

10th Home-School Connection



November 29, 2012

SCIENCE SOLSTICE: We had a great day! Photos are now posted on our webpage:

<http://francescastarkgrade5website.weebly.com/photos--videos.html>

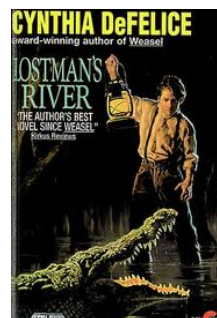
Please describe each of the workshops- Explain what we did, what you learned and questions you have still about the topics.

- Telescopes/Binoculars
- Garage Band
- Critters
- Museum Of Science
- Citizen Scientists/Loree Griffin Burns Author (Thursday)

PODCAST/FILM: Your animal posters are done or almost done, and now you are designing a fun and educational podcast or film about your poster/topic. Describe what each of your group members are doing and what you are learning from watching other podcasts that will help your project. What questions do you have or what do you need to do before you are ready to do the project?

FRACTIONS: We are getting close to finishing our fraction unit. How is it going? You will have an assessment soon. Do you feel you know how to find equivalent fractions? Can you put them in simplest form? Can you find where they go on a number line? Can you add and subtract mixed number fractions? Try to show your mom or dad how you do some of those things.

LOSTMAN'S RIVER: We have started to read the book *Lostman's River*: Here's a little blurb about it... "It is 1906 and danger is stalking the Swampland. Lostman's River is home to Tyler MacCauley and his family in the 10,000 Islands area of Florida, It is also the home to thousands of birds and other wildlife that share Nature's piece of the earth. But greed and profit have brought danger into the swampland." Describe the story so far. Explain who the characters are and the mystery about the father. Explain what happened when Mr. Brewer showed up.



SOMETHING ELSE? Social studies – Two Column Notes, Morning Meeting Topics, Team Posters. Music, Art, P.E., C.O.B (chorus, orchestra, band), Chinese (show the homework) and... we've missed library due to Thanksgiving break and early dismissal? What did you talk about? _____

TURN THE PAGE FOR THE COMMENTS SECTION:



Due: MONDAY. We made a time to do the HSC on _____



Parent Signature: _____



Parent Comments: _____



Student Rating: Please say why.



USE THE SPACE BELOW TO DRAW SOMETHING THAT HAS ANYTHING TO DO WITH WHAT WE'VE BEEN DOING IN SCHOOL:

