

SIXTH GRADE NEWS #5
October 28, 2005
DATES TO REMEMBER

Thanksgiving Break	November 23 rd – 25 th
Complete Iliad	November 3 rd
Final Test Over Iliad	November 7 th
Introduce Research Paper	November 8 th
Note Cards for Research	November 9 th – 14 th
Outline	November 15 th
Write Paper	November 15 th -17 th
Research Paper Due	November 18 th

Dear Parents,

We would like to express our sincere thanks to all the parents for attending the parent conferences last week. There are a few left, but we were certainly happy with the turnout. Hopefully, you as parents found these to be helpful.

By the time you read this newsletter, you will have attended our Living History Wax Museum. Special thanks to the following parents for all their help: Anita Smith (chairman), Lonnie Foster, Kelly Packard, (provided banner and sign for Museum), Steve Wick, Cheri Lamperes, Cheri Schwiesow, and Ceclia Doherty. Our apologies if we omitted anyone. Hopefully, you all enjoyed this project. In all honesty, it is one of our favorites. The reason we like it so much is that it serves so many purposes. It is our book report, it helps students become an expert on one of our historical characters in our Core Knowledge curriculum, it shares this knowledge with the other students of the school, and it is a wonderful activity for our Literature Festival. Thanks for your support on this endeavor.

What would we do without our Parent Partners? Thankfully, our parents are doing an excellent job working with the District in order to keep our program at Traut. Thanks to all of you that are making the meetings a priority. Parents that are in leadership positions at our school are certainly doing their homework before each of these meetings. A word of encouragement to them would mean a great deal.

With appreciation,

The Sixth Grade Staff