


# Pop Open a Good Book!





January 15, 2009

Dear Parents,


Popping open a good book can be buckets of fun! It's time for Kendall students to get their minds poppin' and read! Students will be adding popcorn to our popcorn stand on the wall in the LMC as they meet their reading goals. We invite everyone to participate in our winter reading program, "Pop Open a Good Book!"


 The program will begin on Monday, January 19, and will conclude Monday, February 16.


 This is an opportunity for students to practice recreational reading at home. They may read by themselves, with others, or have others read to them.


 Attached you will find a Reading Calendar which students may use to track how many minutes they read each day.


 *The reading goal for all grades is 90 minutes of reading each week. (Total 360 minutes)*

 Reading time should be entered on the Reading Calendar and initialed by a parent.

 Students are asked to complete, CUT OUT and return the popcorn reading markers each Monday morning, beginning January 26. These markers will indicate that the student reached his or her reading goal the previous week.

 Reading Calendars should be returned to school at the end of the reading program on Tuesday, February 17.

 Reading minutes for classroom reading assignments may also be used for this program's reading goal.

 Students who reach their reading goals will receive a voucher to attend a Kane County Cougars baseball game AND a voucher for a free child's admission to Six Flags Great America in Gurnee, Illinois.

We hope "Pop Open a Good Book!" is an enjoyable reading experience. If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the LMC.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Gutmann, LMC Director  
Mrs. Schweiger, LMC Assistant

**IMPORTANT!** Please note that ALL calendars MUST be returned to the LMC by Tuesday, February 17, 2009. *Calendars returned after that date may not receive Cougar or Six Flags vouchers.*