**Third Grade Newsletter—February 21, 2020**

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**Update**

This week we concluded our unit on George

Washington. We had a great time reviewing our facts by playing classroom Jeopardy, writing a non-fiction journal entry, preparing for our blogs, and of course visiting Mount Vernon. Throughout our visit to Mount Vernon we received several compliments from staff members. At the conclusion of the tour, our tour guide said, “It was truly a pleasure to be with a group of such well-behaved and knowledgeable children.” We have a wonderful time. Thank you for helping your child prepare for the field trip.

**Performance Costumes**

Students have been working hard to prepare for their big performance on March 12. For both the morning and evening performance, students should dress in dark pants and a top in the following colors:

Mrs. Llufrio’s class:  any shade of red

Mrs. Rosnick’s class:  any shade of blue

**Report Cards**

Second trimester report cards are in your child’s orange folder.

**Spring Conferences**

Spring conferences will be on March 13, which is the day after our performance. Conference sign up opportunities will be available when we return from our winter break. We will send out links to Google documents at that time. We look forward to meeting with you to discuss your child’s progress in third grade!

**Important Dates**

**February 24-28 Winter Break—No School**

**March 12 Third grade performance**

**9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.**

**March 13 Parent-Teacher Conferences**

**No school**

**Our blog:**

**http://blogs.fredericksburgacademy.org/thirdgrade/**

**November 11**  **Wear a green, blue or FA shirt!**

**November 18 International Club after school**

**Junior Master Gardeners after school**

**(students will select one to attend)**

**November 25 11:45 a.m. dismissal**

**November 26-30 No School**

**December 18 Lower School Holiday Program 11:45 a.m. dismissal**