

# Maple Class News

October 5, 2011

Mrs. Rogers

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## The Field by Kolya

The field is finally done! We can run on the track during Physical Education and we can run our mile. It is big so we had a big place to play soccer and football last week. There is a big track and a little track. In the big track there is room to play games and in the middle of the little track there is a volleyball net. The Maple Class is really excited!

Since this article was written, the field has been hydro seeded to stabilize the soil and mitigate for soil run off. This marks the completion of phase one of the "Field of Dreams" project. Students will need to stay off these areas for a while in order to allow the seeds time to grow. When there is significant growth, the area can be opened up again. In phase two of the project, top soil will be brought in, sprinkler trenches dug and installed and the water source upgraded. Many thanks to all that have contributed!!



## Parent / Student Teacher Conferences

Conferences will be held October 12th through the 14th. A blank schedule is posted on the Maple classroom door. Please stop by and find a time that will work for your schedule. You are also welcome to email [krogers@cacmp.org](mailto:krogers@cacmp.org) and give me some times that will work for you and I will let you know what is available. It is important that your child attends this meeting as well. I look forward to meeting with all of you!

## Yearbook

Do you love to take photos? Are you passionate about our yearbook? Our class is looking for a Yearbook Photo Parent to take photos for our classroom collage page, as well as help collect field trip and event photos taken by others. If this is something you are interested in helping with, please email [krogers@cacmp.org](mailto:krogers@cacmp.org).

*"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others."*

*-Mohandea Ghandi*

## Continent Fair

Students have started working on their reports and projects for the upcoming Continent Fair.

Sixth graders will be researching and choosing an Island from Oceania. All research and project making will be done during class time.

Fifth graders are currently working on their outline and rough draft. Rough drafts are due the week of October 7th and final drafts are due on October 14th. A creative expression component will need to be created at home and is due Monday, October 17th. Please review the research packet (posted on the website as well as in the students' binders) and remind them that they will need some work outside of the classroom.



## Chaperone Lottery

The Chaperone Lottery for all 4/5/6 field trips will be held the week of October 3rd. Results for those that were interested will go home in Wednesday folders on October 12th.

## Homework

Spelling = Lesson 5

5th grade Math = 4 pages from the "Key to" book

6th grade Math = daily assignments

## Dates to Remember

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| Oct 7  | Homework Due               |
| Oct 7  | School Picture Make Up Day |
| Oct 14 | Spirit Day—Wear Red        |
| Oct 12 | Minimum Day / Conferences  |
| Oct 13 | Minimum Day / Conferences  |
| Oct 14 | Minimum Day / Conferences  |
| Oct 17 | Continent Fair             |

Please remember to also review the campus newsletter and monthly calendar for more details.

*"And so we discovered that education is not something which the teacher does, but that it is a natural process which develops spontaneously in the human being."*

*Maria Montessori*