

UNION VALLEY NEWS - JUNE 2010

THE STAFF AT UNION VALLEY WOULD LIKE TO WISH EVERYONE
A SAFE AND HAPPY SUMMER VACATION
HAVE FUN IN THE SUN AND GET READY FOR ANOTHER GREAT YEAR
STARTING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th

WORD OF THE MONTH - ALL WORDS REVIEWED 2009-2010

CONGRATULATIONS - Union Valley is very proud of James Baston, a fourth grader in Mrs. Griese's class, for being recognized with a Certificate of Merit by the Camden County Board of Freeholders in their "My County" poster contest. There were many, many posters from students and schools throughout Camden County, and James' poster was selected for honor at a public ceremony on May 5th. James' family and our school community congratulate him on an outstanding effort and well deserved accomplishment! His poster is featured on display in our library. Way to go James!

JOB WELL DONE - Brianna Morgan, a fourth grader in Mrs. DiCamillo's class, was recently recognized by the Gloucester Township Police Department for her entry in their Police Appreciation Week poster contest. After reviewing all of the many entries submitted from Union Valley, the Police Department's selection committee chose Brianna's poster as our school's winner. Brianna was recognized at the police department's awards ceremony on May 11th at Timber Creek. We are all very proud of Brianna's effort and congratulate her on this honor! Well done, Brianna!

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP DAY - Will take place **Saturday, June 5th** from 11am-10pm at Sam Siler/Veteran's Park, Chews Landing Rd., Laurel Springs. Activities include games, amusement rides, crafts vendors, performances by Gloucester Township elementary school students and band and theater groups from our middle schools and high schools. Union Valley's third grade concert performers will take center stage at 1:15. Food, fireworks and much more. Join us for the fun-filled day. Rain date - Sunday, June 6th.

ROCKET LAUNCH - Parents of fifth grade EXCEL students, please mark your calendars: **June 9th** is the date of our annual rocket launch on the playground. Projected launch time: 10:00 am.

REMINDER - Union Valley fifth graders will visit **Philadelphia on June 11th**. Busses will depart the school parking lot 9:00 am.

FIFTH GRADE AWARDS CEREMONY - Will be held **Wednesday, June 16th** at 9:30 am in the Cafetorium.

FIELD DAY - Will be held **Thursday, June 17th** with a rain date of June 18th.

ATTENTION PARENTS - **June 17th, 18th & 21st WILL BE HALF-DAY SESSIONS** at Union Valley. Grades 1-5 will be dismissed at 12:55pm. Kindergarten sessions are as follows:

K-AM 8:40 - 11:15....K-PM 10:30 - 12:55

Pre-K dismisses at 12:55

BORROWING LUNCH - As of **Friday, June 11th** students borrowing lunch will only be able to have a tuna salad sandwich (or cheese sandwich if allergic to tuna) regardless if they owe money or not. Please be sure all borrowed money is repaid before the end of the school year. **REPORT CARDS WILL BE HELD UNTIL ALL LUNCH MONEY OWED IS REPAYED.**

SCHOOL BREAKFAST - Gloucester Township will continue our breakfast program next September. Breakfast will be available daily before the start of each school day. The cost is \$1.50 (.30 cents for reduced breakfast or free if qualified). You can put money on your student's account to make the morning meal easier.

LOST AND FOUND - If your child is missing any jackets, sweatshirts or other items please have them check the Lost & Found in the office. Anything left after **June 21st** will go to charity.