



# TOPAZ TIMES

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## Learning to Crochet

**Science Fair:** Science fair is Saturday, February 25th. Your child's projects will be due Friday, February 24th. Your child will have the opportunity to share their project on Friday and Monday after the science fair.

**Pancake breakfast:** During the Saturday event, the school will also be hosting a pancake breakfast from 8:30 to 10:00. Be on the look out for donations of food items to help offset the overall cost of the event.

**Library books:** Library books are due by 2/3. If you did not turn them into a teacher, please return to the library to avoid late fees.

**Valentines Day:** For the week of Valentines we do secret valentines. Students will draw out of a hat who they will make gifts for in class. You do not have to do anything extra unless you want to. We will also have a heart smart party on Valentines Day with heart healthy treats. If you would also like to pass out valentines we have 35 students.

**Learning to Crochet:** Gavin's grandma Arlene is volunteering to come in and teach crochet to the children. She recommends that your child bring in a crochet hook size H or J, (larger is better for small hands) so your child will have their own to practice after the lesson and during class.

**This is a test:** We are curious of the percentage of parents who read this news letter. Have your child draw a purple star in the upper right hand corner of their work plan. Tell your child not to say anything to anyone. This will be good for one free cross off job. This is just a test.

### Wish list (please help us out)

- Hand sanitizer
- empty toilet paper rolls
- crochet hooks size h or j (If you would like to donate to the class)

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### Topaz Class

Ms. Jenie, Ms. Cathy  
Miss Ronda and Ms. Shay

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### Important Dates

- Today, NAEP test for 9 year olds
- Friday, 2/10 Hearing test for 2nd grade
- Friday, 2/17 No School, teacher in-service
- Monday, 2/20 No school, Presidents Day
- Friday, 2/24 Science Fair Projects due (New date)
- Saturday, 2/25 Science Fair from 9:00 to 12 and pancake breakfast from 8:30 to 10.

### Person of the Day

Fri. Happy birthday Chiara

Mon. Tyler

Tue. Sydney

Wed. Jaden

Thu. Montana

Fri. Gavin

"An honorable defeat is better than a dishonorable victory."

-Millard Fillmore