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 Fifth Grade

 News

 January 28 – February 1, 2013

**Parents,**

**Thanks to all that were able to come out to our PTO/Awards night. Our 5th graders are working hard this year and it was a privilege to recognize their hard work in front of their family and friends. We hope that you continue to enjoy our newsletter as much as we do! Thanks for all that you do!**

**Sincerely,**

**Fifth Grade Teachers**

**Important Dates**

January 28th - BYOD Community Meeting

Jan. 31st - 4-H projects due/See the “Clover” newsletter

January 31st - Panther Pride

February 4th – Panther Players rehearsal

**Friendly Reminders**

* Please include your driver’s license number on all checks made payable to WWES.
* Please check your child’s school supplies and replenish as needed.

**Weekly Learning Objectives**

**Math-** Decimals and Numerical Expressions

We will cover concepts and skills related to :

* Converting fractions to decimals to percents
* Multiplying and dividing decimals to the hundredths
* Write a number sentence for a problem expressed in words

**Test on Wednesday, January 30th**

**(Multiplying Decimals and Fractions to Percents)**

**Science-** AMSTI unit on Variables

* Explore the concept of variables and systems

**4H Due on Thursday January 31st (100pts)**

**Reading/Language Arts**- Lesson 19

Selection:  "Inventing the Future"

         Focus Skills: comprehension & vocabulary

         Robust Vocabulary:  *irrepressible, feat, industry, tendency, device, prestigious*

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         Spelling: homophones (steal/steel)

 **(Test Feb. 1)** study guide in language arts folder

         Grammar: helping and main verbs

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**Social Studies:** American Revolution

         Cause and effects of the Boston Massacre

         Acrostic poems about the Boston Massacre

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a

b

r

l

e

o

w

Unscramble the letters to find the answer!



**What kind of math do snowy owls like?**