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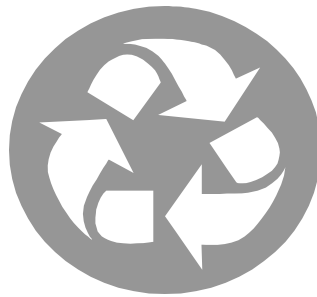
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You're invited to a

## TRASH FASHION SHOW!

Earth Day  
April 22<sup>nd</sup>  
6:00 pm  
in the School Gym



The G.A.T.E. after school students will be presenting their original handmade collection of "Trash Fashion", with an ethnic flair, in honor of Earth Day.

There will also be a corresponding exhibit of student "Earth Art" on display in the school hallway for your viewing pleasure! Please join us at 6:00 pm in the School Gym. Free healthy and wholesome refreshments will be served! Thank you!

If you would like to donate any reusable items for our trash fashion show, please contact Katie at 288-3277.)

The after school program is funded by the school G.A.T.E. (Gifted and Talented Education) funds and Katie O'Hara-Kelly is the coordinator. Cheryl Durrett, Marcie Kime, and Jeanne Black are the VERY necessary assistants. The purpose of this program is to educate students in subject areas that are not covered in the standard classroom curriculum, and provide an opportunity for students to learn more about our world.

*See page 11 for more about the program.*

## Plant Sale and Flea Market

Saturday, May 3, 9:00 to ??  
By Rochelle Bell

Hard to believe it is spring plant sale time again. This year on May 3<sup>rd</sup> from 9am until noon you can find all your favorite tomatoes and other veggies out on the field at the Rebel Ridge Store. We are hoping to see plants from Kitchen's Gardens, Anahat Farms, Sweetland Gardens, grade 2-3 students of Camptonville School, Carolyn Mumm, Mary Yeager, Rochelle Bell and from Jessie Wilcox's Rebel Ridge Organics. Come join us for a terrific day and get your gardens going.

From 9am till who knows when in the afternoon you will also find our traditional Spring Flea Market happening. The folks from Relay For Life will be there along with anyone else who wants to have a space to sell. At 7\$ a space for individuals or free to non-profits we hope to have a great selection of items for you to buy.

Don't worry about lunch. There will be baked potatoes served up by the 1-2-3 grow gang, hot dogs and burgers from the store and those luscious crepes made by the Camptonville Historical Society.

Also look for the Horseshoe Tournament – Lindsay Gross's 8<sup>th</sup> grade project- profits go to Relay For Life.

## Things to do this spring while thinking globally and acting locally

After going to the Trash Fashion Show and the Plant Sale, take a drive down Marysville Road to find out:

### Where's the beef?

By Rod & Rochelle

Locally raised, grass fed beef for sale in Oregon House?

After considering all the recent bad press about how cattle are treated, Rochelle & I decided to investigate an alternative source. So, one beautiful spring morning, we headed down Marysville Road to visit Jenny Brown's ranch. Along the way we stopped to admire the Dutchman's Pipe plant in bloom by the road side (see the article *Awareness* on page 6).

We turned off on Indiana School Road. Some of you may have gotten a glimpse of this bucolic house and barn, identified only by a small sign on the road. Well, it is so charming and peaceful there I could have sat by the 75 year old barn all day with Jenny telling stories, listening to the geese splashing in the pond, & watching the chickens wandering in the field.

Oh, back to the subject. Jennie has ranching in her blood, she runs High Sierra Beef, raising cattle on natural grass without using antibiotics or growth stimulants. Her herd of about 45 breed stock and calves move from pasture to pasture in Oregon House. You can buy her carefully raised beef right there at 14582 Indiana School Road on Saturdays and Sundays.

In addition, Jenny is a supporter of local crafts and agriculture. She offers many other locally made products such as butter, cheese, fresh produce and craft items.

Do stop by, we know you will enjoy the visit.

For more information, call 692-2564 or go to [www.highsierrabeef.com](http://www.highsierrabeef.com)



## Take a Hike

By Rod Bondurant

Visit the South Yuba River State Park and enjoy the flower display. The visitor center is on Pleasant Valley Road at Bridgeport. The park features one of only 10 covered bridges remaining in California. The bridge was restored in 1996. Built in 1862, at 251 feet, it is the longest single span covered bridge in the United States.

**Wildflower Walks:** Docents lead walks on an easy trail Saturday and Sunday at 11 am. mid March through May.

For info on Bridgeport & other interesting local places go to [www.ncgold.com/Museums\\_Parks/syvp/](http://www.ncgold.com/Museums_Parks/syvp/)

This website has interesting history articles, including one on the Henness Pass Road which goes through our town. Also see the Wildflower guide for what can be seen on the hike.

For a list and description of California's covered bridges (including Oregon Creek) go to [www.thetimesharebeat.com/yourworld/calbridges.htm](http://www.thetimesharebeat.com/yourworld/calbridges.htm)

## CCSD Report

By Pam Wilcox

Here are some of the important items from last month's Camptonville Community Service District's meeting:

Rod Bondurant will be resigning from his jobs as Water Plant Operator and Cemetery Custodian effective October 1, 2008. Job descriptions are being developed; advertisements for a person or people to replace Rod will be placed. The board is developing a handbook of policies with a vision statement for the service district. The relicensing of Bullards Bar Dam is being studied for its impact on Camptonville and how it may be mitigated. A moratorium on water hook ups in Camptonville town is needed due to limited water supplies. The procedure for shutting off water to people that are delinquent on paying their water bills in Camptonville town was finalized. Cemetery fees and policies are being studied to bring them up to date. Reports were made on the fire department's activities.


## Changing of the Guard Needed

By Richard DicKard

There are a lot of grey haired folks on our local school board who want to step down from those responsibilities. At least 3 or possibly 4 of the current 5 school board members may retire in the next year or so. Who is out there to take their places?

Younger people with children in the school need to replace those of us without children in school. Old concepts held by current board members may no longer be valid for the education of today's and tomorrow's children. If no one steps forward, the school board will not be able to function. Decisions will then be made for Camptonville's school by an administrative board in Marysville.

Well, maybe sometimes things need to fall apart before they can be rebuilt.....




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# News from the school

By Pam Wilcox

Toni Hilligoss recently resigned from the School Board. We would like to thank her for her many years of service to our school and community. We would like to welcome our new board member, Ruth Schwartz. The word of the month at our last assembly was "Leadership", which tied in nicely with honoring Tonie Hilligoss and Shirley DicKard for their many years of service to our community.

We just finished our 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Reading Marathon. The winners this year were:  
 Most money raised...Ramon Padilla  
 Most pages read... Cody Carlton  
 Books x's Sponsors...Courtney Black, Summer Wallace, Emily Potts, Owen Hedrick, Cameron Kime  
 We'd like to thank the community and students for their participation in making the marathon a huge success. We raised \$3,398.55 for our library.

- The winners at our school of the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Poetry Slam with Grizzly Hill School are:
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade First Place: Kai Pratschner  
 Second Place: Casey Fites-Kaufman/Robert Thomas
  - 4<sup>th</sup> Grade First Place: Davia Pratschner  
 Second Place: Rocky van der Meer  
 Third Place: Ravynn Noble
  - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade First Place: Justin Garcia  
 Second Place: Tina McCarty  
 Third Place: Emily Potts
  - 7<sup>th</sup> Grade First Place: Cheyenne Stuart  
 Second Place: Courtney Black  
 Third Place: James Dondono
  - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade First Place: Ramon Padilla  
 Second Place: Skyler Noble

Congratulations Camptonville students, you did a great job.

**What's Growin' On?**  
 Gardening has begun in the 2/3 Classroom. They've started vegetable seeds and have them under grow lights. Watch for them at the Plant Sale the first week of May.

Events to watch for in April:  
 Bulbs ordered from Club Live Members will be arriving early in the month. Wild Things will be bringing their amazing animals to our school in April. On Earth Day, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, there will be an evening planned you won't want to miss. Club Live will be performing their annual Talent Show in April. The Site Council meets the third Tuesday of each month, join us if you can.


# Chief John Murphy Scholarship Fund

Sent to us by Mike Cherry - USFS

Krystal DelBono of Brownsville is a recipient of the first award of the Chief John Murphy Scholarship Fund. Currently at work on an AA degree at Butte-Glen Community College, Miss DelBono intends to study forensic science at Sacramento State University. Although working full time in addition to being a student, she finds time to help out at Friday Night Lights providing recreation and mentoring to Foothill youth.

Andrea R. Kirkpatrick of Oroville is also a recipient of the first award of the Chief John Murphy Scholarship Fund. This award will help her realize her childhood dream of becoming an RN. Ms. Kirkpatrick has dedicated herself to work in health care field for over 20 years. Her experience includes home health care, MediVan transport, and management of a Meals on Wheels program. Currently she works in cardiology. "At the end of the day," she states in her application, "my life always felt more complete when I could make someone's life better in some way...."

The Chief John Murphy Scholarship Fund was established in 2007 in memory of Chief John Murphy and his years of unstinting service and generosity to the Foothill Community. Its mission is to support local educational needs in the areas of emergency services, fire protection and related fields. This award was made possible through the contributions of local businesses, organizations and community members who want to improve the quality of life for residents of our community. Applications may be submitted at any time. For more information please contact Johnita Downs at (530) 675-0633.



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Once, an ape dreamed he was man, and woke and found it was true.  
Never wish for what you don't truly want, for it may come true.  
Once, a small blue orb spun in space.  
The mistake of an ape that becomes a man can destroy worlds.  
Once, the world ended as the sun set in a blood red sky.  
And the moon rose over a barren landscape that replaced what had once been there.  
Once, a man dreamed he was an ape.  
He woke and found that he was still a man.

By Carey Ruff

## If I Had Stayed Inside Today

By Shirley DicKard

If I had stayed inside today, I'd have missed signs of spring's arrival. I wouldn't have heard the Osprey's call announcing their annual return to the nearby nest. I wouldn't have noticed the thrashing of oak leaves as three Garter Snakes entwined in their seasonal embrace. Nor would I have thrilled at the Black Headed Grosbeak's haunting call which it sings from tree top weeks before ever showing its presence.

If I had stayed inside today, I wouldn't have seen the slick dart of raptor through the trees – Peregrine Falcon again? Or glimpsed the color swatches of Goldfinch, Blue Jay and Purple Finch shuttling from feeder to pond and back again. It's likely I wouldn't have wondered at those red and brown frogs (or toads? or were they frogs?) sunning on the pond rocks. Nor would my neighbor Ross Trotter have come over to identify them as Foothill Yellow-Legged frogs – a species of concern he said.

I could have stayed inside today and spring would have happened well enough without me. But I spent today outdoors, and for that was present to the arrival of spring. What an amazing place this is!

## Awareness

By Rod Bondurant

"What! How many times have you driven that road and you never noticed it?" Duly chagrined, the next time I drove Marysville road I watched for the Dutchman's Pipe plant that Leland Pauly was talking about. It is in bloom now by a telephone pole about a half mile past the dam. Every time I drive by it I reflect on how much more fun the world is for me if I do take the time and energy to be aware of what's under my nose.

*Aristolochia Californica* is a deciduous vine native to our area. Also called Pipevine, It is so named for the flowers that resemble meerschaum pipes that were common in the Netherlands. The preferred habitat is described as partial shade with ample water - not where it is growing along Marysville Road. The cream colored flowers show up in February or March, before the leaves.

The vine (like everything else around us) is a tiny part of the complex web of life. Wikipedia offered up the following: "The larva of the pipevine swallowtail butterfly (*Battus philenor*) relies on California Pipevine as its only food source. The red-spotted black caterpillars consume the leaves of the plants and then use the flowers as a secure, enclosed place to undergo metamorphosis. The plant contains a toxin which when ingested by the caterpillars makes them unpalatable to predators."

## 1,2,3 Grow fundraiser & community event

By Marcie Kime

April 24th at school, dinner being sold & served at 5:30pm, followed by a presentation by Thelma Amaya-Andersen, the Yuba County Behavioral Specialist, called, "Building Your Child Up For Success".



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## Chicken Chronicles

By Stephanie Ruff

The girls welcomed in spring with a whopping ten-egg day. Wow! This was a first. This meant that all the hens at Rebel Hen Ranch laid an egg that day. It hasn't happened since so the Spring Equinox was a special day.

For the first time since my hens started laying I actually bought eggs. Not because we were low in the egg department-the girls are averaging 7-9 eggs a day. We wanted to dye some eggs for the holidays and fresh eggs are just so hard to peel. So I broke down and bought some-it was weird. Paying for something that we have an abundance of. Anyway, after the holidays I did some research and discovered a trick for hard boiling fresh eggs. I tried it out and it worked-sure wish I'd learned this sooner.

I'll share it with you. When you look at an egg you will notice there is a pointy end and a wider flat end. The wide flat end has the air cell. As a newly laid egg begins to cool down the air cell is formed. There are also more pores at this end of the egg. This is for the baby chick- as it grows it will eventually use this air cell to help it breath in oxygen and breath out carbon dioxide. The older an egg is without a chick inside the bigger the air cell becomes. Which is why old eggs float and fresh eggs don't.

What you want to do is take your fresh eggs and poke a small hole on the wide flat end with a needle. I used a thicker sewing needle-not one of the real thin ones. Boil as you normally would and ta-da! Easy to peel fresh eggs! I have found the best way to boil an egg so it doesn't come out too rubbery and gross is to put the eggs in enough cold salted water that covers the eggs by an inch. Then bring the eggs to a rolling boil. Once it's boiling, COVER and turn the heat off and let it sit covered for 15 minutes. Then run cold water over the eggs to cool them down. Yum!

Eggs are highly nutritious. They contain almost all essential nutrients that humans need except for vitamin C. The egg even contains B-12-a very important essential vitamin that can cause serious problems when one is lacking it in their diet.


Things have been relatively calm around here- no more rubber glove incidents to report on. Thank goodness! The chickens are happy that plants are sprouting and bugs are crawling and that the snow hasn't returned. I try to tell them it always snows in April so don't get too excited. "Insulator" our rooster

still needs a home-anyone need a rooster? He's not aggressive and very handsome. Give a call if you are interested-please leave a message 288-3512!



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## General Plan Update Advisory Committee meeting #5 By Cathy LeBlanc

Yuba County General Plan work continues to move forward. Mathew Gerken of EDAW (Eckbo, Dean and Williams) facilitates these monthly meetings, which are presented by the Yuba County Planning Department and are open to the public. (Though I must warn you: These are active committee meetings and the public is only allowed to comment at the end.)

Advisory Committee members met on Monday March 17<sup>th</sup> and discussed summary findings regarding local economy, agriculture, hydrology, water quality, infrastructure and public services. Committee members were given background data and then Gerken would ask thought provoking questions to help lead the discussions. For instance: How should the General Plan balance economic development priorities with avoidance of flood risk? Or: What improvements to storm drainage and flood protection should the General Plan encourage in existing communities? Which led to other discussion items like,

It's hard for farmers in Plumas Lake with urban encroachment.

There are 6 new bills in the state legislature that look forward to the next 10-15 years regarding the 200-year flood and no new development in the deep flood plain (areas that would be flooded over 3 feet deep).

Conflict over Army Corps of Engineers decision that levees are not strong enough to withstand a 200-year flood. Which brought up the basic question: Should we develop in flood plains, and if not where should development occur? (Not in the foothills was the background murmur, shhh.. no comments from the gallery.) Many times committee members felt they needed more information to make sound decisions and the discussion items were tabled for a future meeting.

Hal Stocker told folks that he had just returned from the Ahwahnee Conference on Global Warming and we also really need to consider how the General Plan will address those effects county wide. He reminded the group that 50% of global warming effects are from transportation, mainly our private cars. Reports warning that global warming could lead to large-scale food and water shortages and have catastrophic effects on wildlife. Which led to more questions:

Should water agencies be consolidated through out

the county?

Should the general plan encourage agricultural industries?

Should the County allow farmers greater flexibility in production uses on agricultural land to maintain economic viability?

Should the County support crop production for fuel oils/ ethanol and associated industries?

As you can see this was a long meeting (3 plus hours) and I admit it was sometimes frustrating holding my tongue until the end. Interestingly most of the folks in the gallery were from the foothill communities and in the end it was foothill folk who brought up points for the committee to ponder. There was even a written proposal from the No on Yuba Highlands Committee regarding land use; They proposed reversing grazing densities for the Yuba Foothills, specifically for River Highlands Community Plan to 80,160 and 640 acre parcels consistent with existing parcel size. They made a point that the 5-acre minimum that was uniformly adopted in the 60's by many rural communities in California is no longer useful or relevant.

And I did bring up a couple of questions I had for the committee to consider: How can the committee make policy for Yuba County as a whole when it encompasses such diverse geographic areas? How can we even compare or make generalized statements? For example how will a policy aimed at Marysville or Plumas Lake take shape in the foothills? And finally please consider how these policies will affect our children now and in the future?

If anyone would like to attend these General Plan Advisory Committee meetings just call the Resource Center 288-9355 and let us know. The next meeting is on the To Be Announced schedule and will be in April sometime. To find out more you may call Wendy Hartman, Planning Director 915 8th Street, Suite 123, Marysville, CA 95901(530) 749-5470 Fax - (530) 749-5434 email:

[planning@co.yuba.ca.us](mailto:planning@co.yuba.ca.us) or you may go on-line:

<http://www.co.yuba.ca.us/Departments/Community%20Development/Planning/Default%20Pages/generalplanupdate.aspx>



## Children's Roundtable Report

By Cathy LeBlanc

Children's Roundtable Report State Budget update:

It seems to me this year especially, folks are saying, *enough is enough*. They want decision makers to know these proposed Budget cuts are pushing hard up against the boundaries that affect the well being of our children. Families, advocates and communities are now drawing the line together.

**(Note: At the March 13<sup>th</sup> Children's Roundtable meeting, advocates decided on a different course of action from the earlier planned Press Conference and Education/ Lobby Day that was to be held at the Capitol in April. But don't despair there will be ACTION in the near future! Read on:)**

There was a lively *change of strategy* discussion at the beginning of the meeting led by Nancy Strohl of the Child Care Law Center and Mike Herald of Western Center On Law and Poverty. Nancy suggested that the Children's Advocates' Roundtable might want to link with *Californians United Against Cutting Vital Services* (fax# 916 422-0976 Diane Perrigo) who will concentrate their action at **legislators local offices** instead of the State Capitol. This group is made up of seniors, parents, fire fighters, enforcement officers, school employees, healthcare advocates, environmentalist, people with disabilities, caregivers and working families. Their strategy concerns revenue enhancements. Most advocates are in agreement: Revenue enhancements are vital to help offset the proposed state budget cuts. Herald was very enthusiastic saying this was the broadest coalition he has seen in his many years, concerning action against state budget cuts! He went onto say, "Voters don't believe there is a crisis. We must take this local." Voters at the local level will impact legislators locally. There are many lobby/education days at the Capitol, but very few organized at the local office level. For the *Californians United Against Cutting Vital Services* group Strohl let us know the plan is to have "on the ground organizers to pull folks together in the districts".

Some members of the Children's Advocates' Roundtable were worried about too broad of a coalition, "If we pull everyone in, will that dilute the message for children?" was the question asked by Alex Cooke, publisher of *On the Capitol Doorstep*.

Susanna Kniffen of *Fight Crime - Invest in Kids*

reminded us, "There are a lot of cuts on the table. We need to be focused on children. Cuts will still outweigh revenue enhancements. New Revenue is only a small slice of this pie. We need to do our own effort to fight the cuts."

Strohl felt, "We should coordinate with the broader umbrella and we should be at the table when children's issues are heard.

Herald reminded the group that the "big coalition is happening because no *one group* can get enough (legislative) votes on their own."

Steve Barrow of First 5 California said, "You can do the press work in both places. The coalition of *people in pain* (from these proposed budget cuts) is so broad now, there needs to be all kinds of things going on in local districts as well as the Capitol.

Jean Tepperman of Action Alliance for Children asked, "What will motivate Legislators more? It's the local constituents who vote for re-election."

### So here's the plan to date:

Ed Howard, the Children's Advocates' Roundtable Chair let us know the Children's Advocacy Institute will set up a web site link that will keep us informed. We should identify those groups who are allied, and give materials and talking points to the local effort that way we all may have a uniform message for local lobby/education efforts. Lisa Kaplan, brought on by Howard, will facilitate the Children's Advocates' Roundtable effort. You may contact her via email [kaplan4kids@yahoo.com](mailto:kaplan4kids@yahoo.com) or phone (916) 996.1474. He also let us know Friday's are when Legislators are in the district offices.

So, stay tuned folks. I'll continue to keep you informed and get ready to be part of the ACTION!

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## Yuba River Ranger District

By Betty Leffew

Spring has sprung. Flowers and trees blooming everywhere. The last couple of weeks have been gorgeous.

Fuelwood season is due to open May 1st.

The campgrounds at Bullard Bar will be opening April 15<sup>th</sup>. The campgrounds along Highway 49, will open 1<sup>st</sup> day of fishing season. Until Memorial Day they will be first come first served. All the campgrounds are now by reservation, at [www.recreation.gov/campground](http://www.recreation.gov/campground) Memorial Day through Labor Day, phone # 1-877-444-6777. Snag is still free. Rivers will start rising as the weather warms up. Be careful, fast current and cold temperatures reduce the body's ability to function properly.

Well folks, we have only received ½ of our normal rainfall. As of March 20<sup>th</sup>, we only had 39.71 inches. Last year at this time it was nearly the same at 35.92. Not a very good outlook. We do have snow this year so that is better.

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Obama	55
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Republican:

Huckabee	4
Thompson	1
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Romney	37

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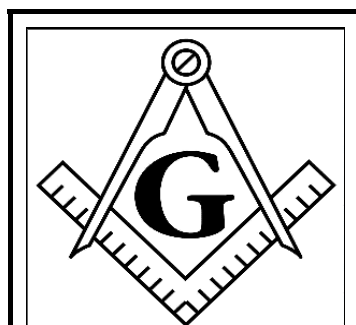
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## The “G.A.T.E. to Learning Program” at Camptonville School

By Katie O’Hara-Kelly

In October 2007 a new after school program began at Camptonville School. It takes place on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2:45 to 4:00 pm and is open to all students.

On Tuesdays all lessons/activities are based on different cultures of the world. To begin with we focused on Australia. We learned about the mammals of Australia (Marsupials to Monotremes) as well as the marine wildlife (Clownfish to Sea Lions) on the Great Barrier Reef. We studied the art and culture of the native Aborigines, covering Dreamtime and X-ray paintings and their invention-the boomerang. Four of the 7-8<sup>th</sup> grade students also learned and performed some “Aussie” songs. We culminated our Australia studies with a performance and G.A.T.E. presentation on Steve Irwin (an Australian biologist) Day in November.

In October we also briefly studied Mexico and their “Day of the Dead” celebration. We made tissue paper flowers and cardboard jointed “calacas” (skeletons).

In January we studied how birds and mammals survive the winter in our area and made seeded peanut butter covered cones for the birds.

Our next country of study was Japan. We started out with making paper origami cranes (even the kindergarteners!) and some “kirigami” (folded and cut paper) flowers.



We drank Japanese tea and ate rice crackers, cookies, and sushi! Students tried on Kimonos and obis and took a close look at handmade Japanese folk toys. Students were led in a step-by-step brush painting lesson of cherry blossom branches and birds. We learned about the “Noh” and “Kabuki” theaters, and “Bunraku” puppets. We made masks in the style of Kabuki theatrical make up, and Cheryl Durrett gave the

older students a lesson in Japanese drama. Additionally, Marcie Kime made dragons with the K-1 kids on Chinese New Years.

We are currently studying Africa. This week we watched one educational video on a variety of West African cultures, and one on the Serengeti wildlife. We also danced to African music, made “Adinkra” cloth, and Cheryl began teaching us how to make beaded gourd “shekeres”.

During the month of April we will be focusing on environmental concerns, such as the local endangered species, recycling, and composting.

On Thursdays we do a variety of crafts and P.E. activities. Jeanne Black is our P.E. instructor. Those who want to go outside go with Jeanne and Marcie. The rest stay with Katie and Cheryl for crafts. So far we have made a wide variety of crafts including: Picasso type faces, hand sewn felt Halloween trick-or-treat bags, puppet heads on sticks, leaf prints on fabric, glass mosaics, Xmas crafts, cement stepping stones, and “Sharecrows” (look for them in the school garden).



Additionally from January to February Cheryl taught many students how to weave on straws and to knit scarves! Many of her students even took the knitting home so they could work on it in their spare time!

We try to provide a well rounded program for all ages. If you have any comments/suggestions, or would like more information about our program, please contact Katie at 288-3277. We will also be giving a “Trash Fashion Show” on April 22<sup>nd</sup> (Earth Day) at 6:00pm and would love to have you attend Thank you!

## APRIL CALENDAR:

Plant Sale and Flea Market	Saturday, May 3, 9 am to ?
CCP Board	Monday, April 14, 4 pm at the Resource Center
School Board	Wednesday, April 9 at 6:30 pm in the school library.
CCSD	Monday, April 21, 7pm at the Camptonville School.
Trash Fashion Show	Tuesday, April 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 6:00 pm in the School Gym
1,2,3 Grow fundraiser	Thursday, April 24th at school, dinner at 5:30pm, followed by a presentation "Building Your Child Up For Success"
Yoga	Saturdays, 10 am at the Rebel Ridge clubhouse
123 Grow	For infants to 5 years, Tue - Thur, 9-11:30am. For info call 288-9355.
Food Bank	Third Thursday of each month at the Lake Francis Grange, Dobbins

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