

Hill Elementary School PTA

Principal Report

January 9, 2012

1. Hill School welcomes two new staff members second semester. Mr. Jai Burks will be teaching vocal music to kindergarten through fifth grade students and Mrs. Laura Opfer will join our staff as a para-educator. They make great additions to the Hill staff!
2. Fourth Grade students will take the state-wide writing test on January 24 and January 25. Information about the assessments will be furnished to parents of fourth grade students. Results of the assessments are provided to parents once the school year is over.
3. Second quarter report cards will be sent home with students on Thursday, January 26th.
4. Teachers will meet in professional learning communities on Tuesday, January 31st. School will dismiss on that day at 1:33 p.m.
5. February is a busy month! Some dates to look forward to.....

February 14	Valentine Parties
February 21/23	Parent/Teacher Conferences
February 28	Science Fair at Scott Middle School-6:30 p.m.

6. The annual Thank You Teacher Day will be held on March 6, 2012. Students, residing in Lincoln, may nominate their teacher by writing a brief essay that includes a description of the teacher and an explanation of how that teacher has made a difference in his/her life. From the essays, winning teachers are selected for recognition that includes a breakfast in the Governor's Mansion with the nominating student and family. This event is sponsored by KFOR/KFRX and Lincoln Public Schools. Nominations may be sent to :

Thank You Teacher
Lincoln Public Schools-Communications Dept.
3801 South 14th Street
Lincoln,Ne 68502

Or may be submitted electronically on the Lincoln Public Schools website at <http://lps.org/go/recognize>.

