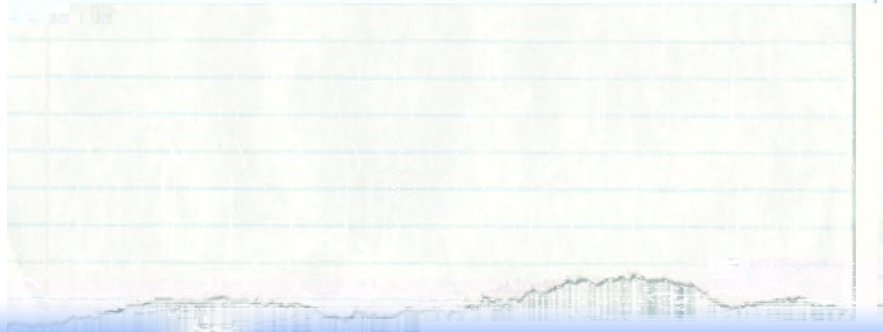
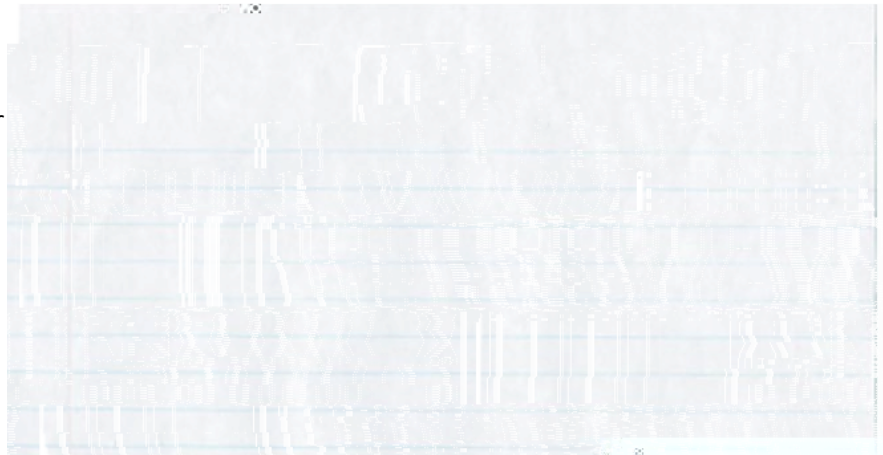


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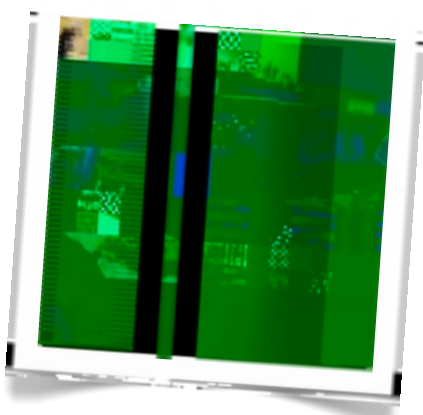
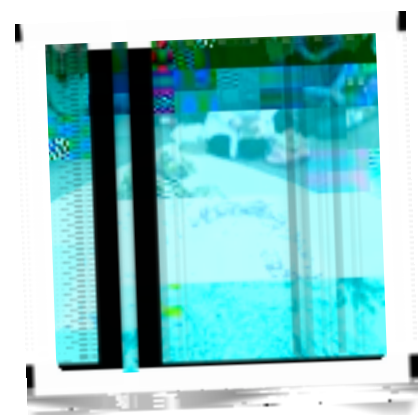
A word from Ms. Mall...

As many parent already know, Winterberry is moving! Not this year or the next, but our hope is that we will begin the 2012/2013 school year in a new site. Over the past six years our community has spent countless hours identifying what we need/want and looking into where we can find a site to meet our vision.

During the 2009/2010 school year we hired RIM Architects to consider our previous community work and assist us in identifying options for a possible future location. Out of this process we tasked several small committees to explore several site options during the summer of 2010. In August we came back together and discussed the process. We are currently in the process of identifying a site to meet our vision.







Grade Six

by Mr. Crawford

Sixth grade has completed the study of Astronomy, and we are eager to visit the UAA Planetarium as a culminating experience. Flowing from this study of the heavens is a block on Geometry. How satisfying it is to draw perfect circles after studying so many spherical bodies all around us! We are also delving into five-paragraph essay writing, daily oral and written reflection on what we are reading, and an ongoing process of forming and adhering to community agreements within our class.

As the second half of the year approaches, I am excited for what lies ahead: Winterfaire, our class play, our final assembly, the study of physics, history, and writing.

We will bond together this amazing journey.

Let's build community together, and work together.

Second grade has been getting ready for winter. They are studying Russian and...

Grade Four

by Ms. Mayer

In fourth grade we are studying zoology, mythology, and fractions. In fractions we are studying equivalent fractions and egg carton fractions. We have a game that we play with egg cartons. In the game a person draws a card with a fraction on it and then draws that fraction on the picture of an egg carton. The person with the least left over wins. We also have created a fraction table with whole, half, and quarter tile pieces. We have been putting them out in symmetrical patterns. When we finish, it will be for sale at the auction. Look out for it and bid on it. We also painted fraction trees with Ms. Mall this week. Come by upstairs and have a look at them.

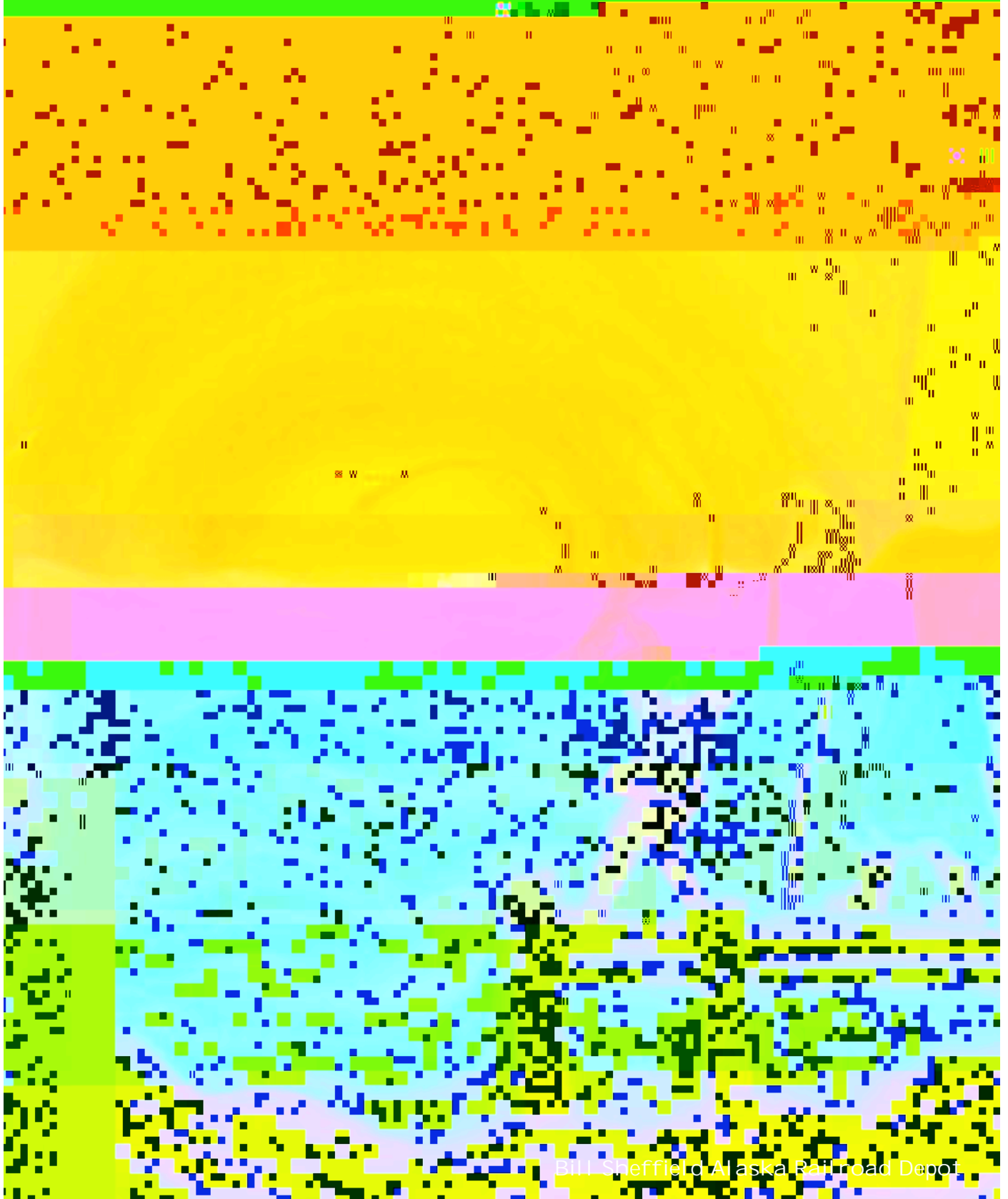
- Written by Robin, Anika, and Ms. Mayer

Violin day is every Monday and Wednesdays at which students need to have their violin and practice folder. All violin students should have a practice folder, which was handed out to the students before break. It is a large red folder with their name on it. In their folder there is a practice journal which students are to use daily to keep track of their practice times. Students need to practice a minimum of fifteen minutes a day for six days of the week.

Presently the fourth grade class is practicing "Ode to Joy" on their violin and with their voice. They have been learning the German lyrics for "Ode to Joy" quite well! Ask them to speak (or better yet sing!) the German to

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