



Mrs. Nielsen's 3rd Grade Songo Locks Elementary School 2016-2017

~~~~~ March Newsletter ~~~~~

## Upcoming Calendar

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| Mar 3 – April 28 | SLS Read-a-Thon                |
| March 13-17      | National Breakfast Week        |
| March 13         | Spring Pictures Day            |
| March 13-24      | <u>School Day Ends at 4:00</u> |
| March 31         | Report Cards Go Home           |
| April 3-6        | MEA Testing Week (#1-4)        |
| April 6          | SLS STEM Night                 |
| April 11         | MEA Testing (Day #5)           |

### *SLS Reading Challenge*

### **Immigration Read-a-Thon**

Read for 20 min or more  
for 5 days a week!

*Return reading logs each  
week with a parent signature!*

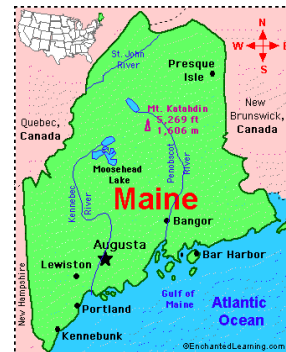
#### **Special Events:**

- March 3<sup>rd</sup> – Kick Off Day
- March 6<sup>th</sup> – Start Reading Logs
- April 7<sup>th</sup> – Dress Up Day
- April 28 – Reading Celebration

## Maine

We will be starting our Maine Unit for Social Studies. We will be learning about the geography, history, economics and people of Maine. Each student will write a book about Maine as well as to create a Salt Dough relief map. To begin this study I have asked students to begin learning the 16 Counties of Maine. The song is sung to the tune of Yankee Doodle Dandy:

The 16 counties in our State are  
Cumberland and Franklin,  
Piscataquis and Somerset,  
Aroostook, Androscoggin,  
Sagadahoc and Kennebec,  
Lincoln, Knox and Hancock,  
Waldo, Washington and York,  
Oxford and Penobscot!



## How Do I Contact the School or Learn More Information??

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