

FROM SUPERINTENDENT DR. MYERS

Superintendent Update: February 6, 2015

Quote for the week: “The greatest power that a person possesses is the power to choose.”—J. Martin Kohe

You have the power to choose the type of life you want to live. You aren't a victim of bad circumstances, bad luck, or a bad childhood. Instead, you can take control and create whatever type of life you want. Kohe was a psychologist who worked with dealing with and even attempting to eliminate discouragement. I find that most people will admit to becoming discouraged even when one really knows there are methods to deal with it. My personal favorite is to purposefully train my mind to think about things that are true, noble, right, pure, lovely, admirable, and anything worthy of excellence or praise.

I also found an article by Amy Morin which captured my thinking about choosing to be positive in our daily walk. You probably have many negatives enter your daily life just as I do and hopefully this article will help you realize how much power you have to be positive and encourage others by being positive.

1. You Have Control Over Your Behavior

You can't control everything in life but you certainly do control your behavior. You can control how you react to setbacks and how you choose to spend your time.

Take a look at your daily habits and how they impact your life. Bad habits such as spending too much time watching TV, drinking too much alcohol, or spending too much money can hold you back from reaching your full potential. I personally wonder if too much time on Facebook or other social media can affect us in a negative way?

The bottom line would seem to be to create healthy habits and accept responsibility for your behavior and you'll see positive changes in your life.

2. You Have the Power to Choose to Work Hard

You can choose how much work you want to do and what type of work you want. If you choose to work hard, you'll see positive results. Even if you start in a low paying job, hard work can get you promoted or open doors to new opportunities. Things that won't get you promoted are being a problem in the workplace or undercutting the work of others. Stay positive and develop your own strengths and improve on your own areas in any area you spot a need to improve.

You also have the power to change the type of work you do. You can open your own business, change careers whenever you want, or further your education. The worst thing possible is to be unhappy in one's own workplace and spread the unhappiness to others.

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Special dates of interest:

- * No school for students February 16th
- * School Board Meeting February 19th

3. You Make Choices Every Single Day

Every day you wake up with the power to choose what you're going to. You decide what to wear, what to eat, and what to do. Each choice you make impacts your chance for success in life. Make choices that will help you succeed in life.

4. You Control Who You Keep for Company

Even though you can't choose your biological relatives, you have the power to choose who to spend your time with. Spend time with people who are inspirational, motivational, and positive. It can do a lot for your energy level and outlook on life. Be willing to join volunteer organizations and meet with influential people to find people who are making positive change.

5. You Can Set Your Own Goals

Without goals, you won't have a clear direction of where you are going in life. Establish goals for your finances, your time, and your career. Once you have something that you're working toward, it will help you to stay motivated to make good choices.

6. Failure Doesn't Mean You Stop Trying

The most successful people in the world aren't defined by their failures. Instead, they're defined by their success. They all share one thing in common though—they failed several times before they got it right.

Expect failure in life. If you don't experience any failures, it's likely you haven't taken any risks. Learn from failure and use it to motivate you to keep going until you get it right.

7. You Have the Power to Choose Your Future

If you had a terrible childhood or you've made a lot of mistakes in the past, you don't have to allow that to define the rest of your life. You have the power to choose your future. There are many things of which I would like to have a re-do, but that isn't possible so I forget it and commit to being steadfast in not repeating my mistakes of the past.

Create the type of future you feel like you were really meant to live. Make changes and work hard to become the person you feel like you are meant to be. With hard work and determination, you can create any type of life you want for yourself.

8. You Have the Power to Choose Your Attitude

You have the power to choose the type of attitude you want to have in life. The way you react to problems, setbacks and angry people says a lot about you. Forgive and move on if someone hurts you. Choosing to have a positive, compassionate, and determined attitude can mean the difference between feeling sorry for yourself and creating the life you always dreamed of living.

I will close with my personal advice on choosing. May you choose to:

Combat the negatives.

Create the positives.

Plan to laugh.

Be a dream maker.

Seek out dream makers.

Like yourself...just the way you are.

No put-downs...yourself or others.

Take risks—persist.
Reject rejection and do it anyway.
Do it another way.
Be thankful.
Forgive and move on.
Never give up hope.
Celebrate often.
Dream Big!

This week is Counselor's week and I want to let them know how much our school counselors are appreciated and needed everyday in our schools!

Click link for an upbeat video:

www.youtube.com/watch?v=y6Sxv-sUYtM

Have a great week everyone.
Lonnie

STATE OF ARKANSAS
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS COME – GREETINGS:

WHEREAS: Arkansas's highest priority is to provide all of our children with an excellent education, and school counselors help to maximize the learning opportunities and experiences for all students, helping to ensure that they receive the first-rate education they deserve; and

WHEREAS: Comprehensive developmental school counseling programs are considered an integral part of the educational process that enables students to achieve success in school; and

WHEREAS: As vital members of the education team, school counselors seek to identify and utilize community resources that can enhance and complement comprehensive school counseling programs and help students become productive members of society; and

WHEREAS: The mission of school counselors is to do the best job they can for the students under their guidance and care. Academic success alone isn't enough to ensure that today's students are prepared to be tomorrow's adults; there must also focus on social, personal, and emotional development; and

WHEREAS: School counselors work with teachers and other educators to help students explore their potential and set realistic goals for themselves. They also help parents develop ways to further the educational, personal, and social growth of their children;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ASA HUTCHINSON, Governor of the State of Arkansas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of Arkansas, do hereby proclaim February 2 through 6, 2015, as

NATIONAL SCHOOL COUNSELING WEEK IN ARKANSAS

across the State, and I encourage my fellow citizens to recognize school counselors employed in public and private schools throughout Arkansas for their significant contributions to our children's futures.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed this 28th day of January, in the year of our Lord 2015.




ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

Attest:


MARK MARTIN, SECRETARY OF STATE

February 6, 2015

Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) By: Dr. Gigliotti

Mountain Home Public Schools is preparing for Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC). PARCC testing is March 9-April 10 and April 27-May 22.

What is PARCC?

The Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) is a consortium of 18 states plus the District of Columbia and the U.S. Virgin Islands working together to develop a common set of K-12 assessments in English and Math anchored in what it takes to be ready for college and careers. These new K-12 assessments will build a pathway to college and career readiness by the end of high school, mark students' progress toward this goal from 3rd grade up, and provide teachers with timely information to inform instruction and provide student support. The PARCC assessments will be ready for states to administer during the 2014-15 school year (<http://www.parcconline.org/parcc-assessment>).

Representative Mark Lowery has introduced a bill that would potentially delay the implementation of PARCC in Arkansas this school year. The bill will potentially come before the House of Education Committee next week. Until we know more about the decision at the state level, Mountain Home Public Schools will continue to prepare for PARCC.

Mountain Home Public Schools is hosting a PARCC meeting for students, parents and guardians. Ms. Darla Deatherage, Curriculum Specialist will share practice tests and other information to assist students in preparation for PARCC. The meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 23 in the Dunbar Auditorium at 6:00pm.

Teachers and Staff: PARCC released the Performance Based Assessment samples for Mathematics. The link: <http://parcc.pearson.com/practice-tests/math/>

TESTING CALENDAR

January 20-21, 2015: Mid-Year End-of-Course Biology Exam (Tuesday - Wednesday)

March 9 – April 10, 2015 (4 weeks*):

Window for PARCC Performance-based Assessments

- Grades 3 – 8 Math and ELA/Literacy
- Grades 9 – 11 ELA/Literacy
- Algebra I End-of-Course
- Geometry End-of-Course
- Algebra II End-of-Course

March 16 – May 1, 2015: Window for English Language Development Assessment (ELDA) for LEP students K-12

March 20, 2015: Science Alternate Portfolio, grades 5, 7 & 10 due date (Friday)

April 6 – April 17, 2015: Window for Iowa Tests, grades 1 & 2 (NRT)

April 14 – 15, 2015: Benchmark Science Exam, grades 5 & 7 (Tuesday - Wednesday)

April 27 - May 22, 2015 (4 weeks): Window for PARCC End-of-Year Assessments

- Grades 3-8 Math and ELA/Literacy
- Grades 9-11 ELA/Literacy
- Algebra I End-of-Course
- Geometry End-of-Course
- Algebra II End-of-Course

April 28 – 29, 2015 – End-of-Course Biology Exam (Tuesday - Wednesday)

February HUB Meeting

Feb. 19, 2015

9:00am-3:00pm

Central Office

Board Room

Northcentral Arkansas Education Service Cooperative

www.naesc.k12.ar.us

FEBRUARY 2015 UPCOMING EVENTS

Please register for these events at www.escweb.net/ar_esc/ (SESSION ID # in ESC Works)

- 2/03/2015: NAESC Scheduling Course Requests through Home Access Center – 9:00-3:00 – Sandy Harber (240162)
- 2/04/2015: NAESC Alternative Education Accountability Training – 9:00 – 11:00 – A.D.E. – Training Room (231251)
- 2/05/2015: NAESC Child Nutrition – 1:00-4:00 – Child Nutrition Unit - Zoom Session – Distance Lab - (239644)
- 2/06/2015: NAESC E.C.M. Year One – 8:30 – 3:30 – Olly Steinhorsdottir – NAESC Training Room (238830)
- 2/06/2015: NAESC Scoliosis Screening Certification for School Nurses – 8:30 – 12:00 – Cindy Schaefering – (239004)
- 2/06/2015: NAESC Obesity Prevention and Education for School Nurses – 1:00-3:30 – Cindy Schaefering - (239008)
- 2/09/2015: NAESC E.C.M. Year Two – 8:30 – 3:30 – Susan Gehn – NAESC Training Room (238832)
- 2/10/2015: NAESC C.G.I. Year Two – 8:30 – 3:30 – Susan Gehn – Mtn. Home N.W.H. Campus (238834)
- 2/10/2015: NAESC L.D.C. Cohort 3 – Highland and Southside - 8:30-3:30 – L.D.C. Team – NAESC Training Room (238833)
- 2/10/2015: NAESC eSchool Scheduling Procedures Review Workshop – 9:00-3:00 – Sandy Harber (240175)
- 2/11/2015: NAESC C.G.I. Year Two – 8:30 – 3:30 – Susan Gehn – NAESC Training Room (238835)
- 2/13/2015: NAESC 2015 Student Services Report – 9:00-2:30 – Roger Palmer – Training Room (239638)
- 2/13/2015: NAESC Reading Recovery Continuing Contact – 9:00-12:00 – Rhonda Taylor – Southside Elem. (240595)
- 2/16/2015: NAESC Closed for Holiday
- 2/18/2015: NAESC Senior High Quiz Bowl – Jill Clogston – Ozarka College
- 2/19/2015: NAESC eSchool Scheduling Procedures Review Workshop – 9:00-3:00 – Sandy Harber (240183)
- 2/20/2015: NAESC C.G.I. Year One Group Two – 8:30-3:30 – S. Hogg & A. Gray – Mtn. Home N.W.H. Campus (238837)
- 2/23/2015: NAESC C.G.I. Year Three – 8:30 – 3:30 – Debbie Gates – Batesville Eagle Mtn. Campus (238855)
- 2/24/2015: NAESC C.G.I. Year Three – 8:30 – 3:30 – Debbie Gates – NAESC Distance Lab (238856)
- 2/24/2015: NAESC Instructional Leaders Meeting – 9:30-12:30 – Mark Gipson – NAESC Training Room (239815)
- 2/25/2015: NAESC Teacher Center Committee Meeting – 9:00 – 12:00 – Mark Gipson – NAESC Training Room (239818)
- 2/26/2015: NAESC Summative Evaluation Support Training – 8:30 – 3:30 – Jim Johnson – Training Room (237352)
- 2/27/2015: NAESC Summative Evaluation Support Training – 8:30 – 3:30 – Jim Johnson – Training Room (237353)

MOUNTAIN HOME KINDERGARTEN UPDATE

February 6, 2015

February is Random Act of Kindness Month



We learn to be **KIND** in **KINDergarten**



VOLUNTEERS MAKE OUR LIVES SO MUCH BETTER



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Mountain Home Junior High

Every Student, Every Time!

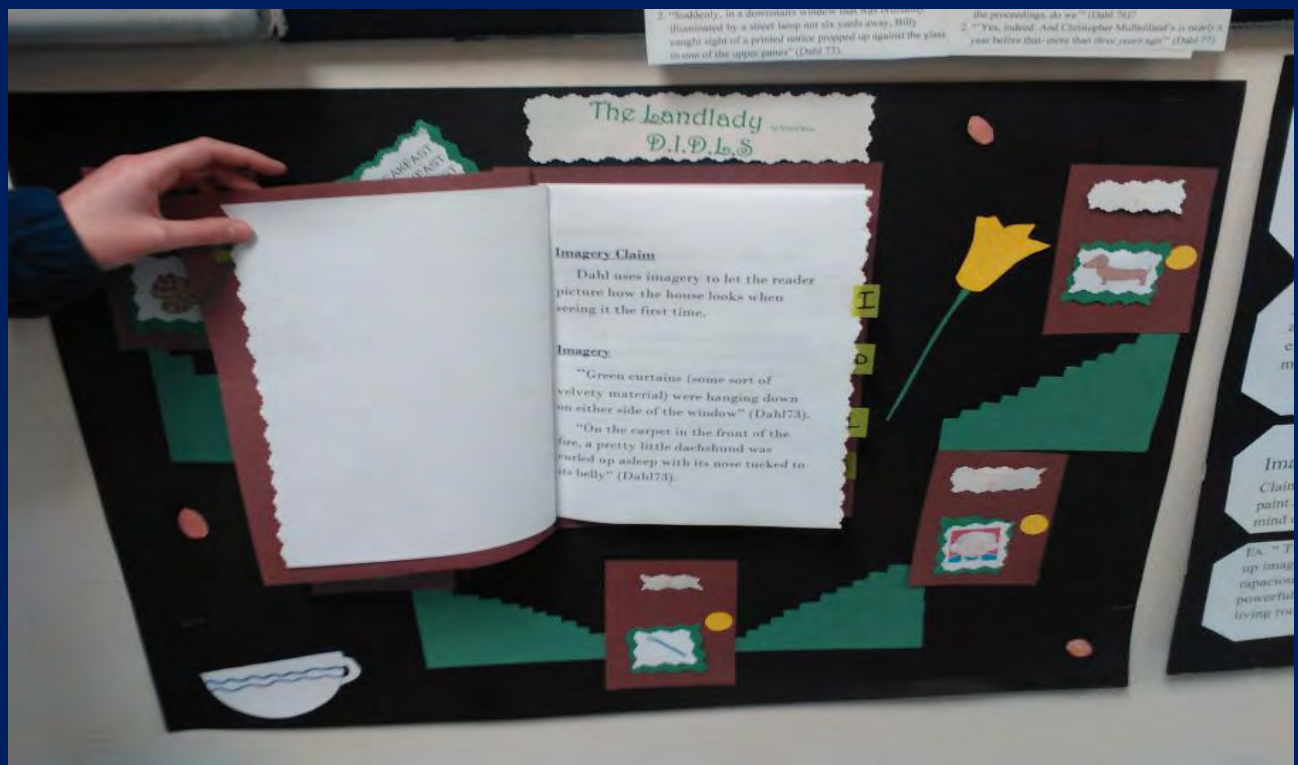
We believe in YOU!

The FFA show season is off to a great start this year, with the first MH Classic held last weekend at the Bar None Cowboy Church. The show team was well represented, with a variety of new show prospects! **SPECIAL THANKS** to Jim Brown for all the additional work and planning that went into making this such a success for our kids and community.









D.I.D.L.S.

For "The Landlady"

Diction:

Claim

Dahl uses big, descriptive words to add more emphasis to the story.

1. "After dithering about for two hours" (Dahl 73).
2. "There is nothing more tantalizing than a thing like this that lingers just outside the borders of one's memory" (Dahl 78).



Grace G. + Tripp B.

Imagery:

Claim

Dahl uses imagery to help the reader feel and see what the narrator does, when the narrator feels this.

1. "They had porches and pillars and four of five steps going up their front doors, and it was obvious upon a time they had been very swanky residences" (Dahl 73).
2. "It was about 9 o'clock in the evening and the moon was coming up out of the clear starry sky over the houses opposite to the station entrance" (Dahl 72).

Detail:

Claim

Dahl uses details to describe how the narrator see's, and feels things that he wants you to as you read.

1. "We could see that the paint was peeling from the woodwork on their doors and windows and that the handsome white facades were cracked and blotchy from neglect" (Dahl 73).
2. "There was a baby grand piano, a big sofa and several plump armchairs, and in one corner he spotted a large parrot in a cage" (Dahl 73).

Syntax:

Claim

Dahl uses short and choppy sentences to make the story more realistic and mysterious.

1. "He stopped walking. He moved a bit closer" (Dahl 73).
2. "It's Weaver, Billy said. W-E-A-V-E-R" (Dahl 78).



Language:

Claim

Dahl uses different figurative language to add perspective to the story.

1. "The wind was like a flat blade of ice on his cheeks" (Dahl 72).
2. "The small notice that was there. BED AND BREAKFAST, it said. BED AND BREAKFAST, BED AND BREAKFAST, BED AND BREAKFAST" (Dahl 74).



Diction

Claim: Dahl uses words that we wouldn't use in our vernacular language, and he also uses anaphora to explain what is happening.

Excerpt: "On the other hand, a pub would be more congenial than a boardinghouse" (Dahl, 73).

Excerpt: "He walked briskly down the street. He was trying to do everything briskly these days. Briskness, he had decided, was the one common characteristic of all businessmen" (Dahl, 75).

Details

Claim: Dahl uses ominous details to foreshadow what will happen to him.

Evidence: "Each word was like a large black eye staring at him through the glass, holding him, compelling him, forcing him to stay where he was not to walk away from that house, and the next thing he knew, he was actually moving across from the window to the of the house, climbing the steps that led up to it, and reaching for the bell" (Dahl 74).

Evidence: "Her body was half turned toward him, and he could feel her eyes resting on his face watching him over the rim of her teacup. Now and again, he caught a whiff of a peculiar smell that seemed to emanate directly from her person" (Dahl 79).

"The Landlady" by

D.I.D.L.S.

SETTING
 The story takes place in a boarding house in Bath, England. The setting is a small, old-fashioned house with a garden. The atmosphere is mysterious and slightly creepy.

CHARACTERS
 The main characters are Mr. Brown, the landlady, and the young man who is the narrator. There are also other guests in the house, including a woman who is the landlady's daughter.

BACKGROUN
 The story is set in the 1950s. The young man is a student at a boarding school and is on his way to a friend's house in Bath. The landlady is a woman who has lived in the house for many years and has a dark past.

DETAIL
 The story is told from the perspective of the young man. He is a first-person narrator. The story is a short story and is written in a simple, straightforward style.

SYNOPSIS
 The story is about a young man who is on his way to a friend's house in Bath. He is stopped by a woman who is the landlady. She offers him a room in her house. The young man agrees to stay. The landlady is a woman who has a dark past and she is trying to kill the young man.

QUESTIONS
 What is the significance of the title "The Landlady"?
 Why does the young man go to the landlady's house?
 What is the landlady's secret?
 How does the young man die?

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The Landlady

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D.I.D.L.S. The Landlady

By Roald Dahl

Background of the Author

Roald Dahl was a British writer of children's books and short stories. He was born in 1917 and died in 1990. He is best known for his children's books, including "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" and "Matilda".

Plot

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Style

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Themes

The story explores themes of mystery, suspense, and the dark side of human nature. It also explores the theme of the power of the landlady over the young man.

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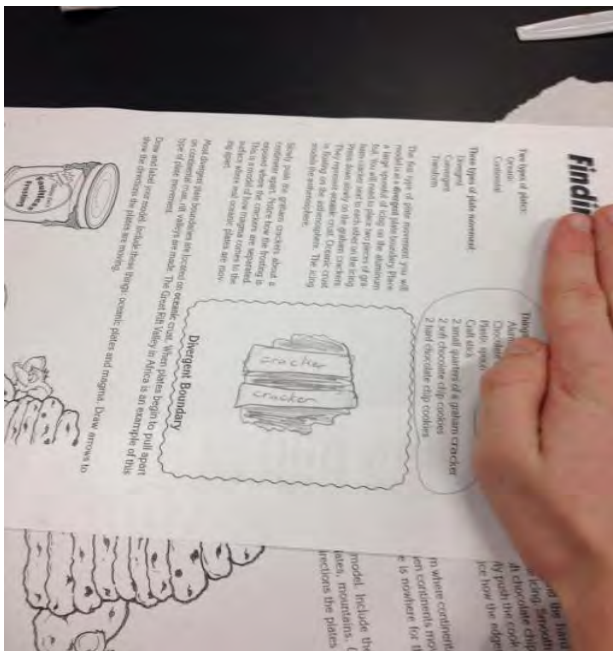
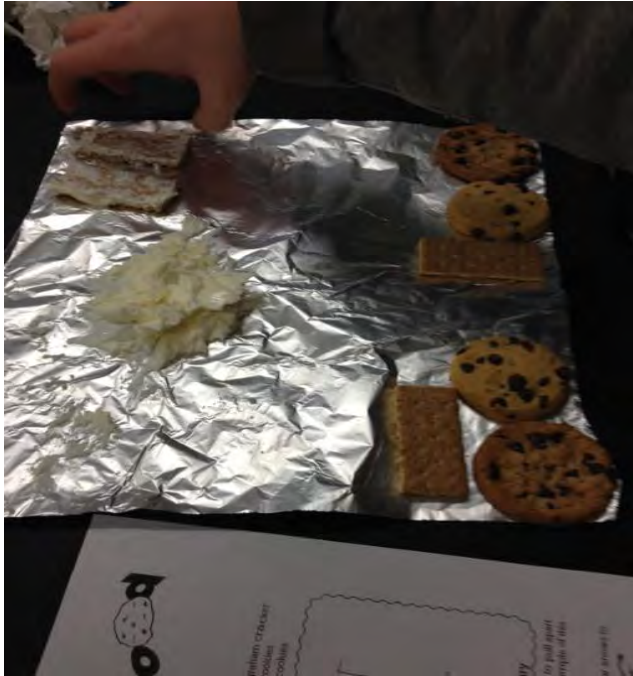
The Landlady

Definition
 I have found out about the story
 and I am explaining it to you

Students in Mrs. Gatewood's **Tools for Learning** class displayed their future plans, after doing Career research.



Students in Mrs. Beaver's and Mrs. Dement's classes conducted a science lab entitled *Finding Fault with Food*.



Junior Thespian Festival Showcase

Mrs. Hickey's drama classes and club members are eligible to audition

Audition Categories:

Group Musical Theatre—*Directed by Serena Hickey*

Duet Acting

Monologue Acting

Group Acting—more than “two” actors, but no longer than 15 minute show

Solo Musical Theatre

Duet Musical Theatre

Pinkston Middle School

Week ending February 6, 2015



6th Grade Tributes to Martin Luther King Jr.



Kevin Pieper visits Mr. Hargett's Art Class



Pinkston AAP

Academic Advisory Program (AAP) students participate in a team building activity. Students were divided into teams and were given paper only. They were instructed to build a tower as a team. They then shared their thoughts on teamwork, problem solving, and how everyone in the group contributed. We also asked them to share what role they played on the team.



Pushing Art Out and Bringing Community In

Students in Mr. Hargett's 6th and 7th grade art classes were given the opportunity to participate in a "pet inspired" art contest. Mr. Hargett partnered with All Creatures Vet Clinic to bring this contest into Pinkston. The Conner from All Creatures found judges for the event and then provided prizes for student winners in both 6th and 7th grade. The students' art work will be displayed at All Creatures in Mountain Home.



Thank you ALL Creatures

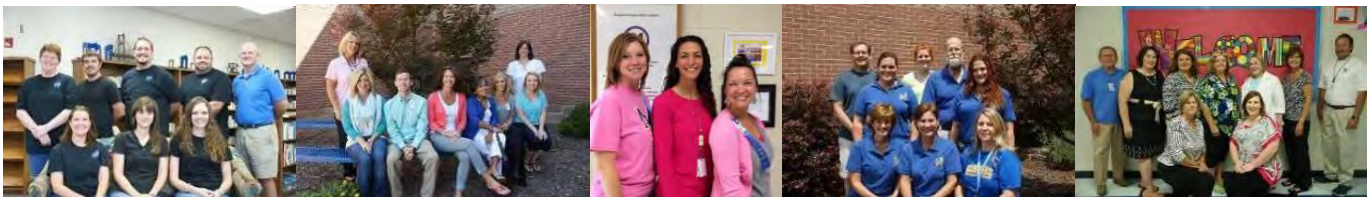
EAST Honors

CONGRATULATIONS Mrs. Dunavan and Pinkston EAST student team!



**Bob Knight of KTLO hosted Ashley Dunavan, EAST advisor and students:
Jackson Jones , Lawson Stockton, Brandon Morris and
Dawson Tabor live on air!**

Their product Nature's S.O.S. – Nature's Solar-Operated Sprinkler was chosen as 1 of only 3 projects to be created and presented at this years' EAST conference in March in Hot Springs. They were the only middle school project selected. Their product was designed to help to manage and eliminate wildfires in rural areas. The product is a solar-powered, stand-alone fire extinguisher that uses renewable ground water, targeting wildfires and rural areas.



Pinkston Middle School is a great place to be!

Post acts of kindness that you see or that you do #pinkstonkindness

Pinkston Middle School @Pinkstonmiddle EAST at Pinkston @AdunavanEast

7th Grade Promise @deniselauerman Pinkston Choir @Pinkstonchoir

Pinkston Media Center @pmslibrary12



HACKLER INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Tornado Preparedness

Would you know what to do if the tornado siren sounded? Do you have a plan? Would you panic? If you ask the students at Hackler Intermediate School, they would know exactly what to do. Why would they know? Four times a year the State of Arkansas Department of Emergency Management requires the school to have tornado drills. This is in accordance to the Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 10, Subchapter 121.Tornado Drills. In this drill, students file into a classroom with no windows, in the hallway or under a table and sit facing the wall covering their head. Officer Danielle Campfield researched this position and this is the best position to protect the student's face from flying debris.

This is an excellent plan to have in place at home too. Get the family together and talk about what you would do and get everyone on the same page. Spring is coming and there is no better time than now to make a plan, prepare, and practice. Keeping our kids safe is our number one priority.

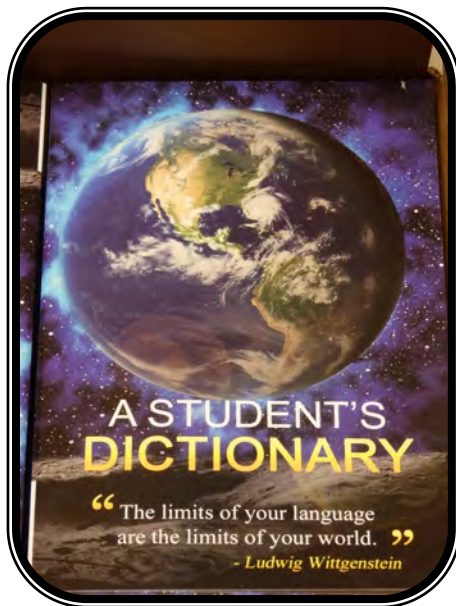


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Welcome Mountain Home Rotary Members



Rotary members pictured are: Janet Wood, Todd McCoy, Sheila Wingard, Steve Litty, Fred Edwards, Sharon Edwards, April Flowers, Stewart Brunner. Not pictured: Kriss Yunker



A dictionary is knowledge. Knowledge is an excellent gift to give to a child who has so much to learn. The Mountain Home Rotary club does just that. They give a student dictionary to every third grade students at Hackler. This tradition has been going on long before Hackler opened the doors in August 2010. One teacher explained that her daughter, who was now in college, still uses her dictionary she received from the Rotary. It is amazing to see the excitement on the faces of students when they open up their very own dictionary. This treasure is truly priceless!

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chocolate • chocolate chips • chocolate



Thank you, Mountain Home Rotary!

Hackler Intermediate School Newsletter

965 West Road, Mtn. Home, AR 72653 ~ Phone 425-1288 / Fax 425-1290

Principal: Sondra Monger

Mrs. Cassy Barnhill, Assistant Principal
Mr. Kevin Roach, Assistant Principal

Mrs. Kristyn Goodwin - Counselor
Ms. Mary Beth Wyatt - Counselor



Around our School

February 6, 2015

- ♥ A pink parent survey is coming home today. Please complete the form and send it back to school by next Friday. Names are not required.
- ♥ Progress reports go home in red folders today.
- ♥ 2014-2015 yearbook can be ordered online until February 27. www.inter-state.com/yearbook and the code is 754783. Don't delay—order today!
- ♥ Deliveries made on Valentine's day will be distributed to students after 2:00 p.m.

"Share the Love" food drive February 9th - 13th
See the back of the newsletter for details!

5th Grade Valentine's Dance

FOR HACKLER 5TH GRADE STUDENTS ONLY

- ♥ 5th grade will not have class parties.
 - ♥ Parent volunteers are welcome but not required.
 - ♥ You cannot bring a date or any younger siblings.
 - ♥ Dress code—school appropriate & comfortable!
- ♥ Drop off and pick up as follows:
Pearls—3rd & 4th grade car line
Rubies — 5th grade car line

Parents, if you would like to help, the following items will be needed for the dance:

Store bought snacks - Napkins - 2 Liter soda/drinks - Plastic or paper cups for drinks

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION

This week and next week, PE teachers will be telling students about the American Heart Association and Jump Rope for Heart. Like last year, we will be giving them the opportunity to bring in \$1 to be able to wear a hat on Friday, February 13th. 100% of the proceeds will go to the American Heart Association.



Box Top Winners:

Abby Lindsey—3rd grade, Mrs. Zwicker & Sophia Baker—4th grade, Mrs. Clarke

Pick up your movie tickets in the front office.

HACKLER INTERMEDIATE



SHARES THE LOVE



What:

“Share the Love” Canned Food Drive!

When:

February 9th–13th (V-Day Week)

Who:

All Hackler Students

Where:

Hackler Intermediate School

Why:

To share Hackler love through restocking our local food pantry shelves!

Nelson-Wilks-Herron Newsletter



Leah Cotter, Principal

Monday February 2, 2015

Rita Persons, Asst. Principal

Valentine Parties

1ST GRADE

9:45-10:15 a.m.

2ND GRADE

1:00-1:45 p.m.

Harris's Class— 1:30-2:00 p.m.

Montgomery's Class— 2:00-3:00 p.m.

LITTLE FREE LIBRARY

The Little Free Library, located at 511 Coley Drive, announces that its February selections will feature the "farewell performance" of books that have been in the collection for two years or more. We would like to know what books you enjoy. Please leave your completed questionnaire in the Little Free Library box on or before February 25 to be eligible for the drawing. The Library is free and open 24/7 with book choices for pre-school children to teens.

For further information call St. Andrews Episcopal Church at 425-3560.

RUNNING CLINIC

TRAIN TO RUN YOUR FIRST 5K OR 10K!

WHEN: Jan 27, 2015- 11:25 AM

WHERE: Mountain Home Christian Clinic
(meet at back entrance)

WHO: Teens and adults.

Kick Off Meeting the upcoming Sunday at 4pm.

For more information contact:

Michelle Webb at

COPLEYML@MAC.COM

L.C. Sammons Youth Center Sports Registration

Where: L.C. Sammons Youth Center

When: February 7th & 14th, 9am-12pm

What: Baseball, Softball, Football, Soccer, Swim, & Tennis Registration

For more information call 424-7275

Pony Power Literacy Program Fundraiser

TODAY from 4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Where: McDonalds (Mtn. Home)

Come and meet your favorite Characters from the Little Black Pony books. **LIVE Horses!**

PLEASE SEE BACK ALSO!

Important Dates

Feb. 16th.....Teacher In-service (No school for students)
 Feb. 28th.....Deadline To Order Yearbooks
 March 5th.....Early Dismissal 2:00
 March 5th.....Parent/Teacher Conferences 2:00-8:00
 March 20th.....Can Do Club Day

NWH YEARBOOK SALE!

Yearbooks on sale now through **FEBRUARY 28TH!**

Full color, soft back yearbook only **\$15.00**

To order visit: www.wingard.inter-state.com/yearbook and enter code: 755213
 or return envelope with cash, check or money order payable to:
 Nelson-Wilks-Herron Elementary

For more information call NWH office at: 870-425-1251
 Order forms are also available in the Nelson-Wilks-Herron office.

Menu Change

February 11th lunch

Chicken Spaghetti Roll
 Green beans Pineapple
 Tossed salad Milk

February 13th lunch

Taco Casserole Fruit Cocktail
 Refried Beans Milk
 Chocolate Chip Cookie Salsa

COAT DRIVE

Saturday, February 7th

Distribution points and times:

Old Time Café—Mountain Home

8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

Warrior Station—Cotter

7:00 a. m. -9:00 a.m.

Eagles Club—Midway

10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

CITGO Hwy 5 Mountain Home

2:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.

Buddy's Home Furniture—Mtn. Home

11:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

“Pitch in for Kids”

February 6, 2015



**Mountain Home vs Jonesboro
Boys Basketball Game**



Bring a NEW pair of pajamas or socks (size 2T-8)
and pitch them on the basketball court when the
first quarter ends or the first time out occurs—
whichever happens first.

**Items will benefit the 47 foster kids in
Baxter County.**



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MHHS CAREER ACADEMIES



Photo by Mason Bell

2015 MHHS Sweetheart Royalty...

Queen Logan Waldon and King Michael Leppold!

Congratulations to you both!

2015 Senior Financial Aid Information Night at MHHS



On February 10 from 6pm to 9pm in the Mountain Home High School Library, a Senior Financial Aid Information Night will be held. ASUMH staff will be present to help seniors along with their parents and guardians navigate financial aid for college. Clay Berry from ASUMH will be the featured speaker, and staff will answer questions regarding FAFSA as well as offering computer labs to help fill out FAFSA and other applications. Local scholarship representatives will also be in attendance to offer their applications and answer questions including representatives from Mountain Home Business and Professional Women, Integrity First Bank, Alley-White American Legion Post 52, Friends of the Baxter County Library, First United Methodist Church, and North Arkansas Electric Co-Op.

MHHS Earn Their ABA Certificate

Attached is a group picture of the Principles of Banking students that earned their ABA Certificate in Principles of Banking. Not pictured: Maysa Fouts, Taylor Haselwander, Jayden McClellan, and Vincent Ci-



Mountain Home High School FBLA District Competition Results

ELECTED District VI Vice President ----- Isabella Gregory

1st Place Winners

Business Ethics	Lauren Wilbur, Maysa Fouts
Business Law	Kayla Maupin
Digital Video Production	Ana Helmert, Mitch Potter, Hunt Nosari
E-Business	Samantha Shelley, Alexis Ungerank

2nd Place Winners

Accounting II	Drew Strickland
Banking & Financial Systems	Genevea Milholland, Jayden Phillips, Haley Hunter
Computer Problem Solving	Josh Engle

3rd Place Winners

Hospitality Management	Reagan Shrable, Abigail Prestwood
Sports & Entertainment Mgmt	Zoe Parson, Jordan Womack

4th Place Winners

Agribusiness	Ashlyn Tuberville
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5th Place Winners

Impromptu Speaking	Luke Gibson
Job Interview	Maddy Lewis

6th Place Winners

Accounting I	Brandon Fry
Business Calculations	Shayna Porter
Business Math	Adam Fowler

6th Place Winner (Event Not Eligible to Advance to State)

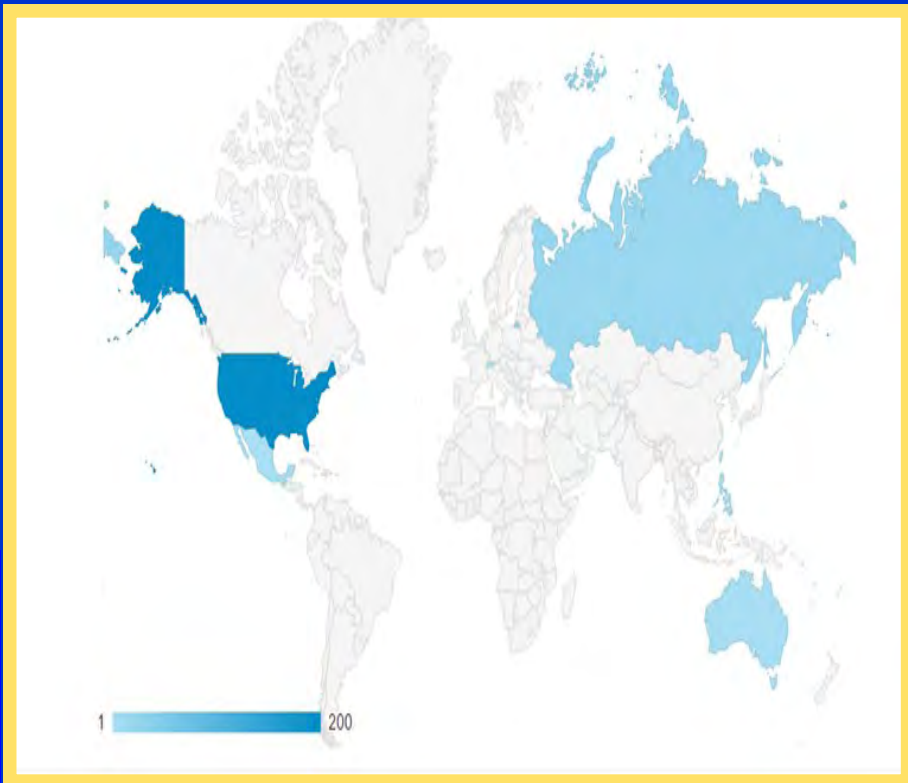
Business Presentations	Rigley Garman, Will Sandvos
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Teachers Develop Website with Hits in the US and Around the World!

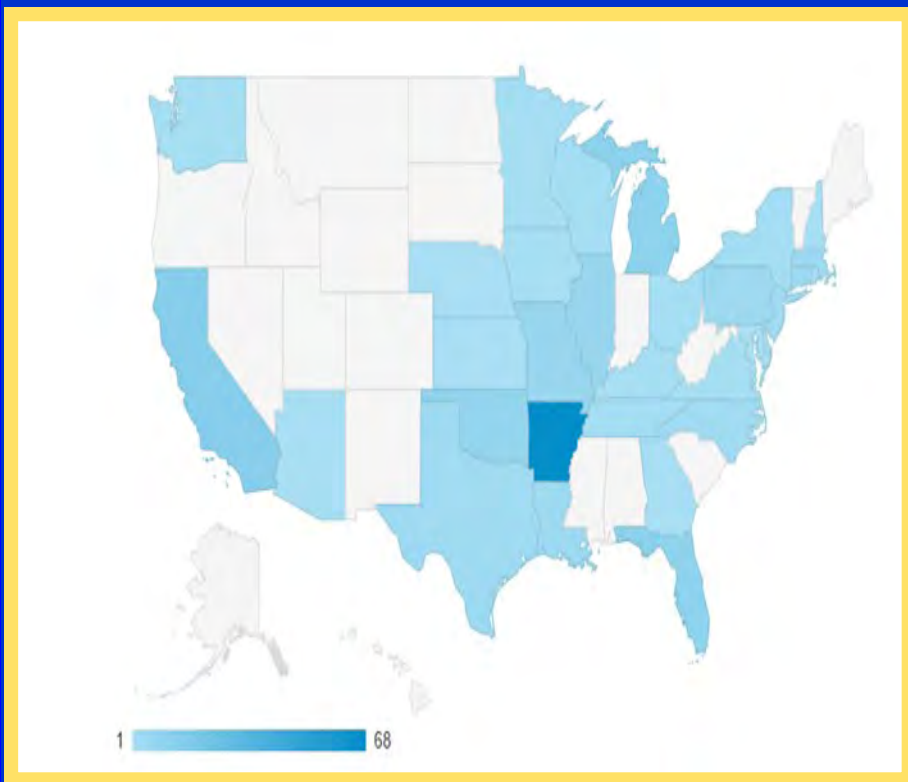
During our free time over the summer and this fall, my wife and I have worked to set up this web site: <http://drbouck.weebly.com/>

We have shared this with our students to help them stay organized with the topics. We have also shared this with other teachers who have questions about how courses are organized or using specific textbooks or labs. I have recently hooked this up to some analysis tools and it is interesting to see what pages are being accessed and from where. These are the diagrams below. Please note that this is a work in progress and some areas are more mature than others.

Nevertheless, it is remarkable how rapidly information is shared and accessible across the globe now. We have only been tracking this for the last couple of weeks but in that time there have been over 1500 page views.



Countries outside the US hitting the web site (Mexico, Taiwan, Russia, Australia, Switzerland, Philipines,...)



States within the US hitting the web site:

Dunbar Gallery



Natalea Woods 3rd



Tristan Dean 12th



Kjersti Vaag 12th

January &
February
2015



Hannah Cantrell 11th



Katelyn McLean 7th



Neigha Stetka 10



Kiley Berry 11th

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