

Holiday Performance

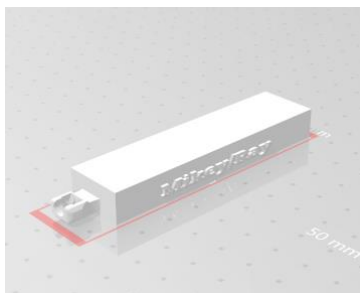


Students in the elementary chorus, guitar ensemble, and advanced band all performed at the Lights on the Hill annual Christmas celebration on Saturday, December 14. We are very proud of all who participated!

Student Services Update

The student service team has continued to support students across settings in a variety of targeted ways. Team members within the Moore School have met regularly about individual student progress in both reading and mathematics. They have participated in professional development activities to not only access student learning profiles but develop personalized learning plans within the general curriculum. There have been ongoing IEP team meetings for students within the Moore School as well as students attending high schools, charter schools, pre-schools, and out of district schools. Partnerships with community groups have continued with outreach to families in need around the holidays.

Technology Update



Mr. Jamrog met with the technology committee at the beginning of the month and finalized the changes to the Device Use Agreement for K-6, and 7-8th. They also continued their work on the Data Governance Manual with a focus on procedures for staff and students. Mr. Jamrog was approached by two VEX team members about a problem they wanted to solve. The students have a peg puller that they use on their builds that continued to break because it was too small. Their idea was to design a new one and 3D print it for all of the Henry Moore VEX teams. After only a couple of days they came back with their design and printed them with great success!

Classroom Updates

In science, third grade students have explored the flow of energy through food chains, how animals have adaptations that allow them to survive in their natural habitats, and motion. Currently, they are working to learn how force changes motion. Third graders recently completed an investigation where they discovered how increasing the slope of an inclined plane can change motion. They were excited to use Matchbox vehicles on the ramps.



Fifth grade science began the year with physical science and the properties of matter. They moved on to the basics of chemistry where students showed a lot of interest in the periodic table of the elements and the elements themselves. Experiments focused on chemical reactions so that students could learn the difference between chemical and physical changes.

Fifth grade students also explored the intricacies of different biospheres. They learned about how bears can change a river bank and how salmon get in trees!

Most recently they focused on photosynthesis and are moving into animal cells. Fifth graders have shown a particular interest in cell biology.



Armed Assailant Drill

The Town of Candia Emergency Services in conjunction with the NH Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HSEM) will be conducting training starting in January of 2020 for an armed assailant drill at the Moore School. This will be a yearlong process designed to develop and train on a plan in the event of an active shooter in the town. Mr. Rearick and I will be attending a meeting/workshop facilitated by NH HSEM on January 28th. This meeting will also include Candia emergency services and Rockingham Sheriff's Office. This is one of many meetings we will be having thought the year to prepare for a large-scale drill in October.

Respectfully Submitted,

Becky L. Wing, Principal

January Events
1/8: Principal Night, 5:30pm
1/10: PTO Family Movie Night, 6pm
1/14: PTO Meeting, 7pm
1/15: Spelling Bee, 6pm
1/16: Parent Math Night, 6pm
1/20: Martin Luther King Jr. /Civil Rights Day: No School
1/21: Gr 8 to Pinkerton Academy
1/22: Spelling Bee Snow Date, 6pm
1/24: Middle School Dance, 6:30pm
1/31: Middle School Dance Snow Date
1/21: Winter NWEA Assessment Begins



Students participated in Ugly Sweater Day during spirit week.