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• Pamela W. Randall, Principal

February 19, 2008

Dairy Council of California
1101 National Drive, Suite B
Sacramento, CA 95834-1901

Attention: Ms. Leona Bettencourt

Dear Ms. Bettencourt:

Our Mobile Dairy Classroom Assembly was today and I want to tell you how wonderful it was! Jeff of MoonGlow Dairy was a wonderful presenter and representative for the Dairy Council. He was upbeat, professional and friendly, knowledgeable and very in tune with the students (and the cows!).

Although the day was drizzly and we almost had to cancel, Jeff, Della and Ellie were a big hit. Our students sat under the overhang wings of the building and were fascinated. Jeff was a trouper, presenting in the rain.

Again, thank you for this wonderful opportunity. This classroom on wheels was a special treat for all, preschool through fifth grade, classified and certificated staff members alike. We look forward to your next visit and would love to invite Jeff back anytime.

Sincerely,

Pamela Randall
Principal

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crasias. Por todo y ojala que venga
otras porque me gusta mucho
y por eso quiero que vengam a la escuela
y tambien como sacar la leche de la
vaca. y tambien como tienen unas cosas
para sacar la leche y tambien contiene
un didi para el beserito o beserita
y de esas me gusta mucho y me cae
mucho y tambien como les dan unas cosas
que como es color verde y parecen espigas
nose como se llaman esa cosa verde
y muchas cosas por todo.



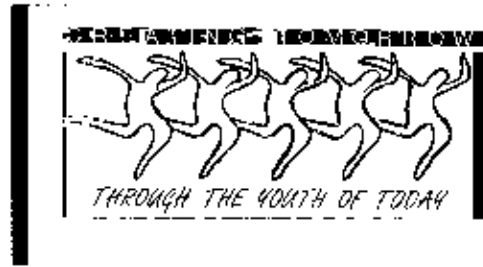


February 25, 2008

Dear Jack,

I loved the cow.
I thought I was in
cow heaven. The calf
was the cutest thing
in the world, but not
the softest. Could you
come to my school again?
It was awesome! I love
milk!

Sincerely,
Sequoyah



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November 26, 2207

Dairy Council of California
Mobile Dairy Classroom
80 Swan Way Suite 210
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Dear Leona,

I want to thank you for the visit by Jeff and the cow to Castroville School on October 31. It was not only very informative, but also delightful. Though our address makes our school appear to be country, our students are "city" kids in so many ways. We really appreciated how Jeff stressed the importance of getting a college degree of their choice. We all strive to have our children reach for the best. On the lighter side, in Jeff's presentation he was able to discuss bodily functions in a manner that even the most jaded 6th graders did not laugh but actually learned biology.

I have included a few of student thank you notes and pictures by students. I hope you find them not only useful for your sponsors but also darling. These also include some of our Special Day Class students.

Again, thank you so much for making it possible for our 587 students to have such a rich learning experience.

Sincerely yours,

Marilyn McLoughlin
Coordinator of Interventions and Enrichments

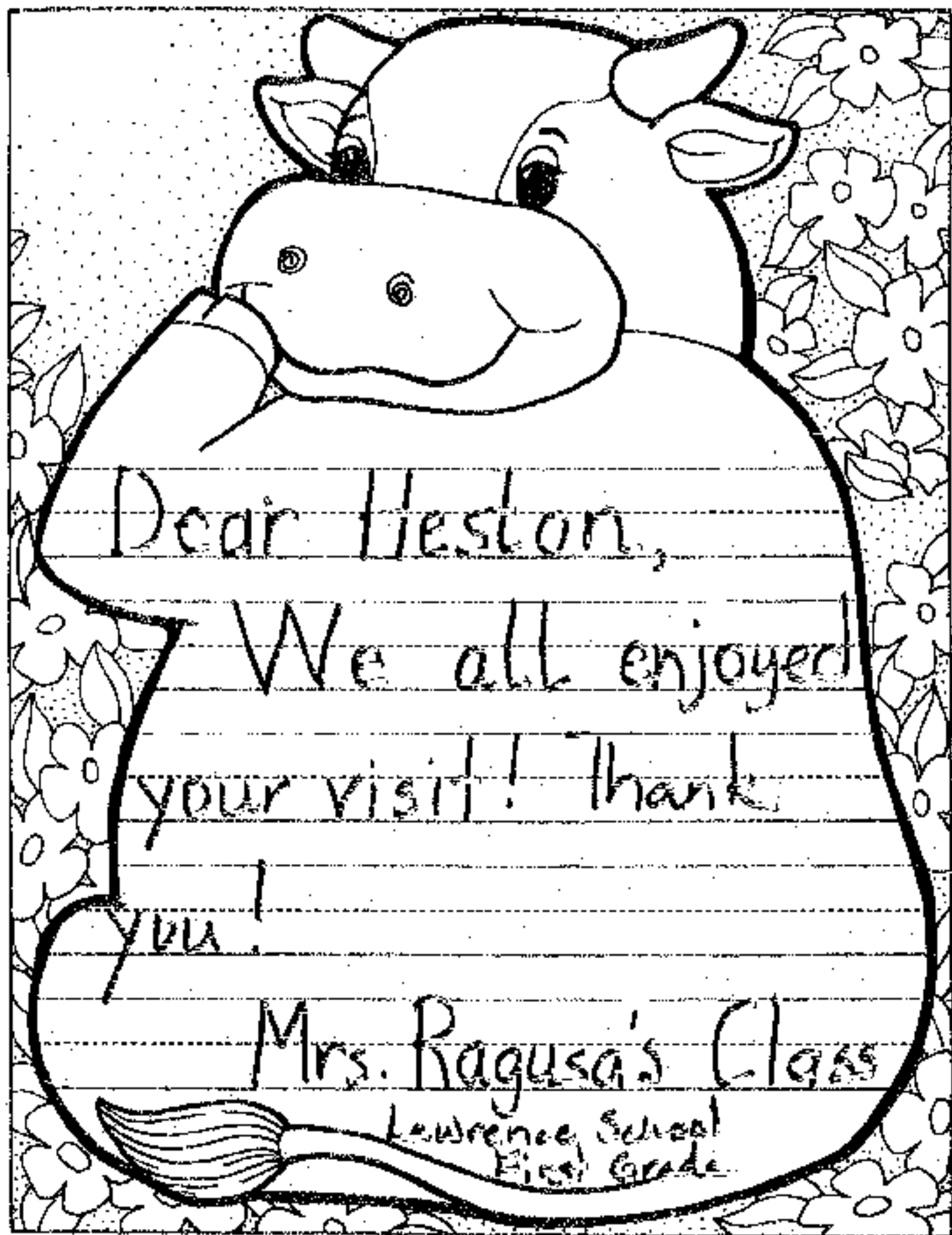
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February 28, 2008

Dear Jeff, Ellie, Della and Dairy Council,

Thanks for the assembly. I really liked it. First we learned about the milking. They get milked every day at 1:00 A.M. and at 1:00 P.M. at the Moonglow Farm. Next we learned about the feeding. They eat artichokes, celery, and broccoli. Last we learned how the milk gets to us. One ^{of the things} you ^{do is} have to clean it. Then put the milk into the bottles and put ^{them} somewhere to keep ^{that} cold. After ^{the milk is} shipped to us. Thanks again, it was an exciting learning experience. Can our class or our family go on a field trip to Moonglow Farm?

From,
Nelson



Dear Heston,

We all enjoyed
your visit! Thank
you!

Mrs. Ragusa's Class

Lawrence School
First Grade



12-4-01

Dear Sir,

I thank you for bringing the cow.
I liked the baby cow and I
also liked the Big cow.
From Jasmine Rios.

April 16, 2008

Dear Heston:

Thank you so much for bringing your "farm on wheels" to Fillmore Elementary today. The kids loved each and every moment. This was quite a special day for us.

Thank you so much for bringing this great learning experience to us. For many of the students here this may be the only opportunity they will ever have to meet and greet such beautiful animals.

It was a great day, and we thank you for all you did for us!

I'm sure the production of milk drinking will escalate in the coming months.

Best of luck to you and the animals in all your endeavors!

Again, many thanks!

Most Sincerely,



Diane Villata

Diane Villata

1st Grade, Fillmore Elementary

WOODROW SCHOOL
Sherryl Price, Principal

September 21, 2007

Dear Heston,

Many thanks for providing our students with an excellent assembly on Wednesday, September 19th. Your presentation was very professional and the students learned many important things about cows and how milk is made. Of course, the highlight was getting to pet the calf! All of the teachers were very happy with the experience.

Thank you for the time and energy you put into the Mobile Dairy Classroom. Children definitely benefit from the experience.

Sincerely,



Linny Schut
Instructional Facilitator



Elitha Donner Elementary

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Michelle Jenkins
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Vice Principal

United States

April 20, 2008

Dairy Council of California
Attn: Leona Bertencourt
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Sacramento, CA 95834-1901

Dear Ms. Bertencourt,

I would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to the Dairy Council of California and to Heston Nunes, Instructor of the Mobile Dairy Classroom. Mr. Nunes recently visited our school and provided an excellent assembly for students, staff and parents. The assembly had been planned for several months with exciting benefits that our students were looking forward to.

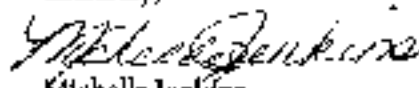
The day was somewhat out of the ordinary as the assembly included me, the principal, kissing the cow. While discussing and scheduling the assembly, the "cow kissing" was addressed so that we may encourage our students to reach their reading goal. As the assembly approached and the goal was reached, Mr. Nunes called to talk about the logistics and finalize the times for the assembly.

During our phone conversation, the "cow kissing" scenario was discussed. Mr. Nunes mentioned that there may be a complication with the certain cow he was using for his current assemblies. He stated, "This particular cow does not like its head touched." Needless to say, I was a bit concerned, but Mr. Nunes said that he would see what he could do to accommodate our request.

The day of the assembly, Mr. Nunes and the cow that did not like its head touched arrived. The assembly was a rousing success. Mr. Nunes, not only provided our students with two informative assemblies, he also worked with me and staff members to ensure the promised "cow kissing" occurred. Mr. Nunes participated in the excitement and demonstrated his love for learning.

Again, on behalf of the entire student population, staff and parents of Donner Elementary thank you and please extend my personal thanks to Mr. Nunes for going out of his way to support reading in addition to his exceptional presentation.

Sincerely,


Michelle Jenkins
Principal

November 27, 2007

Dear Mr. Nunes,

Thank you so much for coming to Hughes Elementary School this week. The students learned so many facts about Eda Mae and adult cows. We had quite a discussion when we returned to our classrooms. The highlight was meeting Theresa and getting to pet her shoulder. This is a wonderful opportunity for our children, as some have not seen a cow before. We appreciate your time and effort.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Boggeri
Mrs. Ferguson
Second Grade Teachers





February 19, 2008
Dairy Council
Stockton California

Dear Mr. Heston,

Thank you for bringing us the cows to our school. I learned the cows give 8 gallons of milk a day. The cow eats 75 gallons of food a day. Mom cow gives baby 1 gallon of milk. I also learned that the cow chews the food side to side and swallowing it twice, and is pregnant every year. Some cows have different colors like gray and white and red and white. But how many hooves does the adult cow have? Thank you for letting us touch the baby cow.

Sincerely,
Alexis

Jennifer B.
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Dear Mr. Cowman,

How are you doing today?
I learned lots when you were here.
I learned that cows have four stomachs.
The next thing I learned is how you
milk the cows. I think it was pretty gross
but the show was cool. The other thing
I learned that cows can have about 3
or more babies

Sincerely
Jennifer B.

