**For the week of May 14th – May 18th**

**Objectives We Focused On In First Grade This Week:**

* We can read and write words using gn, wr and kn.
* We can record tally marks
* We can make a picture graph
* We can identify different types of maps

We have started doing some timed math facts tests during math time to

get the students ready for second grade. Starting in second grade the students will be participating in a timed math facts program called Otter Creek. I find that it helps the students see what it is like to be timed to do a task. These are just for practice and don’t count for their grades. These are a good tool to see where your child is in terms of knowing their math facts so be sure to look them over in the Lancer folder on Fridays.

**Events and Reminders**

* IN NEED OF LUNCH HELPERS!! If you can come help out ANY days the teachers would be SO appreciative so we can have a lunch break too. THANKS!
* Sunday – First grade mass at 10am! Students need to be in full uniform
* Sunday – Spring Luau from 11-3pm at Padaro Grill
* Monday – Free dress for those who came to mass yesterday
* Tuesday – Star Testing
* Wednesday – Mandatory Parent Meeting at 7pm
* Thursday – friendship lunch – cancel hot lunch if you ordered it – contact Kasia Brand if you can bring fruit or a dessert
* Friday – Lancer Shirt Day
* Friday – ALL SCHOOL TRACK MEET from 12:30-2pm PARENT HELP NEEDED – please email Mrs. Van Eyck carlyve@mountcarmelschool.net
* Monday, May 28th – Memorial Day

Thank you! Erica Holtgrewe