



Fourth Grade News for November

ACADEMICS

Social Studies—We are currently learning about "Explorers," and how their adventures impact different cultures and societies.

Math—We have begun our Unit on Multiplication and Division. We are also sending home a "Strategies Cheat Sheet" for families to support you in helping the kids do their math homework.

Language Arts—We continue to read, write and think! We are working hard on planning our writing and organizing it so that those who read our writing get excited about it and can understand our thought process!

HALLOWEEN

Thank you for all your support with our activities and bread baking! We so appreciate your help.



VOLUNTEERS

The district has a new policy about in-school volunteers and we will be sending a letter home about it. If you volunteer in the classroom please review this letter carefully! Thanks!



WINTER CLOTHING REMINDER



Winter is definitely here! Once again we'd like to remind you that the kids need to come school prepared to go outside. Everyone needs to have snow boots, gloves/mittens, hats and a warm jacket. Snow pants are also a plus, especially on the really snowy days. They love being outside and we want them to be safe and warm! Thanks!



Columbine Elementary



Important Dates:

- ☺ November 4-End of Trimester
- ☺ November 10-Carnival, Report Cards Home
- ☺ November 11-No School
- ☺ November 18 Spirit Day
- ☺ November 21-25 Thanksgiving Holiday

Kids Thoughts!

School

by Angel Ruiz

There are many wonderful places, however, my favorite place is school. I watch the clock say, "Time for school." I

try to stay focused in a sea of talking. I learn new things and take some home to my mom. I'll write till I'm numb with ideas and plans in my head. I love school. I wish I could live in my school.



We had a BLAST on Halloween

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While your main goal of distributing a newsletter might be to sell your product or service, the key to a successful newsletter is making it useful to your readers.

A great way to add useful content to your newsletter is to develop and write your own articles, or include a calendar of upcoming events or a special offer that promotes a new prod-

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You can also research articles or find "filler" articles by accessing the World Wide Web. You can write about a variety of topics but try to keep your articles short.

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Some newsletters include a column that is updated every issue, for instance, an advice column, a book review, a letter from the president, or

an editorial. You can also profile new employees or top customers or vendors.

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Primary Business Address
Your Address Line 2
Your Address Line 3
Your Address Line 4

Phone: 555-555-5555
Fax: 555-555-5555
E-mail: someone@example.com

Your business tag line here.



This would be a good place to insert a short paragraph about your organization. It might include the purpose of the organization, its mission, founding date, and a brief history. You could also include a brief list of the types of products, services, or programs your organization offers, the geographic area covered (for example, western U.S. or European markets), and a profile of the types of customers or members served.

It would also be useful to include a contact name for readers who want more information about the organization.

Back Page Story Headline

This story can fit 175-225 words.

If your newsletter is folded and mailed, this story will appear on the back. So, it's a good idea to make it easy to read at a glance.

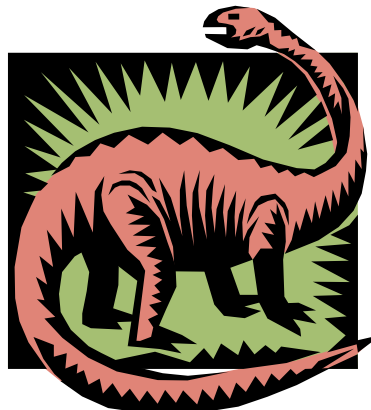
A question and answer session is a good way to quickly capture the attention of readers. You can either compile questions that you've received since the last edition or you can summarize some generic questions that are frequently asked about your organization.

A listing of names and titles of managers in your organization is a good way to give your newsletter a personal touch. If your organization is small, you may want to list the names of all

employees.

If you have any prices of standard products or services, you can include a listing of those here. You may want to refer your readers to any other forms of communication that you've created for your organization.

You can also use this space to remind readers to mark their calendars for a regular event, such as a breakfast meeting for vendors every third Tuesday of the month, or a bi-annual charity auction.



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