

Dear Future 4th Graders,

It's time to think about summer reading! Now that you are entering into 4th grade, you will be responsible for reading 3 Rebecca Caudill nominee books **and** 4 Bluestem nominee books (list attached). Books need to be read before you can vote in February, 2018.

I know that seems like a long time from now, but time always flies when you're having fun and the February vote will come before you know it. **In order to vote, you have to have read the required number of books and completed a book report form (attached) for each book.**

There is a reward for your hard work. If you read and complete the required book report forms, you will be rewarded with a pizza party lunch!

Some recommendations I am making:

- Read as many books and complete as many reports as you can over the summer.
- Make copies of the book report form because I only gave you one.
- Read the book titles that are circled because they count for both lists. This means you read one book and get credit for two!

**Just a heads up... You will need to turn in one completed book report form in August and one in September.

**If you read a book that is on both lists, you only need to complete one book report form.

If you have questions over the summer, I will be checking my email fairly regularly, so you can email me with questions at ptierney@stthomasphilo.org.

I'm really excited to have you in my class! It's going to be a great year.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Tierney