

# FLORENCE RIDEOUT

## NEWSLETTER

APRIL 25TH, 2025

What is  
new at  
FRES?

This week at FRES students in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade focused on the reading part of the NH State Testing. We recognize the excitement the week prior to Spring Break, so we want to acknowledge 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and say "well done" for focusing and pushing through!

On Wednesday, students at FRES practiced their final ALICE drill! Chief Frechette and other first responders joined our team here at FRES for the drill. Staff and students did a great job, analyzing the information given and gave some great thought on what their next steps would be if ever faced with this situation. Great job everyone.

Friday, we were joined again by the Wilton First Responders who graciously handed out ice cream to all staff and students for FREE. We appreciate everything you do for our community.

Friendly reminder that the vision screening permission forms need to be returned in order to have your student tested. We always have extra copies of permission slips in the front office if needed. Don't forget to get them signed and returned to the nurses office.

Please take a moment to read over the school policy below. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to reach out to the front office.

Clothing makes a statement, and we want that statement to be respectful. Footwear is important for comfort and safety while running and playing on rough ground. Violations of the policy may result in a telephone call to parents to bring appropriate clothing to school.

1. Shirt, hat, and jewelry emblems should not be offensive (no reference to alcohol, drugs, off-color language, violence, or sex).
2. Appropriate footwear must be worn to play on playground equipment safely. Sneakers or athletic shoes are required for participation in PE class.

Warmer weather:

3. Modest, sensible apparel is encouraged. Blouses and shirts should cover the mid-section of the body. Spaghetti straps and low-cut blouses are discouraged.
4. Shorts and cutoffs should be mid-thigh or longer.

DISSECTING OWL PELLETS  
IN  
FIRST GRADE

HAVE A GREAT VACATION AND  
WE WILL SEE YOU ON MONDAY,  
MAY 5<sup>TH</sup> WHEN WE RETURN!

THANK YOU  
TO THE  
WILTON POLICE  
DEPARTMENT  
FOR THE FREE  
ICE CREAM!!!

THANK YOU  
TO  
BETHANY LAFLEUR, MICHAEL GOODIE,  
DANA LAFLEUR AND THE HOUSE BY THE  
SIDE OF THE ROAD.

# LYNDEBOROUGH CENTRAL NEWSLETTER

What is  
new at  
LCS?



This week at LCS, we enjoyed the sunshine! The kindergarteners walked to the J.A. Tarbell library, listened to stories, and borrowed books from the library. Students celebrated Earth day by cleaning up the flower beds, picking up trash, and learning about recycling! The students continue to work on writing stories and preparing for the Author's tea on May 16th at 10:30am. If you have not yet, please inform your child's teacher if you are able to make it or not! We wish everyone a safe and wonderful April break! We will see you on May 5th!



# LIBRARY NEWS

The library has been very busy this spring. Lots of new books to check out and explore, and new skills to learn. Please help your student find missing library books over the next few weeks - All books must be returned by June 1st!

Fifth grade students have been hard at work planning and designing their own passion projects - an opportunity to guide their own learning the research, technology, and planning skills they've learned over the years at FRES. Some examples of projects include - needle felting, sheep care, sewing, baking, crocheting, making specific styles of art, a history of education, different sports, creating cat toys for an animal shelter, understanding how algorithms work in YouTube, and many more. It's been such a privilege to see how the students learn more about their passions!

Fourth graders have been creating book trailer videos using Canva, showing their ability to comprehend and summarize a book of their choice. These videos will be shared with the class to help share a love of reading and in hopes students will find something new to try.

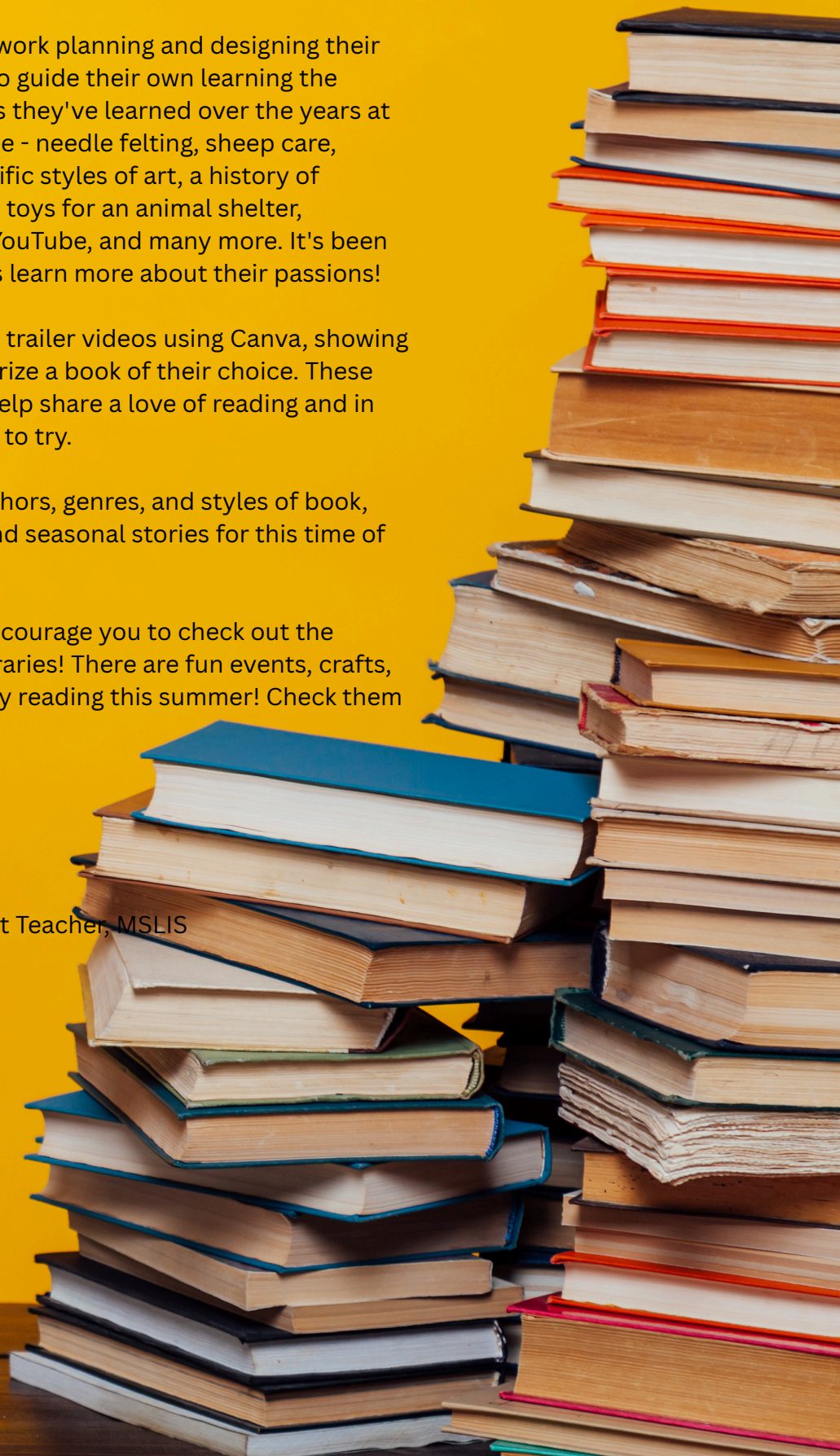
Grades K-3 have been exploring new authors, genres, and styles of book, with a particular focus on non-fiction and seasonal stories for this time of year.

As the year winds to a close I want to encourage you to check out the summer offerings at the local public libraries! There are fun events, crafts, and incentives to keep your whole family reading this summer! Check them out at the following links:

[Wilton Public and Gregg Free Library](#)  
[J.A. Tarbell Library \(Lyndeborough\)](#)

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Plant  
Sale



Thank  
You!

Earth  
Day



Thank  
You!



Frozen Friday  
with WPD!

## Riddle of the Week:

**“ What starts with a “P” ends with a  
“E” and has thousands of letters?”**

The first 5 students who know the answer and  
who come to the front office will receive a  
small prize.

*Last weeks answer to the  
riddle is a “Because he stood  
out in his field”!*

**HELP  
!!!**

SAU 63 is currently looking for  
substitute teachers for all areas  
and all grades. If you would like  
to be a part of our team, please  
fill out the applications today!

**Congratulations  
to Ben who is the  
chess club winner!**



## Upcoming Events

- 4/28-5/2 Spring Break No School
- 5/16 Early Release Day
- 5/23 No School Teachers Workshop Day
- 5/29 Spring Concert 3rd/4th/5th
- 6/4 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation
- 6/5 Field Day
- 6/6 Rain date for Field Day
- 6/9 Last day of school/Half Day





# Plant Sale

**JOIN US MAY 10TH**

**8AM-2PM**

EMAIL US AT  
FRESLCSPTO@GMAIL.COM  
OR  
BRIELAVALLEE@GMAIL.COM  
IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE  
ANY  
PLANTS OR VOLUNTEER TO HELP





FRES/LCS

Teacher Appreciation Week

May 5 - May 9

WICKED

"BECAUSE EVERYONE DESERVES... A LITTLE MAGIC!"

# From Real to Mythical



## How Wild Animals Inspired the Legends and Lore of Mythological Creatures

Join Harris Center naturalist and author, Susie Spikol as she reveals how the natural world can inspire stories, myths, and legends. Observe how, throughout history, wild animals have inspired our favorite mythical creatures.

**Wednesday, April 30th at 5:30pm**

**J.A. Tarbell Library**

136 Forest Road  
Lyndeborough

**Open to the general public**

**Recommended for children high elementary grades & up**

