The **Readathon** is this week! It's Washington's last big fundraiser that supports many good things! Please give generously and encourage your child to read, read!

Our **zero waste lunch** event for Earth Day was a success! As a school, we exceeded our goal of bringing 1,000 reusable items for lunch - we had 1,085! To celebrate, we will have a **school wide pajama day on Thursday, May 9th!** Way to go Washington! Let's treat every day like Earth Day and continue to bring reusable items to school!

Keeping kids safe at drop off and pick up times is a top priority. Washington's **Traffic and Safety**committee is meeting on Friday, May 17 at 10 am to look at some possible improvements to our <u>Traffic plan</u>. This meeting is open to all. If you can't attend but would like to learn more, please email Principal Hazen at <u>katiahazen@berkeley.net</u>

Events coming up:

- May 9 Bike to School Day & Pajama Day (not sure how this works out be careful!)
- May 10 All Rhino Assembly 8:10 am
- May 14 School Site Committee open to all! 6 8 pm in library
- May 16 Open House 6 8 pm
- May 17 Traffic safety committee meeting, 10 am
- May 22 Day of Action for Public Education
- May 23 Spring Music Concert 1 pm
- May 30 Middle School Visits for 5th graders
- June 13 5th grade promotion 9 11 am
- June 14 Last Day of School!