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# ROOT WORD

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## Principal's Office

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### H1N1 INFO:

Wake County Human Services will be holding H1N1 flu clinics around the county January 4-9. Clinics are open to anyone over 6 months of age. The clinics will open as scheduled as long as the County has sufficient vaccine supply 24 hours in advance. Complete information, including times, dates and locations, is located at [WWW.WCPSS.NET](http://WWW.WCPSS.NET)

### DATES TO REMEMBER:

Monday, January 11; Chik-Fil-A Night @ North Hills  
January 11-15 Grade 3 CogAT Screening/Test for AG  
**Monday, January 18; Martin Luther King Day - No School**  
**Monday, January 25; Teacher Workday - No School**  
Wednesday, February 3; Early Dismissal 1:15pm  
Thursday, February 4; PTA General Meeting 6:30pm  
**Monday, February 15; President's Day - No School**  
February 27, Saturday, ROOT ROCKS FUNDRAISER



### JANUARY STAFF BIRTHDAYS:

Nancy Hunsucker, January 6<sup>th</sup>  
Eve Navarro, January 19<sup>th</sup>  
Neat Anthony, January 25<sup>th</sup>  
Sue Hladik, January 27<sup>th</sup>

## A note from IRT/Testing Department:

**January 11-15, 2010: Grade 3 CogAT-Screening Test for AG-** (Aptitude) All Grade 3 students  
**March 15-19, 2010: Grade 3 ITBS- Screening Test for AG-** (Achievement) Select Students  
**May 10-19, 2010: Grades 3-5 EOG (End of Grade) Test-** If students receive Level III or IV on the reading and math EOG's, their testing is completed.  
**May 24-June 4, 2010: Grades 3-5 EOG (End of Grade) Retest-** There is mandatory retesting of Level II students; the parents of students scoring at Level I may request a retest. The school will notify parents of students scoring at level II or I in regard to the retest.

We respectfully request that parents avoid making travel plans and routine doctor's appointments during these testing dates.

Sue Hladik  
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\*This is the first time that 3rd grade students will take a system wide standardized test. Please make sure your child eats well and gets a good nights rest.



School Store Open  
On Wednesdays.

*Hours of Operation: 8:35 to 9:05*

*Location: Bottom of stairs near office.*

# ROOT ROCKS" FUNDRAISER UPDATE

*-Act Fast to Support This Event-*

**Join the Aldert Root Educational  
Foundation**

**For a "Root Rocks"  
Celebration & Silent Auction**

**Featuring**

**Earl Johnson's Band**

**"Woodward South"**

**ON**

**Saturday, February 27th**

**From 8 to 11 p.m.**

**AT North Hills Club**

## Jeans & Boots

**Invitations will be mailed the beginning of February.  
All proceeds benefit the Aldert Root Educational  
Foundation. For more information, contact Heather  
Thompson at [hbthompson@mindspring.com](mailto:hbthompson@mindspring.com) or  
215.4196.**

### **Silent Auction Items Needed!**

We are looking for silent auction items for the "Root Rocks" fundraiser. **Please look in today's Tuesday folder for a donation form. Become an Event Sponsor and Receive Free Tickets & Recognition on Invitation**

\$500 Root Star Sponsor - two tickets to the party and your name on the invitation

\$1,000 Root Silver Star Sponsor - receive four tickets to the party and your name on the invitation

\$2,500 Root Gold Star Sponsor - receive six tickets to the event and your logo on the invitation

Please look in today's Tuesday folder for a sponsorship form.



ATTN ROOT PARENTS & STUDENTS:

We will have a Chick-fil-A night  
On  
**Monday, January 11th.**

Come and meet your friends for some great eats at a great price! Take in a movie perhaps or just relax at North Hills for the evening.



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- **Grades** - k - 5
- **2009-10 Bell Schedule** - 9:05 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
- **2009-10 Enrollment** - 476