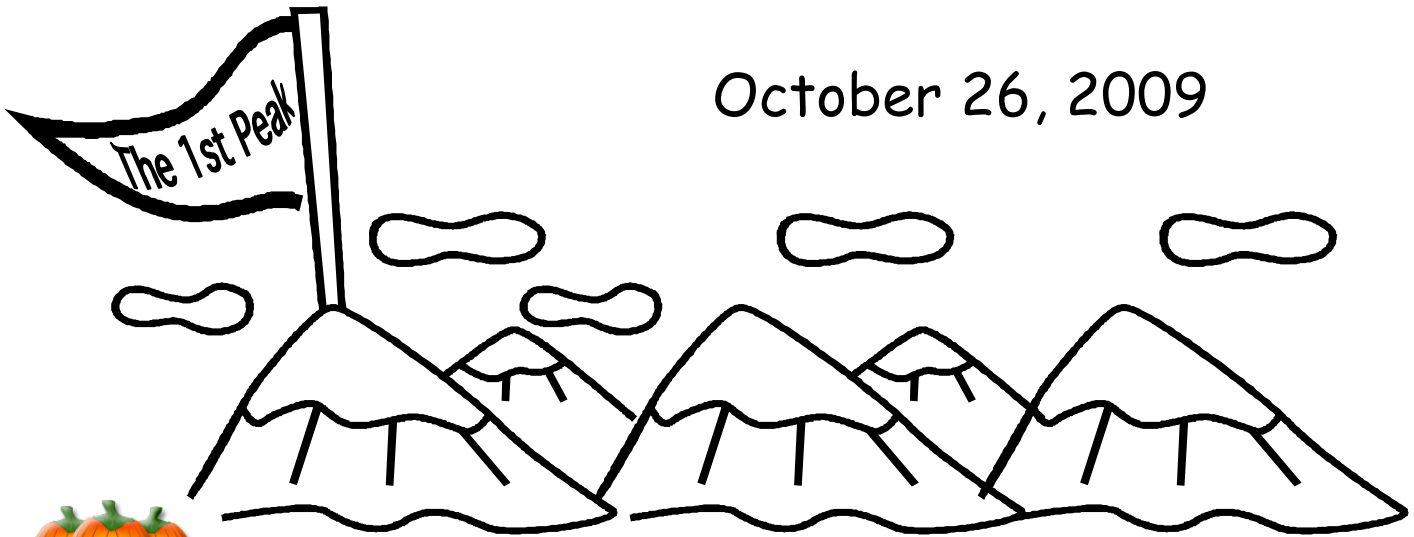


October 26, 2009



### Upcoming Dates October

#### • Spirit Week

**Monday** 10-26 Career Day (dress up for what you want to be when you grow up)

**Tuesday** 10-27 Twin Day (dress like your friend or friends)

**Wednesday** 10-28 Sports Day (wear your favorite team or your favorite sport)

**Thursday** 10-29 High Peaks Spirit Day (show your school pride)

**Friday** 10-30 Halloween Costume Day

- **October 30** - Halloween Party in p.m.

### November

- **November 6** - Science Fair

Please send in the October Homework Log on Friday. Thanks.

### Human Body News

Today we finished discussing the nervous system. Our Big Books in the hallway are almost complete. We will be working on a book cover soon. It has been quite an adventure traveling through the human body and learning about its wonderful systems. This week, we will be discussing ways to keep our bodies healthy. Two famous scientists, Edward Jenner and Louis Pasteur, will also be introduced. Edward Jenner studied how germs spread, which led to vaccinations, and Louis Pasteur developed the process of making products safe to drink. The week will end with our final assessment and sharing all the wonderful knowledge gained during our study.

### Important Information

- **Portfolios:** Thank you for coming to parent/teacher conferences last week! It was fun discussing your child's progress with you. Please remember to send your child's portfolio back to school!
- **Halloween Costumes:** On Friday, students may wear costumes to school. Please keep accessories to a minimum. No imitation weapons are allowed at school.
- **Parents are invited** to the Halloween Assembly and Parade starting at 1:30 p.m. in the gym. At 2:00, first graders will be having a party in their rooms. Due to limited space, parents are asked to let the class party in the rooms just be a time for the children only. Thanks!

