



HES BUZZ

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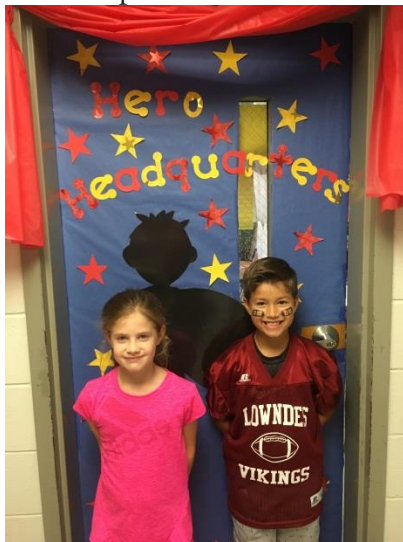
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Our week in review.....

September 20, 2017

HES Has Two State Winners in Art Contest!

Madelyn Burnam and Cooper Taylor from Miss Yates's 2nd grade class are winners in the statewide Jimmy Carter Postcard contest! Madelyn won 1st and Cooper placed 3rd. They will be honored at the Peanut Festival in Plains, Ga and will get to meet President Carter. We are so proud of their accomplishment!



HES Book Fair and Family Night

Our HES "Book Fairies," Mrs. Plummer and Mrs. Phelps, opened the Book Fair on Twin Day dressed as the Book Fairies! Everyone enjoyed coming to the book fair to see the books and the "book fairies"! Excitement for books is evident in the halls of HES as parents and students eagerly visit the fair. On Tuesday evening, the "book fairies" hosted a family reading night in

which parents and students could visit the fair after hours. A large number of families came out to visit the fair and purchase some of the wonderful books.



B-I-N-G-O!!!

We are playing "5 A Day" Bingo Cards in the lunchroom this week. Teachers watch for an email to be sent with a fruit or vegetable to mark off on the card. When the player matches the "5 A Day" fruits or vegetables in a vertical, horizontal or diagonal row, they WIN!! The first winner to call "BINGO" will receive a spectacular gift courtesy of the HES lunchroom ladies. The HES lunchroom has also had a number of "elderly" visitors this week. Look at these adorable senior citizens spotted by the lunchroom staff!



Engaging Lessons

Kindergarten students have had a great time participating in Lowndes High Homecoming week activities. Twin day and Senior Citizen day were huge hits!



Senior Citizens roamed the hallways on Tuesday!

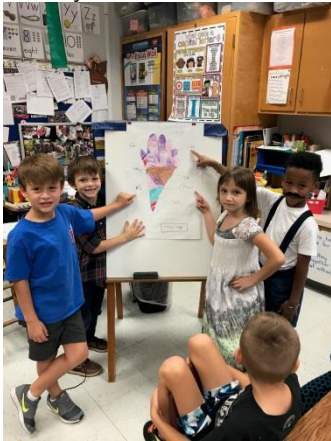


Monday was Twin Day!

First grade is playing a variation of the Headbands game by using numbers and trying to guess the unknown number to equal 8.



First graders are presenting the adjectives they found for the noun, cotton candy!



Many senior citizens visited the first grade classrooms on Tuesday!



Second grade classes are busy being archaeologists. Below are pictures of Mrs. Cowart's class digging "fossils" out of chocolate chip cookies!



We encourage our students to write about lessons they find engaging. Below are articles written by 5th grade students at HES:

Vertebrates

We enjoyed learning about Vertebrates. We did a project on the topic, but it was challenging. We had to look in a packet to find the correct facts about Vertebrates then write them down on the correct flap. We also had to search pictures, and draw the five different types of Vertebrates. The five different types of Vertebrates are Fish, Birds, Reptiles, Amphibians, and Mammals. We can't wait to learn about Invertebrates!

Audrey Merriman and McKayala Thomas

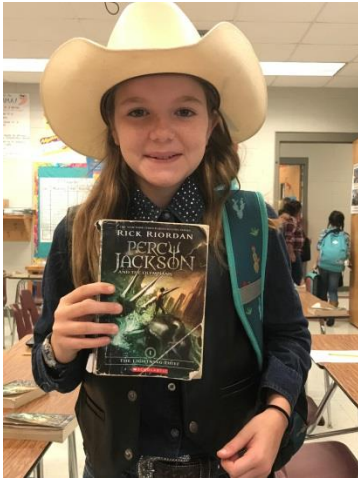
4th grade students in Mrs. Whitmer and Mrs. Beal's science classes are busy making constellations and then writing about the activity. Below are some of the students making their constellations and writing about them.



My Week

By Jenna Gregory

During my week my favorite lesson was reading Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief because I love reading. We just started this novel this week, so we are only on chapter 2. Percy Jackson is a really good book so far. The book is about a boy named Percy Jackson who never really knew who his father was. Percy Jackson got into a lot of trouble most of the time, so he went to Yancy Academy (a place for really bad students). So far in the story Percy has done a lot of bad things like at his fifth-grade school field trip to Saratoga battlefield where he had this accident with a revolutionary war cannon. One of the funniest parts was when Percy Jackson gave Nancy Bobofit what she deserved, but you will have to read the book to find out what he did. You will have to read the book to find the rest!



4-H Club

By Aiden Newsome

My favorite lesson this week was in Mrs. Voyles' class. The lesson was about 4-H. It was very fun to learn about 4-H. 4H is a club that will come to our science class once a month. The 4 H's stand for Head, Heart, Health, and Hands. The symbol is a 4 leaf clover with 4 Hs on it. What I learned in 4-H you might ask. Well one was that it has existed for 135 years. That is very

cool. The best part of the lesson was when we played games. To play the game you would go to a wall of whichever you liked best and each wall can be sports or games. Of course I went to games. But a lot of people went to sports and I really was surprised. This year we will be competing in an essay contest, collecting pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald contest, and have an opportunity to go to 4H camp in the summer!



Mary Dixon's grandmother treated 5th graders to Kona Ice in honor of Mary's birthday!

SLP Week

Hurricane Irma gave our Speech and Language Pathologists the week off, but HES still honored our SLPs during National SLP Week! Teachers, administrator and students have sent messages and stopped by to let our SLPs, Mrs. Leigh Roberts and Mrs. Julie McCall know that we love and appreciate them!



Our HES Staff is so very thankful that our students and staff were safe during Hurricane Irma! We are so blessed at HES!

Upcoming Events

September:

11-15- National SLP Week

2nd-5th grades

18-22- Fall Book Fair/LHS

Homecoming

18- LCBOE Meeting

19- Administrator's Mtg.

26- Pre-K WSO Training/Atlanta Trip Mtg. (4th)

27-28- 4th gr. Field Trip Agrirama

29- Fall Pictures

30- Macon Math Competition

October:

2- LCBOE Work Session

3- TOTY Teacher Appreciation Banquet

6- System Closed

9- System Closed

12- Community Pep Rally LHS

13- First 9 weeks Report Cards

16- LCBOE Meeting

17- SLDS Training

20- AP Sped Meeting

26- AP Leadership Academy

November:

3- Fall Picture Make-up day

6- LCBOE Work Session

10- AP Sped Meeting

13- LCBOE Meeting

Note – Girls on the Run group A meets every Monday and Wednesday, and group B meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays whenever school is in session.

Cowboy Day

It's Cowboy Day and some tough hombres were spotted hanging out in the lunchroom! Does anyone recognize them?



