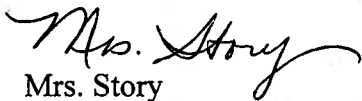


Here are some things I know you will want to know:

- ALL students are actors, singers and dancers in this show. In addition, they are painting, making set pieces, doing computer work, etc. Every one of these responsibilities is important as we prepare for the show. They are doing great so far!
- I need parent help to mount the scenery on Tuesday evening, April 8th at 7 p.m. If you are able to help out, please indicate it on the return sheet and come to the Multi-Purpose Room doors at 7 p.m. If you have an electric screwdriver or drill, please bring it. Cordless are the absolute best! It will take about two hours to get it all put together.
- All students will need to put together their own costume. These are the "Grandma's Closet" variety of costumes. Your closets and those of your parents and friends are the best place to gather what is needed. Please do not spend a lot of money on this. I have attached some ideas for costuming that I hope will help guide your thinking. Students need their costumes in school by Monday, April 7th, no exceptions. We will be using them on the 9th in dress rehearsal during the school day.
- There are a number of things we need for the show. I have listed them on the tear off page. If you have any of them and can contribute them for our use, please check them off on the return sheet, label them clearly with your name and send them in by March 1st. We will take good care of them, but if they are of great value, please remember these are fifth graders and reconsider!
- If you have questions, and I'm sure you will have some, please email me instead of calling. You will get a much faster response and I am much more likely to receive your message! cstory@lions.dist57.org
- Our opening in Thursday, April 10th at 10 a.m. for our school community, followed later that evening by a 7 p.m. show for family and friends. Our students will have a cast party following the morning performance. This is a HALF DAY OF SCHOOL, so our actors will be bringing their costumes home with them at noon. They should return **IN THEIR COSTUME** at 6:30 p.m. ready for make-up.
- All our students will be wearing make-up. Yes, even the boys. They can wash it off when they get home and we will reapply it for the evening show. If your child has allergies, you may certainly provide your own make-up for them. Please let me know about that, though! Thanks!

Please return the tear off sheet! Thanks so much!

Your friendly local Producer and Director,


Mrs. Story