



News from 4-G

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Happy Friday,

It's been another busy week. The concert on Tuesday was awesome! Isn't it amazing to see the progress and improvement between December and June! Here's what we've been working on this week:

- ✍ We read Charlotte's Web as a whole class. At the end of chapter 13 students formed into character groups to discuss the personality traits of each character.
- ✍ While working on their nonfiction books, students have learned how to write a caption and jazz up their headings for each page. Many students are in the revision process and are referring to their checklists to make sure they have included all of the important nonfiction concepts they've learned, such as, text structures, graphic and text features.
- ✍ As part of our Mexico unit, students began making their piñatas. Ask your child where piñatas originated and where they were used first before they came to Mexico.
- ✍ In math, your children learned how to find the area of a rectangle, parallelogram, and triangle. They used specific formulas to find the area of each.
- ✍ Students are writing words to the class song they will perform on Monday, June 16th.

Dates to remember:

End of the Year Celebration: Monday, June 16th at 8:45am

Have a good weekend!
Vanessa