

Plymouth Elementary  
WEEK IN REVIEW  
(Just a few highlights)  
September 28- October 2

Monday

- Four Winds Nature Program started today! All students were involved in Sunlight & Shadow workshop. Everyone went outside for a shadow activity. Inside, we participated in various activities about the sun, seasons and day & night. A good time was had by all! Thank you to Mrs. Dupont, Ms. Gambone & Mr. Johnsen, our volunteers for this exciting, once monthly learning adventure!

Tuesday

- Keep those cans & bottles coming! Over seven hundred bottles & cans were redeemed this week- WOW! Thanks to all of you, we are well on our way to our \$500 goal.

Wednesday

- The children were not in school today. Teachers participated in various professional development activities around southern Vermont. We are sure our students were home reading, doing math problems, conducting experiments, playing outside and writing about their daily activities!

Thursday

- Fifth & sixth graders are learning more about story elements and enjoying writing in Writers' Notebooks
- Grades three & four- Mrs. Davis read aloud from informational text, Sun Power, and the students responded to the reading in their new Four Winds Journals. Kudos to the Four Winds Nature Program and our astute volunteers for recognizing the value of writing across the curriculum!
- Kindergarteners read about the life and times of Johnny Appleseed. They were amazed to learn about this legendary character and how animals loved him. We traced Johnny's travels on a U.S. map and made hats that resemble the cooking pot he wore on his head.

Friday

- Our first field trip of the year was to Coolidge Homestead for The Buckwheat harvest and tour!

More notes:

- *Thanks to Mrs. Earle and Mrs. Kowalski for the yummy birthday treats Logan & Julia shared.*
- *We are in need of Kleenex throughout the year and would appreciate donations. Our little red noses are very grateful for something soft*