



HES BUZZ

Latest news from the HES HIVE!

Hahira Elementary School

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Our week in review.....

January 9-17, 2018

Genres of Literature Celebration

4th graders that completed a genre wheel with 22 genres of literature attended a Moana themed celebration on Friday! Students had from the beginning of August until December 1st to complete! We are proud of the 132 fourth graders that completed this project. We celebrated with the Moana movie, painted ceiling tiles for our classrooms, made a wooden Moana boat, had pizza, soft drinks, and Moana cupcakes! Students received leis and special flowers! We had a blast! If you visit a 4th grade classroom, be sure to look up and see their hard work!



Four HES Teachers Receive Grant

Here are our Southeastern Federal Credit Union grant winners. Each teacher received a different portion of the total depending on the amount they asked for on their grant proposals. This generous grant will fund a variety of learning projects in the following teachers' classrooms: Abigail Dalton, Heather Dailey, Dotti Davis, and Jamie Yates.



5th Grade In-service

Fifth grade teachers from across the Lowndes County school system met on January 8 at Hahira Elementary where they participated in small group discussions led by Mrs. Lipscomb, Mr. Wilkes, and Mrs. Mathis. Following a

delicious breakfast, topics of discussion centered on Reading/Writing, Math, and Science/Social Studies.

Martin Luther King Day Celebrations

Students were busy last week learning about the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. We are especially proud of Audri Richardson who was the second place winner in the MLK Day poster contest. Winners were recognized at Mathis Auditorium during the MLK Day festivities. Audri is show below receiving congratulations from Mrs. Mathis and Mr. Wilkes!



Buddy Benches

Second grade students enjoy using the new "buddy benches" on the playground at recess. When a student feels lonely, or in need of a playmate, they take a seat on the "buddy bench". Other students notice and come join them on the "buddy bench". This is a **GREAT** way

Buddy Benches continued...

to include new students, build self-esteem, and create lasting friendships. We are so thankful to have this wonderful new addition to our campus!



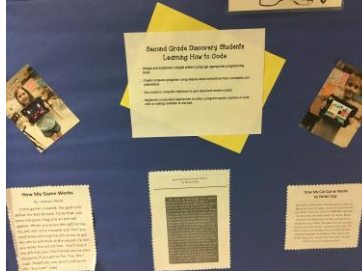
Student Contributes to Her School

First grader, Mackenzi Cole is shown with her dad when she presented the school with \$117.39 that she raised for the playground at Hahira Elementary. Mackenzi set up a lemonade stand to raise the money because she wanted her school to have more things to do on the playground. We are so proud of students like Mackenzi that love their school and work to make it a better place for others.



Read the Walls!!!

Good teachers know that you can tell a lot about a school just by reading the artifacts displayed throughout the school. Below are a variety of examples of artwork that celebrate learning!



Upcoming Events

January

- 17: WSO Pre-K Training/Tinikling Tryouts
- 17-18: PAGE Technology Training
- 18: RESA Principal's Academy/HWT Training
- 19: AP Meeting
- 20: Archery Competition at PGM
- 22: Continental Math League/Huddle House Fundraiser Night
- 25: AP Academy/Data Report Meetings
- 26: 2nd nine weeks Field Day & Kona Ice PBIS Party
- 29: 100th Day of School/Visitors from Butts County
- 30: LCSS ESOL Parent Night

February

- 1: Adams Orthodontics Visit/Chick-Fil-A Spirit Day
- 2: Groundhog Day/LCSS Spelling Bee
- 5: Jumprope for Heart Kickoff/LCBOE Meeting
- 6: Write Score Testing/Administrator's Meeting
- 9: DARE Graduation
- 11-13: AdvancED External Review
- 15: PBIS Team Meeting/AP Leadership Academy
- 16-19: LCSS closed
- 20: Technology-Focused Professional Learning Day
- 22: Digital Learning Day/Jump Rope for Heart
- 23: Group and Spring individual pictures/AP Sped Meeting
- 26: Continental Math League

March

- Feb. 28-March 2: 4th Grade Atlanta Field Trip
- March 2: Dr. Seuss's Birthday
- 5: LCBOE Work Session
- 5-9: Third Reading Benchmark Test, gr. 2-5
- 8: RESA Principal's Academy
- 12: LCBOE Beating
- 12-16: Spring Book Fair
- 13: Book Fair Family Night/Administrator's Meeting
- 15: PBIS Meeting
- 16: End of 3rd 9 weeks/AP Sped Meeting
- 20: Grades Due
- 22: AP Leadership Academy
- 22-23: Discovery Field Trip to Kennedy Space Center
- 23: ESOL Field Trip/Report Cards issued
- 26: Continental Math League
- 27: School Spring Choir Show at Mathis Auditorium
- 29-30: 5th Savannah Field Trip

