handwriting, Religion, and Reading

Question 5: Why do you like fourth grade?

They said: learn more challenging experiments work harder air conditioning

Question 6: What is your favorite book?

They said: *Harry Potter*, *No Good Very Bad Day*, and even *I Survived*



Book Suggestions

BY: HANNAH FREDE, REMINGTON HOLDER

Here are some good book suggestions for anyone, older or younger.

Lower Grades K-2

-Dr. Seuss' series

- Fly Guy

- the Froggy book series

- Arthur

- Goosebumps

Middle Grades 3-5

- Wonder
- The Magic Treehouse Series
- My America Series
- A-Z Mysteries Series
- Secrets of Drune Series
- Chasing Vermeer
- Serafina and the Black Cloak
- Diary of a Wimpy Kid Series
- Tales of a fourth grade nothing
- The Witches
- Goosebumps Series
- Harry Potter Series
- A Wrinkle in Time



Upper grades 6-8

- The Hunger Games Series
- Percy Jackson Series
- Wonder
- Auggie and Me
- The Maze Runner Series
- The Divergent Series
- The Giver
- The Fault in Our Stars
- The Book Thief
- Harry Potter Series
- A Wrinkle in Time
- The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle
- The One and only Ivan
- Miss Peregrine's home for peculiar children Series
- The Catcher in the Rye
- The Testing Series
- To Kill a Mockingbird
- The Boy in the Striped Pajamas

In the Spotlight

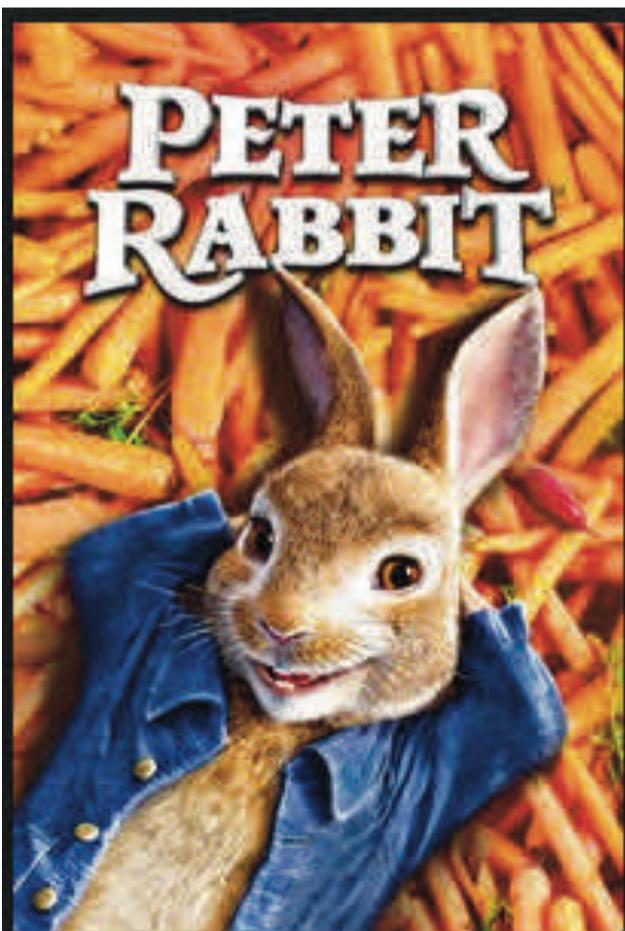
Peter Rabbit

By Carly Kent and Valeria Melendez

This year many new and exciting movies have hit theaters. These new movies include The Miracle Season, Hotel Transylvania 3, Christopher Robin, Sherlock Gnomes, and Incredibles II. In this article, we will be talking about the new 2018 movie, Peter Rabbit.

This movie is about a talking rabbit named Peter. Peter gets into a lot of trouble with stealing from the old man's garden. He constantly goes on garden raids with his three sisters and brother. They've been really close after the sad death of their parents.

After Peter gets rid of the old man, him, his family, and friends eat a lot of the garden's food and trash the old man's mansion. What Peter doesn't know is that the old man's nephew is on his way and is ready to make some changes. He chases all of the animals out of the mansion and closes off all of the entrances that Peter uses to get in the garden. This new guy is harder for Peter and his friends to outsmart. How will Peter overcome this new challenge? Will he be able to find a solution that will benefit everyone? This movie is a funny, film that is currently on Netflix. I hope that you enjoy this movie as much as we did!



On the Court

Basketball season has started!

The 5th grade team is: Zoey, Caroline, Chloe, Cely, Maggie, Ashley, and Madison. Last Year fourth grade, which was Zoey's grade, came in first place! The 4th grade got a banner in our gym! The 6th grade team is: Natalie, Riley, Lillian, Mary, Anna, Scarlett. Last year when Natalie's team was in 5th grade they came in 8th place.

Volleyball has just ended!

The 7th and 6th and 5th all came in second place in the winner bracket. We all were so close to getting a banner in our gym! The 4th grade came in 8th place! St.bernadette was the first school to have a winning streak.

Basketball

Basketball is so much fun! You will love to join next year. If you do, expect to run ladders/ suicides. But, you will play games too. Like steal the bacon, knock-out, and a defence drill. So come join BASKETBALL!!!





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Bernadette Newspaper
Club- We hope that
you have a wonderful
Thanksgiving!