



**Lighthouse School®
100 Cluster Newsletter**

May 2009

Notes from the Homeroom:

As the sun brightens the sky and the flowers blossom, the 100 Cluster has wrapped up a fun filled May! This month, students had the opportunity to participate in a multitude of activities. We started the month off right by jumping into a cluster-based activity. Students were able to sign-up for an activity of their choice—time on the playground, a chess tournament, basketball, a fishing trip down the road, or bowling! We ended the day by enjoying some ice cream bars and socializing in our homerooms.

May has also been jam-packed with sporting events galore! The softball team has a winning record, with a few more games to go! Students have been encouraged to use their tokens to cheer on the team in the sunshine. Other 100 Cluster students have been involved in the intramurals on Tuesday afternoons, where they have learned skills in sports such as softball, basketball, golf, and more to come as the program continues throughout end of the year! Also, students who had “safe weeks” were invited outside to the sports court on Friday afternoons to socialize, play games, and relax with peers and staff.

During this month, the 100 Cluster introduced the first annual spirit week. Each day had a theme and students were encouraged to “dress the part” of that day. We had a tie-dye day, hat day, best-dressed day, sports day and career day. Many of the students participated as well as the staff!

On a more academic side of things, our students have devoted much of their time this month to MCAS and NECAP testing as well as continuously attending lessons and completing assignments. We are very proud of their efforts during this strenuous time. Let’s give them a round of applause!