

## Red Devil Review 5-16-2021

We are truly winding down this school year. This makes my 40<sup>th</sup>. It has been my pleasure to be associated with the best group of educators in this state or any other. I do mean that sincerely. You are terrific.

Ms. Thompson reports:

Pre-K students started talking about kindergarten this week. They had so many questions and went through a myriad of emotions. They were very surprised to find out that their teachers were not going to go to kindergarten with them--many of them were unhappy about it! Students also reviewed letters, sounds, numbers to 20, counting objects to 20--as well as other skills taught throughout this year. They have also started working on their songs for our end of the year program that will be videoed next week. Teachers are working tirelessly to finish up progress reports and the assessments required for the literacy grant. They will be starting parent-teacher conferences next week. At that time, they will go over the student's progress report, give books for students provided through First Readers, give some information about kindergarten, and give work packets for summer review.

Ms. Bass reports:

PCES is very proud of our RESA Contest winners. The following students have been recognized:

### Individual Math Winners:

3rd Grade - Aidan Shaw - 3rd place

3rd Grade - Paige Fremont - 6th place

3rd Grade - Logan Holder - 7th place

3rd Grade - Taylor Brown - 10th place

4th Grade - Kolton Sword - 7th place

4th Grade - Noah Thomas - 7th place

### Individual Top Scorers:

3rd Grade -Aidan Shaw

4th Grade - Kolton Sword

4th Grade - Noah Thomas

5th Grade - Aubrey Collier

### Math Team Winners:

3rd grade team - 2nd place

4th Grade team - 5th place

5th Grade team - 5th place

Young Georgia Authors:

Kindergarten - Hunter Hulburt - 3rd place

1st Grade - Atticus Correa - 2nd place

2nd Grade - Taylor Colson - 5th place

3rd Grade - Madi Blair Abney - 2nd place

4th Grade - Kendyl Grayce Stuckey - 1st place

5th Grade - Aubrey Collier - Honorable Mention

Writing Contest Winners:

Kindergarten - Tom Porter - 5th place

3rd Grade - Scarlett Durden - 5th place

4th Grade - Blake Owens - 3rd place

PCES May 2021 Students of the Month:

Kindergarten- Cannon Squires, Harley Anderson, Jordyn Spivey, Ryder Beavers, and Casen Biddle

1st-A' Kenya Young, Paris Melvin, Adan Garcia Aguilera, and Destiny Furlow

2nd- JiCorey Little, Rakiya Scott, Alivia Pullen, Sadie Grilliot, and Evy Thompson

3rd- Lily Goss, Charles Walters, Alexis Lones, Diego Perez-Zuniga, and Kayla Anderson

4th- Wyatt Horne, Sophia Wilburn, Kemierius King, Kevin Perez, and Emily Snell

5th- Greg Tovar, Marley Bowden, Noah Adams, Jayden Gordon, and Katelyn Hand

Mrs. Octil would like to congratulate Emma Andrews and Levi McFarland for completing all 250 lessons on Typing Club Jungle Junior during computer class.

Mrs. Long and Mrs. Goodroe's kindergartners are so excited about being published authors. Mrs. Helms' kindergarten students celebrated their butterflies' birthdays this week. The students suggested names and later voted on their favorites for each new winged friend. The students were excited to watch Princess Nova, Puppy Veena, Heart, and Cookie, grow! The class will release the butterflies on Monday. The class made 3-D shapes with playdoh and toothpicks this week. They did a fabulous job!

Congratulations to our intern teachers Elizabeth Gainous, Camryn Studstill, and Kristen Warlick for graduating from Middle Georgia State University on Wednesday. We are very proud of these ladies!

Ms. Kilgore reports:

In Mrs. Delph's Georgia history classes, eighth grade students ended the instructional year with a culminating Georgia Theme Park activity. Students created a theme park based on the different themes studied in Georgia History throughout the year. The theme parks included roller coasters, concessions/restaurants, and live performance theaters all connected to the themes chosen for the five

areas of the park. Students also worked on the project in the other 8th grade classes, building one of the roller coasters in Mrs. Wilson's physical science class, pricing/budgeting in Mr. Myers' math class, and the writing of the paper describing the theme park was completed in Mrs. Averett's language arts class. Students presented the projects to their class.

Congratulations to PCMS students competing in the HGRESA competitions recognized at last week's Honor's Day program:

The purpose of the Young Georgia Authors (YGA) writing competition is to encourage students to develop enthusiasm for and expertise in their writing, to provide a context to celebrate their writing successes, and to recognize student achievement in arts and academics. The following PCMS students placed at the RESA level:

**Elise Wilson, 2nd Place for 6th grade**

**Autumn Linder, 3rd place for 7th grade**

**Angelee Hullihen, 3rd place for 8th grade**

HGRESA Writing Competition Recognition:

**Elise Wilson, 4th place for 6th grade**

**Autumn Linder, 3rd place for 7th grade**

**Emma Brown, Honorable Mention for 8th grade**

HGRESA Math Competition Recognition:

**6th Grade Math Team Members: Grace Berry, Ethan Coffey, Alyssa Jones, Bryce Keen, Piper Phillips**

**Ethan Coffey, 9th place Highest Individual score for 6th grade and Highest Individual score for PCMS**

**7th Grade Math Team Members: Owen Collier, Sarah Hernandez, Autumn Linder, Nisha Patel, Ethan Rogers, Addison Winchester**

**Ethan Rogers, 3rd place Highest Individual score for 7th grade and Highest Individual score for PCMS**

**Owen Collier, 9th place Individual score for 7th grade**

**7th Grade Math Team for PCMS 5th Place at RESA**

**8th Grade Math Team Members: Malek Brown, Amari Hunt, Chase Plank, Hailey Perez, Mckenzie Whipple**

**Chase Plank, 4th place Highest Individual score for 8th grade and Highest Individual score for PCMS**

PCMS students visited the Devil's Den on Friday for the last time this school year. They were able to spend all their Devil Dollars earned for being ready, respectful, and responsible on a variety of items. At the end of the day, students with exceptional behavior (no detentions or office referrals) for the entire

school year were treated to a reward celebration including water balloon volleyball, sponge relay, egg toss, and tug-of-war. Thank you, Dr. Nance, for heading up our PBIS program.

Over the past week, remote learning students were administered their comprehensive final exams. Coming up next week, our in-person students will take their fourth nine weeks' exams.

Monday will be a busy day as we welcome 5th graders to PCMS! We look forward to sharing information about our school, extra-curricular opportunities, and giving them a tour of the school.

On Monday evening at 7:00, Mr. Bramel and the PCMS and HHS band students will entertain everyone with a spring concert. Everyone is encouraged to come out to this free event to be held at Bobby Gentry Stadium.

Coach Williamson reports:

This week we enjoyed celebrating and honoring our Seniors with a Steak Lunch on Friday.

Congratulations to our Valedictorian and Salutatorian for the Class of 2021:

Valedictorian Kaylyn Joseline Contreras-Carrera will attend the University of Georgia and major in Biology with a focus on Pre-Medicine.

Salutatorian Kaitlyn Beth Johnson will attend the University of Georgia and major in Veterinary Medicine.

Students completed milestone testing and Seniors completed final exams.

Our Boys and Girls Track team competed in the State Championship in Albany, Georgia on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Results from the State Championship:

Boys Track

Troy Averett – 4th in Discus and 5th in shot put

Dagan Mullis – 8th in Discus

Casson Clark – 4th in Long Jump

Chris Sanders – 9th in 400-meter run

Girls Track

4x100 - 9th place (Lashundra Slocumb, Karia Nelson, Yaz Collins, and Fantashia Brown)

4x800 – 5th place (Akeelah Brown, Erin Johnson, Malayla Jelks, and Makayla Edwards)

Erica Walker – 9th place in Shot Put

Qualifying for Saturday finals:

4x400 – (Fantashia Brown, Akeelah Brown, Karia Nelson, and Kaniyah Anderson)

100 meter – Karia Nelson

300 meter hurdles – Kaniyah Anderson

The Red Devil baseball team celebrated their season with a banquet on Wednesday.

Congrats to the following baseball players:

2nd Team All Region Catcher – Braden Simmons

2nd Team All Region Pitcher – Carl Burch

All Region Honorable Mention – Jackson Heath

All Region Honorable Mention – Chase Reese

Coaches Award – Darius Anderson

Coaches Award – Cam Salter

Heart of the Devils Award – Tyler Meeks

Girls Golf will compete in the State Golf Tournament on Monday, May 17.

Upcoming Events:

Band Concert May 17 (7:00 pm @ stadium)

The Hawkinsville High School 2021 Graduation Ceremony will be held on Friday May 21 at 7:00pm in Bobby Gentry Stadium.