## **Elementary Principal Report November 2016**

Fire Safety Day – October 5 – The Arlington Fire and Rescue department sent out some of volunteers to talk to students about fire safety and what to do in case of an emergency. Students gained valuable information and were able to tour both the ambulance as well as the fire truck.

5/6 Outdoor Education – Friday, October 7th both 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grades took part in different outdoor educational experiences. Lessons and experiences were formatted around reading, science, math, and social studies. Students gained knowledge as well as first hand experiences they would not be able to receive within the classroom walls.

Parent teacher conferences were a success. We had 98% overall attendance. Here are the breakdowns:

KWAL - 100%	4H - 100%
KWAR - 100%	4W - 100%
1B - 100%	5G - 96%
1C - 100%	5K - 96%
2K - 100%	6E - 86%
2M - 100%	6R - 96%
3FA - 100%	PK - 100%
3FE - 100%	

Fundraiser – students participated in the school-wide fundraiser. This fundraiser helps to send classes on field trips and pay for special events such as guest speakers or the Grandparent's Day event.

Minute to win it competition – The elementary held our first minute to win it competition. Students earned the right to participate by earning a Bus Ticket for being respectful, responsible, zesty, gritty, or an intellectual risk taker. Winners received Arlington Elementary goodies. Minute to win it activities are held at the end of each quarter.

Trunk or treat – PTO sponsored the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>. It was a huge success with over 30 trunks and 200 children.