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**The Barnes Bulletin**

**\* Homework**: The math link is due on Friday. Also, make sure to read nightly for 20 minutes and practice your math facts for 5-10 minutes a night.

**\*Testing**: **Dibels Testing:** Wednesday, May 13th in the morning. **NWEA** **Reading:** Thursday, May 14th from 9:05-10:20. When possible please try to avoid making appointments for your child during testing times. Also, please make sure your child has a good breakfast and sleeps well the night before testing. The students did great on the Language and Math test! I know the students are going to do great on the last two tests!

**\*Author Visit:** Author Bob Shea is visiting our school on May 20th. Book Order Forms are due this Wednesday, May 13th. Students will receive their books on May 20th.

**\*Half Day:** This Wednesday, May 13th is a half day for students. We also have Dibels reading fluency testing that morning. Dismissal is at 11:50 a.m. on May 13th.

**\*Website:** <http://mrsbarnes2ndgrade.weebly.com/index.html> Check out our classroom website and all the awesome pictures! You can find links to The Information Place and Reflex Math on the homework page!

\* **Science:** We are learning about plants and plant life cycles.

\* **Math:** We are reviewing time and money.

**\* Reading:** We are reviewing reading skills.

**\*Library:** We will have library on **Monday** this week. Library will be on Monday the rest of the school year.

\***Writing:** We are writing fiction stories.

**\*Spelling Test:** The spelling test will be on Friday!

**\*Field Trip:** We are going to the John Ball Zoo on May 28th. The chaperone slips are going home today.

Your partner in education,

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