



SCHOOL BOARD REPORT

January 2023



POCAHONTAS ELEMENTARY
MR. TOM SULZER

GENERAL INFORMATION

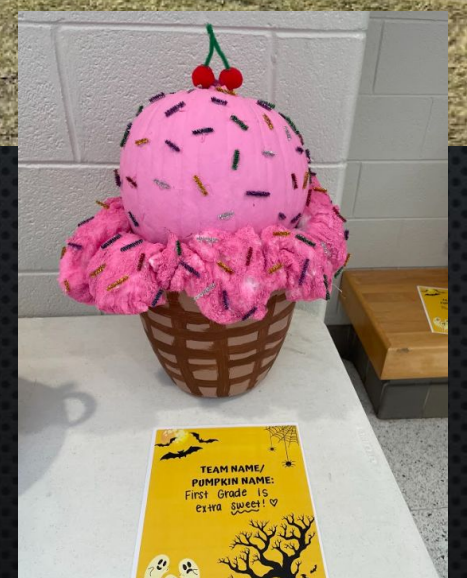
In October, our PTO hosted our Fall Festival. The evening was packed with students, staff and families dressed up and ready to have fun! It was a great way to get many families back into the building.



GENERAL INFORMATION

Other October Activities

- Scarecrow Decorating Contest
- Homecoming Spirit Week
- Pumpkin Decorating Contest

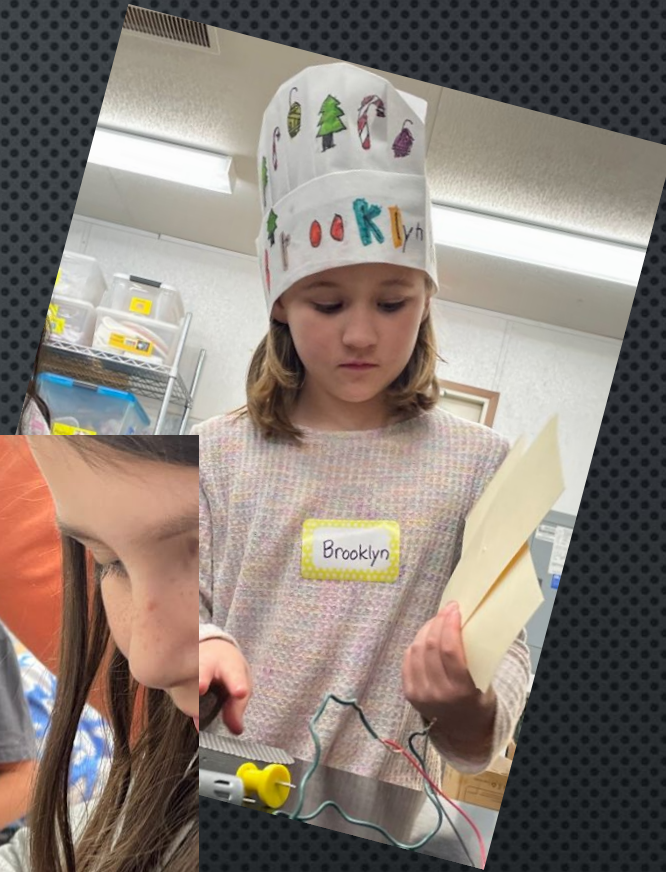


GENERAL INFORMATION

STEM

Students in 1st and 2nd grade enjoyed their STEM Days.

The STEM coaches hosted their after school STEM camp in December. The students enjoyed creating an alternative energy house!



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In November, students and staff showed gratitude with a variety of classroom and whole school activities. All students were given the chance to write a “Gratitude Gram” to others around the building.



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Pocahontas held their annual Transportation and Maintenance Breakfast in early November. Grade levels brought in different menu items to show their appreciation. This was our second breakfast with drivers this year promoting collaboration and communication.



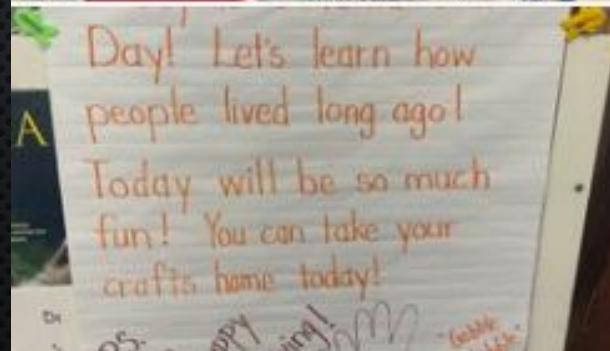
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Miscellaneous:

The Virginia Rep Theatre presented Hugs and Kisses to our preK - 3 grade students.



Students in second and fourth grade read Balloons Over Broadway, a story about the Macy's Day Parade. They then created their own floats and had their own parade just before the Thanksgiving break.



GENERAL INFORMATION

In December, the leadership team hosted a luncheon for the teachers and staff as a token of our appreciation and gratitude for all that they do. We also asked teams to decorate the halls and they did a marvelous job!



Grade Level	Enrollment (as of 1/2/2023)
PK	49
K	114
1st	110
2nd	113
3rd	129
4th	132
5th	124
Total	771

STUDENT ENROLLMENT BY GRADE

STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

**Pocahontas Elementary
Teacher of the Year
Mrs. Tiffany Ray**



The following fifth grade students have been selected to read the morning announcements:

- Harlan Coleman, Phoenix Edwards
- Amelia Etheridge, Zachary Seibel, Harper Yandle



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION



**Mrs. Katie Bates
Earned
National Board
Certification**



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

The PBIS leadership committee is supporting student recognition each month from each homeroom and resource class. We continue to recognize students who show our four core expectations - effort, respect, kindness, and responsibility. Congrats to the following students!



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

Resource			
Teacher	October	November	December
Andrews – Music	Manna / Morin	Blackburn / Covais	
Britz - PE	Bowles / Covais	McCue / Smith	
Freund – PE	Bates / Beach	Morton / Timberlake	McLachlan / Stout
Oliver – Technology	Mosher / Erie	Miller / Brown	
Martin - Art	Trimmer / Bowman	Senger / Hannaford	Manna / Marwitz
Ray - Library	Senger / Howell	Johnson / Marwitz	



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

VPI			
Teacher	October	November	Effort Awards
Fields	Jade Traylor	Scarlett Hutchinson	Nora McGary
Gauntt	Lily Donohoe	Carter Stanley	
Welch	Jaxson Tays	Margaret Lewis	Caroline Myers



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

Kindergarten			
Teacher	October	November	Effort Awards
Blackburn	Griffen Raymond	Cordelia Stitzer	Calla Kusobucki
Bowles	Anberlyn Beberdick	Caiden Malick	Jackson Odom
Johnson	Landon Franklin	Nora Jarrell	Jaxton Robertson-Weaver
Morton	Gabe Hudson	Emma Troupe	Eli Carroll
Rama	Reagan Ickes	Ira Covais	Crystal Woolney
Richter	Maddox Sprouse	Carlee Fleming	Harper King



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

First Grade			
Teacher	October	November	Effort
McCue	Elijah Black	Esther Nebel	Taylor Westby
McLachlan	Ander Shiver	Hailey Gerber	Georgia Young
Morris	Kellen Lavimodiere	Avery Hershey	Alexandra Patterson
Mosher	Missy Swanson	Mason Jastam	Madison Utt
Senger	Charlotte Samuel	Emery Davis	Levi Burton
Stech	Sire Anderson	Andi Jo Hunting	Logan Cheely



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

Second Grade			
Teacher	October	November	Effort Awards
Bates	Wyatt Horner	Madelyn Beach	Layla Butler
Manna	Molly Thomas	Aidan Belcher	Alora Reese
Miller	Alex Verkay	Nolan Watson	Tessa Burgos
Raley	Alexa Hodges	Hayden Bartlett	Logan Taylor
Reese	Gavin Rohlfing	Taylor Lessner	Giovanna Green
Yandle	Mackenzie Rogers	Eirnin Buchholz	Landon Craig



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

Third Grade			
Teacher	October	November	Effort Awards
Beach	Hunter Marshall	Vinny Yates	Arya Russell
Covais	Kinsley Maher	Tannar Pine	Kennedy Gibson
Hill	Brooklyn Carmichael	Piper Clark	Archer Shiver
Marwitz	Ariana Phifer	Paisley Parker	Wyatt Leonard
Timberlake	Patrisha Doyle	Silas Corey	Andrea Lascurain
Yandle	Jocelyn Hunter	Lucas McCord	Jillian Gills



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

Fourth Grade			
Teacher	October	November	Effort Awards
Brown	Allison Howard	Brantley Coley	Maggie Wadford
Hannaford	Alexander Erie	Abigail Trevillian	Greyson Peterson
Howell	Tyler Ledford	Lane Smith	Kinsley Partridge
Morin	Maggie Altizer	Anastasia Wilder	Milena Yancey
Schott	Joshua Matney	Zane Gilliam	Hailey Campbell
Stout	Sydney Maxwell	Ashton Wood	Jack Stinnett



STUDENT AND STAFF RECOGNITION

Fifth Grade			
Teacher	October	November	Effort Awards
Bowman	Hannah Shaw	Ella Congdon	Stuart Jeffress
Brooks	Olivia Reinke	Scarlett Ortiz	Ben Haynes
Chartters	Eleanor Campbell	Shannon Crews	Piper Sumpter
Erie	Hunter Hall	Liam Bean	Avery Reed
Smith	Allie Bohn	Genevieve Cosgrove	Cheyenne Dunnivan
Yoder	Riley Clark	Coleson Bakes	Rorie Stephens



UPCOMING EVENTS

January

10 - Math SGA

11 - Reading SGA

17 - Benchmarks begin (2nd Grade Math, 4th/5th Science); First Grade Winter Performance

19 - Internet Safety Committee

20 - PCPS Division Level Spelling Bee

February

12 - 18 - Kindness Week

18 - PCPS Job Fair



THANK

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