



Fire Prevention Program Kylie V. 5th

On October 6, we had a Fire Prevention program outside the cafeteria. We learned to check our fire alarm every week. We learned that if your door is hot, don't open it! When there is a fire, you need to roll off your bed and crawl! There were a lot of other different fire safety rules so don't forget them. Remember-- Get out! Stay out!

Coollest Principal Taylor S. 3rd

Mrs. Carruth really loves being a principal for k through 5th grade. It 's a little more work, but everyone has been nice and very cooperative. The office is defiantly a maze she say's, but she hopes everybody knows their way around now. She absolutely loves the new windows.

Mrs. Carruth has taught kindergarten, eighth grade science, sixth grade, fifth grade and college English. Mrs. Carruth said she has been a principal for fifteen years. She is going to work a couple more years before she wants to retire.

She says, "Comanche students are academically advanced, physically fit, and know how to get along with others. I would like for all Comanche students to be of good moral character." Thank you Mrs. Carruth for being so nice and fun!

Meet Mrs. Stewart Monica M. 4th

I interviewed Mrs. Stewart and she told me the thing that inspired her to teach was because teaching her own kids new things was rewarding. She also told me that she got her degree at Tarleton State University in Stephenville, Texas. She said that she worked for a veterinary clinic in Mineral Wells for Dr. Flint Immel. The reason she chose third grade to teach was third graders are sweet and funny. She also said that meeting all of her student for the first time was a special experience.

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Book Fair Kylie V. 5th

Kindergarten through 2nd grade will be having a book fair October 27 through October 31. It will have lots of books and other cool stuff like that. Save your money for the book fair and buy you some books.

Look Who's new in Fourth Grade Mikayla D.4th

Mrs. Hagood taught in Blanket school, she thought third, fourth, and fifth grade. Mrs. Hagood moved to Comanche this year and is teaching fourth grade math. This year will be her eleventh year to teach. Comanche Elementary and Blanket Elementary are the only schools that she has worked in. She enjoys working with children and helping them achieves their best.

Her parents are teachers and she has one brother, who is a principal. They all encouraged her to teach. She likes teaching and she says, "It is a very rewarding career." Her favorite part of teaching is when students are successful. She said she would not want a different job.

Mr. Hilliard's Class Hannah T. 3rd

Mr.Hilliard is our new fifth grade Social Studies teacher. He has been teaching for fourteen years. He was 30 when he first started teaching. Last year he taught third grade Science. For thirteen years he taught fourth and fifth grade Special Education. He worked on his room all summer long. He built a special library and center corner. He has a big map on the side of his room. I hope he stays there long enough for me to get there!

Hispanic Heritage Day

Alexandria S. 5th

On October 7, grades K-5 experienced Hispanic Heritage Day but at separate times. After everyone sat down, Mrs. Till's High School Spanish 2 Class read *Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?* in Spanish. Then some of them did a Salsa Dance. When they finished dancing, one person was chosen from each class to learn how to Salsa. Then everyone went back to class so they could eat chips and salsa.



On The Road Again! Brooke W. 5th

On Wednesday, September 24, the fifth grade G/T went on an exciting field trip. Want to know where they went??? So do I. Let's ask somebody in G/T?

"Hello, Brady! So, I heard the G/T went on a field trip. Is that true?"

"Yes."

"Where did you go?"

"Du...m...what?"

"Never mind. I'll ask the newest G/T member. Hello, Kylie! I heard that you went on a field trip. Is that true?"

" Yes, Brooke."

"Please, details."

"Brooke, we went on a field trip to the Brownwood Bulletin to see how our newspaper, yes, the "Got News?" is printed. I'm very impressed. Our newspaper is at least ten times better. We learned that they make Brownwood's paper pretty much like ours. See, we don't go on field trips just for fun. We also go to learn.

"Thank you, Kylie."

So there it is folks The G/T went on a field trip to the Brownwood Bulletin, for learning not for fun. From the news reporter, Brooke Wilkerson.

The Best Dang Vice Principal Bryson B. 3rd

Mr.Stahnke was encouraged by his co workers to become a principal. He was ready for a new challenge. He always enjoyed going to school. Every day is different. He likes different people. He is enjoying his job. It is fun to him. He has to keep up with everything. He doesn't want to punish kids, but he has to.

WE LOVE YOU MR. STAHNKE!

Jacob Moerman Kylie V. 5th

Jacob Moerman entered the American Miniature Horse Registry 2003 National Show. Jacob received a Reserve Champion in the Costume Class. This class is judged on originality, creativity and presentation. He also placed 9th in his Showmanship class. He was the youngest in his class and the only boy! Good job Jacob!

Hi, from Mrs. Jones's Room!

Kimberly S. and Manuel S.
5th

We're studying about monarch butterflies. Monarchs are migrating to Mexico this time of year. They fly thousands of miles from Canada to Mexico. Some fly from Texas to Mexico. We are keeping maps, which show how far the monarchs have flown.

Monarchs lay their eggs in milkweed. They start out as an egg and become larva that we call caterpillars. Caterpillars eat and eat and eat the milkweed. They make a cocoon, which is the pupa stage. Then, they become monarch butterflies. When they go to Mexico, they live in the trees, and they are so piled up, they look like leaves. The people in Mexico are poor, and they need to chop down the trees. America tries to convince them not to.

We are also doing a symbolic migration. We're coloring paper butterflies and sending them to Mexico. They will go to the children in a school in Mexico. We hope that the children in Mexico will send us some back in the spring when the monarchs fly north again.

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Silkworms

Weston E. and Lanita D. 5th

Fifth grade science kids are studying silkworms. We have three silkworms, and they are named Larry, Curly, and Moe. They are white, and they are about 1 1/2 - 2 centimeters long. They are babies. They eat this gooey, slimy green stuff made out of mulberry leaves. They will grow and make cocoons. They are supposed to turn into moths that do not fly. The moths will live for about two weeks, and they will lay eggs.

Around our silkworms, the scenery looks like they are in China still. Silkworms were first raised in China. The fact is, silkworms really do make silk.