



HES BUZZ

Latest news from the HES HIVE!

Hahira Elementary School

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Our week in review.....

January 18-25, 2018

Martin Luther King Day

In second grade, we have been learning about Martin Luther King Jr. Martin was an African American, minister, and a Civil Rights leader. Martin wanted to change the world. He wanted everybody to be treated kindly and to have equal rights. Lastly, Martin helped lots of people love each other. I think that Martin Luther King Jr. was a great man!

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Mrs. McAtee's Class



Military Dads Return

Our Lowndes County community rejoiced in the return of many of our military parents recently. This is Alex Francis with his dad. His dad surprised him after being deployed for six months!



Below are Luke and Lyla Johnson with their returning father, Dillon Johnson.



Governor's Mansion

Mrs. Lori Orr's husband was one of the outstanding law enforcement officers honored for 2017. He and his wife were invited to the governor's mansion during Christmas. Below is a picture of Georgia State Patrol Trooper Patrick Orr and Mrs. Orr with Governor and Mrs. Nathan Deal.



Engaging Lessons

1st grade worked on cause and effect. We made melted snowmen and wrote about why they melted.



Second grade students have been studying about the life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Each student created a picture of Dr. King and wrote about his life and contributions. 3rd Grade had a blast on the annual Jekyll Island Field Trip! Students learned about habitats near the coast (marsh, beach, maritime forest), animals and plant life, and weathering and erosion. Third grade science standards were explored and understanding was expanded through lessons taught by UGA Extension instructors at the camp. This was a wonderful educational opportunity, and we are so thankful for the chance!



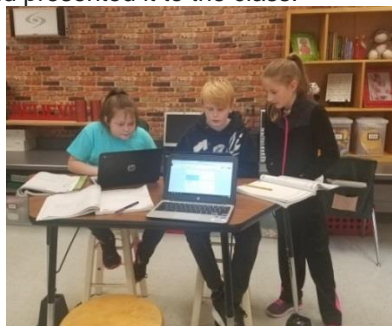
Jekyll Island continued...



Fourth graders started fractions this week! Jay, Kaitlin, and Aiden are using fraction tiles to show equivalent fractions.



5th grade math students used collaborative technology to solve math word problems. They created a collaborative Google Drawings page and presented it to the class.



5th grade ELA students created constructed response circles. This helped them to add more of their thoughts to explain the details they found in the text.



CPIE Event

Our local Huddle House sponsored a fundraiser on Tuesday. A percent of all sales was given to HES to support our PBIS program. Thank you Mr. Barry Robinson and the Huddle House staff!

Student Clubs and Competitions

Fifth grade students held tryouts for the tinkling team this past week. This group of students will perform as a part of our spring choir show. Many members of our Archery Club participated at the Archery competition at PGM last Saturday.

Continental Math League met this past week to prepare for competition against other elementary schools.



Professional Learning Opportunities

Michelle Lipscomb, Sharon Plummer, Christy Trimble, and Shelly MacAtee attended the PAGE Technology training at the Rainwater Center.

Mrs. Mathis attended the Principal's Leadership Academy at RESA last Thursday and Mr. Wilkes will attend the AP Leadership Academy this Thursday. Handwriting Without Tears Training has been re-scheduled for our K and 1st grade teachers and paras.

Upcoming Events

January

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 Meeting
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

