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Hahira Elementary School

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Our week in review.....

May 10-17, 2017

Tie Dye Tuesday

Faculty and staff celebrated on the final Tie Dye Tuesday of the year. Following the Teacher of the Year Announcement, teachers and staff enjoyed a variety of tie-dyed treats! Below are some of those celebrating:



Teacher of the Year

Teachers and staff enjoyed a wonderful TOTY tribute to our new Teacher of the Year 2018, Julie Padgett! The announcement was made by Mrs. Mathis with 2017 TOTY Michelle Lipscomb crowning Julie. Her husband and mother were on hand to witness the big announcement! It was a wonderful celebration and Julie was radiant in her tiara, boa, special shoes, and flowers! These are all a part of HES tradition. Congratulations Julie!



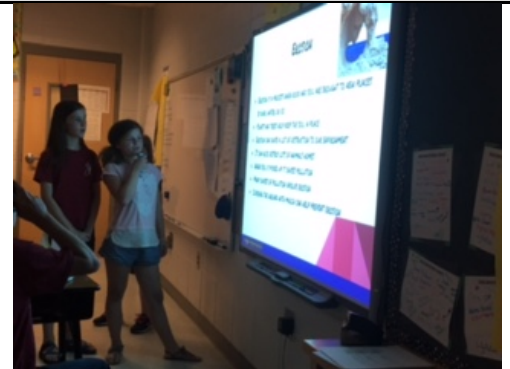
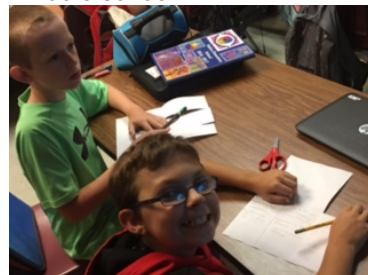
Engaging Lessons

Now that testing is over, the fourth grade students have an opportunity that will help prepare them for fifth grade. Students are creating "Looking Ahead" social studies presentations. These presentations will give the students a glimpse of what they have to look forward to in fifth grade social studies.

For science, force and motion is the perfect topic for the end of the school year! Students explored properties of force and motion with towers, ramps, and "magic" tricks



Fifth grade has been looking ahead to sixth grade science by choosing a standard to create a lesson to teach their classmates. The lesson had to include a Google side presentation, interactive guided notes (most created a graphic organizer), and an assessment. Some decided to include a formal assessment like a quiz, other groups created an informal assessment like a game. All had a great time getting a jump start on middle school!



The 5th Grade Jr. Beta Club raised over \$800.00 in their campaign to help local animal shelters. Money raised will help with food, toys, blankets, and medicine. A huge thank you to all of HES for supporting this great cause!



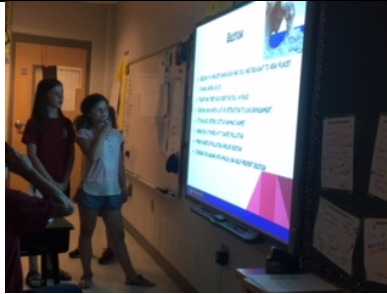
End of Year Fun

Our teachers have worked hard to create wonderful memories for our students as they leave for the summer. Each grade level has worked hard to incorporate what students have learned in to some exciting and fun activities that we hope will be remembered for many years to come.

K-5 students enjoyed several end of the year events including:
 Kindergarten Splishy Splashy Day
 1st Grade Fun in the Sun Day
 2nd Grade Baseball and Cookout Day
 3rd Grade activities including All Because of Winn Dixie read-aloud and treats
 4th Grade Kickball Tournament, Study Island Party
 5th Grade Annual Honor Roll Picnic, and Class End of Year Cookout
 Below are some of the fifth grade students at the Cookout.



Mrs. Cowart's 3rd grade class worked on growing their self esteem by writing down all of the things they are good at on strips of paper that were then turned into flowers.



Mixed Bag Fundraiser

Thursday we celebrated the success of our Mixed Bags fundraiser. Students that sold 3 or more items got to enjoy an ice cream bar while listening to, and even dancing to fun summer tunes.



Troll AR Party

On Friday we had our Trolls AR party. Students who met their personal AR goals, while maintaining an average of 85% or higher, got to come watch the movie Trolls. During the movie students received a slushy with their choice of flavor. Blue raspberry was definitely the favorite flavor! Students also received a Trolls smencil and a Huddle House coupon for a free meal.



Upcoming Events

May 18: Honor's Day
 May 19: Last Day – Early Release Day

