



### The Big 100! Mrs. Denning ESL

Everyone in Mrs. Denning 5<sup>th</sup> grade ESL class made a 100 on their assessments of the four kinds of sentences. They were

rewarded with a "100" celebration. Mrs. Denning has promised a celebration to any of her classes who all make a 100 on any of assessment page. Mrs. Denning has waited 14 years for this celebration.

### Our New First Grade Teacher Kaycee C. 3rd

There is a new teacher in first grade her name is Mrs. Graham. She has 20 wonderful children! They started guided reading. The kids are excited! And she also told me something funny. She said the night before school started she got a sticker in her foot, and it turned red the next day. At school she had to limp on her foot. There is one more thing she is my friend!!!

### What's going on at the Library? Kyli C. 3rd

The public library is a great place to get books. You can get Cam Jansen, Junie B. Jones, and Bailey School Kids, simple books, hard books, sad books, happy books, and scary books.

One time I read, The Bride of Frankenstein Doesn't Make Cookies. It was a great book. It was so funny. It's basically a story of a Frankenstein that's lonely. So he asks the person that brought him to life to make a girl Frankenstein. So what are you waiting for? Get out there and check out a book!

### New Third Grade Science Teacher

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Gettis is the new third grade teacher. She used to teach kindergarten. She wanted to be a science teacher. So she switched to third grade. She thinks it fun. She loves the kids and the way they change classes. She likes meeting the kids. We made volcanoes. She loves making things with us.

### We Visit Greece Karyna D. 3<sup>rd</sup>

In Mrs. Cobb's room on Thursday, August 26, we tried some Greece food. We tried kalamata olives, feta cheese with saltine crackers, Greek seasoning mixed with extra virgin olive oil and French bread and Baklava. I liked almost all the foods. We studied these foods because they were native foods from Greece. We were also studying the Olympics. The best thing I liked the most was the baklava.

### A True Gift of Kindness

Ms. Schuman

As a result of a project called *Random Acts of Kindness*, Meagan Johnson, 5<sup>th</sup> grade student in Comanche Elementary, recently fulfilled a promise to donate her hair to the Cancer Society so that someone might benefit from a wig that will be made out of her hair.

Last year in fourth grade, Meagan was involved in this "kindness" project and resolved to actually carry out this act of kindness. She also designed a quilt square depicting this act of kindness.

Meagan deserves to be commended for her mature thinking and for being so kind and thoughtful. You might also notice that her hair looks simply beautiful.



### Selling Adds Libby E. 5th

On August 25 the fifth grade G/T class went around town and sold ads for the G/T newspaper. We were very successful thanks to all the generous businesses that bought ads. We sold over \$2000.00 worth of ads. We also

would like to give a special thanks to the parents and other relatives who drove for us. They were Maribel Narvaez, Talmadge Fails, Keith Dukes, Wade Pyburn, Bruce Johnson, and Susan Stepp. We had a fun time making our first newspaper, and we hope you have a great year.

### Parent Night Mikayla D. 5<sup>th</sup>

Parent night was August 17 for fifth grade, August 19 for Kindergarten and fourth grade, August 23 for third, August 24 for second, and first, August 26 . Not as many people

showed up we would have liked. We feel it was because it was rainy and there were sporting events going on. The reason for parent night is to let the teachers meet the parents. Parents find out about expectations and the educational program and know the class rules and they get a chance to ask questions.

### Computer Lab Kristiea E. 4<sup>th</sup>

On August 16, the computer lab opened. Mrs. Dollins the computer lab teacher put 4<sup>th</sup> grade classes on Type To Learn 3. Everything has gone very well! Mrs. Dollins is very proud and happy for every student. She likes teaching computer stuff. She says, "I wish you all luck!"

### Mrs. Vaughn the New Kindergarten Teacher Tonna S. 3<sup>rd</sup>

Mrs. Vaughn says that she likes Kindergarten because the kids are all very sweet, and they love to come to school. She changed grades because she was ready for a change. She decided to change grades last year in the spring. She taught Pre- k for six years! She said that once this year somebody was in the restroom and somebody else knocked to see if it was occupied and the person in the restroom said, "Come in." Mrs. Vaughn switched places with Mrs. Tindal. Mrs. Vaughn is a good teacher. My classmate's sister is in Mrs. Vaughn's class.

### Mrs. Harwell Sean P. 5<sup>th</sup>

Mrs. Harwell, the new science teacher in 5<sup>th</sup> grade, is a blast! She's already taught us about the planets and how to use a compass. The other day we experimented with a chemical reaction. You put one capful of water into a film canister. Then drop in an Alka-Seltzer tablet, put the cap on, and cover your ears! We hope she will teach us more cool experiments.

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### Box Tops

Yahaira N. 5<sup>th</sup>

Like you heard there was a friendly commotion over the summer. Whoever gathered up the most box tops would win a reward from Mrs. Carruth. When we gathered up the box tops, Mrs. Dollins found our lucky winner. Her name is Rachel Lilley, as you know her mother is Mrs. Lilley our third grade math teacher. She had collected over 200 box tops and Mrs. Carruth has given her a reward of \$10.00. You may have heard that we are having another commotion between the fifth grade classrooms. Whichever classroom gathers up the most box tops gets a party.