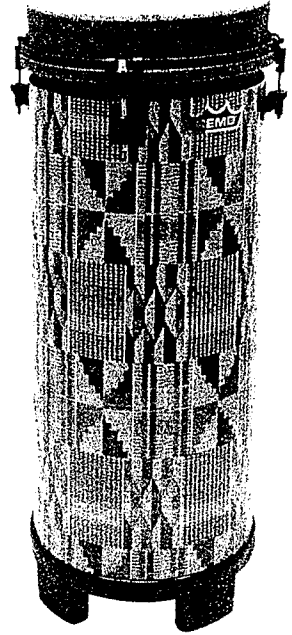




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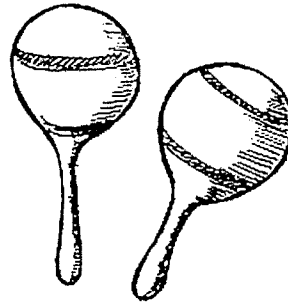


Dear Parents,

It has been wonderful to meet your child and I have enjoyed having each one in class! We have learned a lot first quarter.

Some of the highlights include:

- We have listened to music and learned many ways to move our bodies safely to the music. We will keep working on this all year.
- We learned that music has a steady beat. Each child got a chance to play a special drum and set the beat to a song.
- We learned how to play a lot of classroom instruments including sticks, tambourine, cowbell, maracas and woodblocks.



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Ask Me

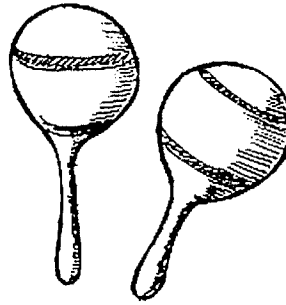
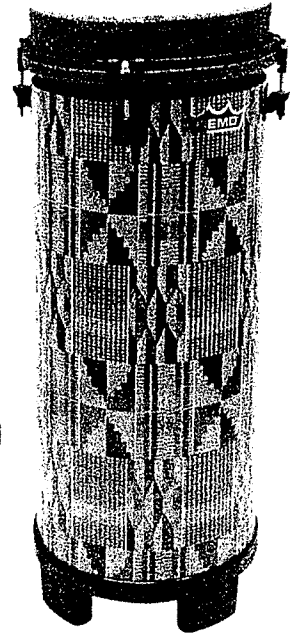
We learned how to use our voices in four different ways: whisper, shout, speak and sing. We played a fun game to practice our four voices. Ask your child to demonstrate each type of voice using this song.

King Leopold

Good King Leopold may we cross your kingdom?



First Grade October 2018 Music News



Dear Parents,

It has been a wonderful start to the school year and I have enjoyed having your child in class! We have learned a lot first quarter. Some of the highlights include:

- We have listened to music and learned many ways to move our bodies safely to the music in our personal space and shared space. We practiced moving in different pathways for different types of music.
- We learned that music has a steady beat and we practiced playing the beat on tubano drums and singing a song at the same time!

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Ask Me

We have been working on singing a song all by ourselves as a solo. Ask your child to sing the song:

Peep Squirrel

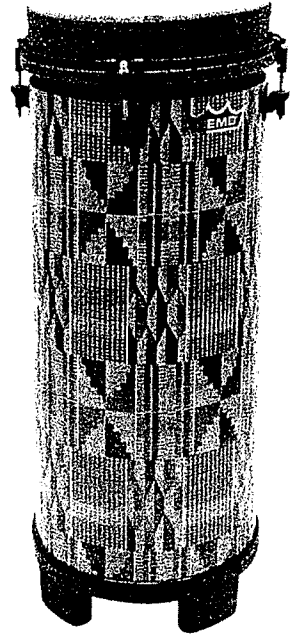
or

Pierrot

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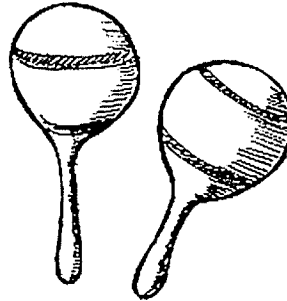
Music News



Dear Parents,

It has been a wonderful start to the school year and I have enjoyed having your child in class! We have learned a lot first quarter. Some of the highlights include:

- We have listened to music and learned many ways to move our bodies to a steady beat in our personal spots (non-locomotor) and through general space (locomotor).
- We played a lot of percussion instruments and learned that they can be grouped into families of woods, metals, drums, scrapers and shakers.



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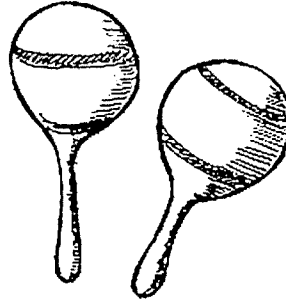
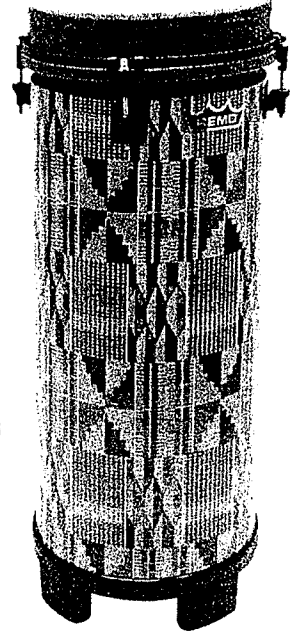
We have been working on singing a song all by ourselves as a solo. Ask your child to sing the song:

The Boatman
or
Hop Old Squirrel

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3rd Grade October 2018

Music News



Dear Parents,

It has been a wonderful start to the school year and I have enjoyed having your child in class! We have learned a lot first quarter. Some of the highlights include:

- We have practiced reading music notes for rhythms in 6/8 meter. We have learned to hear them and be able to write them down, as well as play them on instruments.
- We also learned how to recognize and sing patriotic songs.

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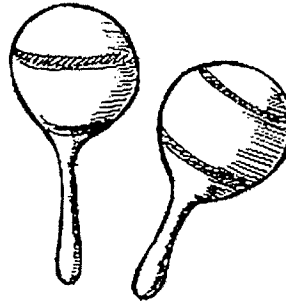
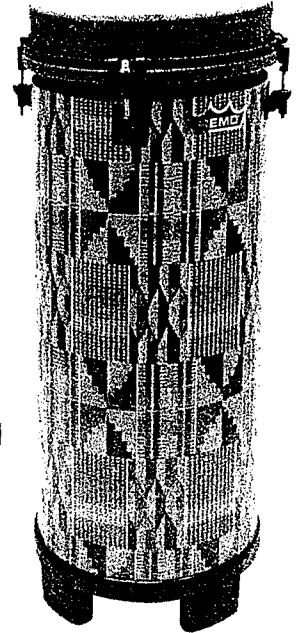
Ask your child to sing their favorite patriotic song. Some of the songs we learned are:

America (My Country Tis' of Thee)
You're A Grand Old Flag
This Land Is Your Land

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4th Grade October 2018

Music News



Dear Parents,

It has been a wonderful start to the school year and I have enjoyed having your child in class! We have learned a lot first quarter. Some of the highlights include:

- We have practiced reading music notes for two new rhythms, the quarter rest and half note. We have learned to hear them and be able to write them down, as well as play them on instruments.
- We also learned about theme and variation form in music. We figured out how to represent music with colors, lines and shapes and made a visual for Mozart's Variations on Ah, Vous Dirai-Je, Maman which is the melody of Twinkle Twinkle Little Star.

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Ask Me

Ask your child to sing one of the songs we learned with half notes.

Rocky Mountain

Or

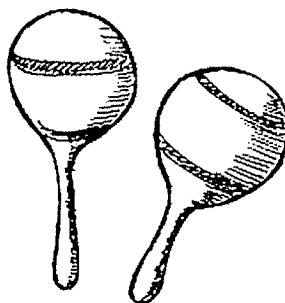
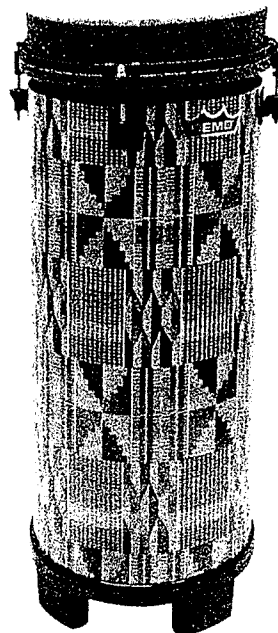
Who's That?

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5th Grade October 2018

Music News



Dear Parents,

We have learned a lot in music class first quarter. Some of the highlights include:

- We have listened to many instruments from the orchestra and practiced recognizing them by their sound.
- We have practiced reading music notes for rhythms in $6/8$ meter. We have learned to hear them and be able to write them down, as well as play them on instruments.

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Kansas City Symphony Concert

You have a wonderful opportunity to attend a Kansas City Symphony Concert at only \$5 per ticket. This concert will be held at Wyandotte High School on October 30, 2018 at 7:30 pm.

Please consider taking your child to see live musicians performing on the instruments they have been learning about.

Tickets are available to purchase in the Stony Point North School Office.