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School Motto:

Achievement, Respect and Integrity Through Education

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Literacy Message

Work daily in your Summer Splash Reading & Math booklet. Return August 17, 2016. Rewards and incentives will be given to students.

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

PTA 2016-2017

Nicole McLain, President

****Sign up now to be a volunteer @ WES**

Last Issue

2016—2017

Tentative Dates

Thursday, August 4, 2016—New Student/Family Orientation

Wednesday, August 10, 2016—Teachers Return

Friday, August 12, 2016-Post Rosters

Monday, August 15, 2016—Meet the Teacher

Wednesday, August 17, 2016—All Students Return (CD thru 3)

Wednesday, August 31, 2016—PTA Open House

Thursday, September 15, 2016—Grandparents Day

Summer Reading/ESOL Camp for Identified Students

Reading Camp June 6-30

July 11-21

ESOL Camp June 6-30

Thank You & Goodbye

To:

Mrs. Paula Canine

Mrs. Jackie Bankert

Mr. Brian Malone

Mrs. Brenda Pope

Mrs. Anne Marie Byrd

Mrs. Madison Minor

Mrs. Shaune Gregory

2016 High School & College Graduates

*Ben Hewes—Waccamaw High School; will attend Clemson College

Son of Mr. Roland Hewes—Assistant Principal

*Mary Gregg Marshall—Waccamaw High School

Daughter of Ms. Claudia Marshall—Kindergarten Teacher

*Mr. Hunter Eddy, received his M.ED Administration and Supervision from Liberty University, he's the husband of Mrs. Andria Eddy/1st grade teacher

*Laura Bankert Attended USC and received her BA in Elementary Ed, she is the daughter of Mrs. Jackie Bankert/2nd Grade teacher

Mrs. Pressley's class is wrapping up a wonderful school year. We have learned so much this year and have been on some really fun trips. Please continue to read to your child at home and ensure they continue practicing their letter/number recognition, name writing and counting. I hope all of you have a fantastic summer. See you in August!!

The Child Development Class of Mrs. Oliver and Ms. Thomas

Our last unit of study has been about the ocean (super plant and animal life)! We have enjoyed learning about various sea animals and their homes! There are many amazing things around us and sea life is a wonderful learning adventure!!

First Grade News

Wow! This year went by too quickly but much was accomplished by our first graders. They worked very hard to prepare for second grade. We hope they will read daily and complete the "Summer Splash" workbook over the summer. So they will come back in the fall ready to begin second grade.

Parents have assisted in many ways this year. We appreciate the support you have shown with field trips, parties, class projects and homework too. Our partnership is vital to your child's educational experience. Without your guidance your child would not have had such a successful year and we thank you for that! Have a wonderful summer and remember to make special memories with your children.

First Day of School: Wednesday, August 17, 2016

School Mission Statement: An inquiry based learning school to help children become respectful, knowledgeable, and caring citizens, through cultural understandings by providing developmentally appropriate curriculum in a safe and supportive environment.

PRINCIPAL'S ART GALLERY



Congratulations to the following students for having their art work chosen for the Principal's Art Gallery here at W.E.S. Their work will be framed and hung in the office for a couple of years and then returned to the student and their family.

From left to right: Camren Russell (1st), Avery Walters (1st), Sam McClellan (1st), Hudson Paul (2nd) and Jean Daniels (3rd) (not present).

Second Grade News

We can't believe that the school year is done and it's time for our second graders onto move on the third grade. We hope that everyone has a great and safe summer! Remember to read and work on your math. Third grade watch out because here they come!!

Third Grade News

It's hard to believe it's time to say good-bye to our third graders. We want to wish you Good Luck as you leave our campus and head to Waccamaw Intermediate! We will miss you!!!! Don't forget to come and see us whenever you're close by.

Music Notes!!

The end of another grand fine arts year is upon us! Thanks to all of our students for making this a wonderfully musical year for WES! There are many camps for the arts around the grand strand! You may wish to sign your child up for one of them. Have a wonderful summer break!!

RIISING THIRD GRADE STUDENTS!! If any of you are interested in participating in the afterschool strings program for the 2016-17 school year, contact Mrs. Cromley at jcromley@gcsd.k12.sc.us for further information or turn in this form to the school:

WES Strings Program (Please return this portion only with the following information)

Student's Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Parents' Name _____

Phone Number _____ Cell _____

Parent Email Address: _____

Art Lines

Another year has flown by. Lots of fun and creative projects have been accomplished in the art room. I'm sad to see our third graders moving on to WIS but I know they are so very excited. I hope you all will have a blessed summer and I look forward to seeing our rising K, 1st, 2nd and 3rd graders in August.

PE News

I also wanted to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you for my incredible experience at WES. From the first moment I stepped onto the campus, I have always felt like I've been here for 20 years and have known each of you just as long. That is a testament to the wonderful characteristics you each possess. While it is always difficult to transition to a new phase, I am better prepared and equipped to deal with anything I encounter, because of all I have learned from you. I will cherish my time, interactions, and the relationships I have made here forever. Thanks again for everything, and I will see you down the road.

Kindergarten News

The kindergarten team expresses gratitude and appreciation to all of their parents. Have a wonderful summer with your child and remember reading unlocks the door to success.

- K is for Kindergarten---hip, hip, hooray.
- I is for imagination we use everyday.
- N is for numbers--we know one, two, three.
- D is for drawing, the best you can see!
- E is for exercise to keep our bodies strong.
- R is for reading books all day long.
- G is for good friends. We made more each day.
- A is for the alphabet we know how to say.
- R is for remembering everything we learned.
- T is for treats every Friday we earned.
- E is for excitement. This year we've had some.
- N is for next year. First grade here we come.

All medications should be picked up by the end of the school day on Friday, June 3, 2016. According to GCS D policy, medications are only to be picked up by a responsible parent/guardian.

Any medications remaining at the school after Friday, June 3rd, will be destroyed. No medications will be held over the summer for use in the next school year.

Happy Birthday

June 5-August 20

B-Jay Dakamas	6/05	Micah Weigel	6/05	Rousas Beresford	6/06
Levi Harris	6/06	Stuart Miller	6/06	Jayden Holloway-Caldwell	6/07
Jaylan Holloway-Caldwell	6/07	Liam Crosby	6/08	William Howard	6/08
Mary Jordan	6/08	Caris Moore	6/08	Lauren Ratz	6/09
McDaniel Turner	6/09	Colton Paul	6/11	Isabella Dozier	6/12
Alara Johnson	6/12	Lydia Farnsworth	6/13	Kylah Robinson	6/14
Banks Furr	6/18	Jaden Gore	6/18	Rhys Wahl	6/18
Nora Coppola	6/21	Blair Cherry	6/22	Emily Prochniak	6/22
Veronica Flynn	6/23	Serenity Greene	6/23	Mildred Grugan	6/23
Sean Mullan	6/23	Isabella Johnson	6/24	Jon Kreinbrink	6/24
Melody Romero	6/24	Emily Roberts	6/25	Lilly Coleman	6/26
Norah Hoppe	6/28			Abigail Greene	6/30
Alissa Allen	7/01	Julian Rutledge	7/02	Avery Milling	7/05
Kevin Rivas-Betanzo	7/05	Brooke Rogers	7/06	Max Wicker	7/06
Jackson Bowen	7/08	Gabriel Drayton	7/08	Grey Gordon	7/09
Irelyn Register	7/12	Michaela Greene	7/14	Liliana Moulder	7/14
Owen Patterson	7/14	Joshua Chavez	7/16	William Powers	7/16
Gabriella Rana	7/16	Riley Davis	7/17	Joshua Green-Adams	7/19
Maurice Drury-Geathers	7/20	Anthony Hammond	7/20	Porter Bleier	7/21
Madysen Brigham	7/21	Jacob Crum	7/21	Jordan Crum	7/21
Riley Jansky	7/21	Khloe Peterson	7/21	Jacori Smith	7/21
Landon Smith	7/22	Aden Fookes	7/23	Xavier Greggs	7/23
Zyree Murray	7/23	Autumn Tidwell	7/23	Chloe O'Neal	7/24
Carson Sipe	7/24	James Clark	7/27	Tateum Klees	7/27
Trevor Byrd	7/29	Townsend Crosby	7/29	Iniko Barker	7/30
Antonio Deas	7/31	Kylie Hansen	7/31	Julia Moran	7/31
Addison Day	8/01	Smith Day	8/01	Sanai Gibson	8/01
William Olds	8/01	Caroline Carmichael	8/02	Naszir Monroe	8/02
Joseph Burroughs	8/03	Sally Intrieri	8/03	Campton Spires	8/03
Hali Sherman	8/04	Isabella Day	8/05	Jakeem Dennison	8/06
Tanner Dicob	8/06	Aubrie Tawes	8/06	Charlotte Beard	8/07
Cooper Flynn	8/07	Addison Altman	8/08	Rowan Gebbia	8/08
Brendon MacArthur	8/10	Christopher Keesee	8/11	Cohen Welter	8/11
Lily Summers	8/12	Amber Davis	8/13	Emmie Bess	8/14
Jaidyn Player	8/15	Tristan Sherill	8/15	Bryce Krechel	8/17
Owen Buskirk	8/19	Jonathan Tidwell	8/19	Avery Tompkins	8/19
		Dymere Myers	8/20		



Wow! We love Massey's Pizza! A HUGE thank you to them for donating lunch to our March of Dimes top fundraising class. Mrs. McCurry's third graders loved the pepperoni & cheese varieties the best! Delicious!!!

Final B.E.A.C.H. report...

The end of the school year is wonderful and exciting for many reasons, but one of my favorite things about it is hearing student reflections about their learning! I asked second graders to create an analogy about their Brain Boosters experience before awarding their "graduation" certificates. Many delightful comparisons were suggested. Here's one... "Brain Boosters is like a light switch because it turns on your brain." Working with second graders on Mondays this year was FUN!

Third grade students reflected on how their ideas about research changed over the course of the year. I was so proud of the work they did regarding our Cafeteria Survey. They collaborated to collect, analyze and present data to a wide variety of audiences including the director of Food Services for our school district! (Thank you, **Mr. Brent Streett**, for sharing your valuable time with us!) **Norah Hoppe** and **Caden Hightower** did a marvelous job of presenting our project at the district Tech Fair. Celebrate your successes and recharge this summer for another great year of learning!!

WES 4th—9 Weeks Perfect Attendance

Malachi Alston, Anna Altman, Donnie Anderson, Thomas Ariza, Samuel Artz, Victoria Artz, Domenic Barberio, Iniko Barker, Synjya Barnes, Christopher Bashor, Ashtyn Bello, Braiden Bello, Josiah Beresford, Jovan Binzha, Olivia Black, Camden Blake, Kaelyn Blaylock, Rashad Blocker, Presleigh Boan, Lauren Bougher, D'Myia Braxton, Madyson Brigham, Anna Buskirk, Owen Buskirk, Caroline Carmichael, Elise Caywood, Vincent Cegledy, Joshua Chavez, Devontae Cobb, Lanna Coleman, Lily Coleman, Taeleigh Collins, Colby Constable, Connor Constable, Emma Cribb, Emma Crosby, Townsend Crosby, Alice Crowe, Ross Crowe, Daisy Daigle, Darla Daigle, Lillie Danysh, Paul Davidson, Chloe Davis, Emmaleah Davis, John Dawson, Antonio Deas, Nemrick Dennison, Courtney DiAngelo, Laila Diggs, Triston Diggs, Xaria Dixon, Caden Downey, Isabella Dozier, Gabriel Drayton, Trinity Drayton, Abigail Dukes, Leonard Edwards, Jayden Favors, Chance Flores, Cooper Flynn, Samantha Ford, Eleanor Forrest, Ellyn Fox, Jhourdyn Funnye, Banks Furr, Kevin Gabino, Brianna Gaspardo, Nicholas Gaspardo, Guy Gebbia, Ryan Gebbia, Sanai Gibson, Evangeline Gilmore, Walker Gilmore, Madison Goble, Oliver Goldstein, Jaden Gore, Corrin Green, Madison Greene, Michaela Greene, Aldan Greer, Ashton Greer, Tatiana Grisez, Kelsey Guard-Davis, Jessica Guedjo, Mael Guedjo, Ayden Gulley, Clayton Haddock, Jessica Hammel, Ernest Harmon, Evan Hayek, Kaleigh Henn, Dauntie Henry, Agustin Hernandez, Luis Herrera-Hernandez, Hayden Hogan, Jaychelle Holloway-Caldwell, Jaylan Holloway-Caldwell, Jaynelle Holloway-Caldwell, Norah Hoppe, Jonathan Huntoon, Rhett Hutto, Gavin Hyatt-Peterson, Kiara Jackson, Riley Jansky, Savannah Jansky, Lilah Jennings, Alara Johnson, Aleera Johnson, Eli Johnson, Hanna Johnson, Hope Johnson, Isabella Johnson, Lauren Johnson, Noah Johnson, Sarah Johnson, Janiya Johnson, Heather Jordan, Christopher Keesee, Katherin Kelaher, Mason Kinmartin, Caden Lail, Leland Lewis, Howard Lin, Justin Lin, Xingyu Liu, Brooks Lowe, Evelyn Mann, Isla Marshall, Leander McCarthy, Ian McClellan, Sameul McClellan, Delaney McCune, Ella McLaurin, Ellison McLeod, Cody Mercer, Avery Milling, Naszir Monroe, Caris Moore, Rowan Moore, Amari Mosley, Zyree Murray, Jasmine Nesbit, Ainsley Nesbitt, Jarell Nesbitt, Autum Nielsen, Ashley O'Neal, Vincent Ogburn, William Olds, Madison Ownbey, Owen Patterson, Colton Paul, Hudson Paul, Braidyn Peto, Jaden Poon, Brooke Potts, Logan Potts, William Powers, Brody Rainbolt, Kacie Raley, Jairo-Samuel Ramos De la Cruz, Lauren Ratz, Julie Rice, Brooke Rogers, Randal Rogers, Lily Rosnack, Noah Rush, Camren Russell, Devion Russell, La'Jaria Russell, Raziya Rutledge, Roman Rutledge, Za'Naigh Rutledge, Jarrell Ryan, Kiara Ryan, Lucas Sellers, Kayla Sheedy, Isaiah Simmons, Zavion Singleton, Zaireon Skinner, Essence Smalls, Aeryn Smith, Brooklyn Smith, Cullen Smith, John Smith, Miah Smith, Nathaniel Smith, Scottie Smith, Christopher Stacy, Justin Steros, Sydney Stox, Jaden Strang, Tyson Strickland, Frank Thomas, Jonathan Woods Thomas, Mammie Thomas, McDaniel Turner, Sebastian Valencia, Elise Wahl, Mia Walker, Drew Weigel, Joseph Weigel, Micah Weigel, Abigail Wheeler, Kameron Wigfall, Alec Wilcox, Elijah Williams, James Wilson, Leon Womack, Jordyn Wright and Joanna Zuniga San-Juan

**WACCAMAW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
HONOR ROLL 2015-2016
Fourth Nine Weeks**

Students in grades 2 and 3 who maintain at least a B average in each subject (4 core subjects) each grading period are placed on the School's Honor Roll.

Principal's Scholar- Students who maintain an A average in each subject each reporting period.

2nd Grade Principal Scholar—Thomas Ariza, Ray Barrineau, Madyson Brigham, Mary Addie Day, Maggie DiVesti, Alara Johnson, Raziya Rutledge, Aeryn Smith, Addison Taylor, Vincent Cegledy, Blair Cherry, Adrian Grate, Rhylee Harris, Louis Parsons, Jett Bordner, Colby Constable, Luke Coppola, Lily Daub, Alexa Garcia, Kate Kelaher, Owen Patterson, Julia Pop, Marley Roberts, Avery Abernethy, Isabella Dozier, Millie Grugan, Trace Harmon, Walker Shealy, Hamp Eirvin, Reyna Flores, William Howard, Andre Grate, Addie Lucas, Camp Spires, Mia Walker, Camden Blake, Lily Grant, Brianna Gaspardo, Brady Cook, Lauren Johnson, Lilli Loughran-Petrino, Ainsley Nesbitt, Ashley O'Neal, Jack Smith, Holden Taylor, Lilah Jennings, Allison McClellan, Lily Rosnack, Adrianna Diaz, Reed Gallup, Jack Hopkins, Lee McCarthy, David Smith, Marshall Todd, Ali Crowe, Kayla Hodge, Anna Kate Livingston, Caroline Mattox, Hudson Paul and Antwane Wilson

2nd Grade A-B Honor Roll—Chloe Davis, Kelsey Guard-Davis, Hayden Hogan, Tyler Simerson, Myles Smith, Leonard Edwards, Kylie Hansen, Joseph Meditz, Jarrell Ryan, Zaine Roberts, Jagger Avant, Smith Day, Ayden Jane Gulley, Devin Kowalewski, Ja' Mari-on Moultrie, Noah Rush, Connor Constable, Emily Cooper, Emma Crosby, Wells Marshall, Finn Maxwell, Kacie Raley, Abigail Wheeler, Elijah Williams, Michael Neill, Alex Gallier, Sanai Gibson, Christian Linen, Jason Green-Adams, Kevin Gabino, Nicholas Gaspardo, Hunter Michau, Jaden Gore, Trevor Byrd, Sydney Goins, Emerson Parler, Emmy Roberts, Jacori Smith, Tyson Strickland, Stowe Benston and Ryan Gebbia

3rd Grade Principal Scholar—Conrad Beglin, Gray Buskirk, Ellyn Fox, Victoria Gullo, Ava Sasek, Taryn Yonker, Elise Caywood, Ellie Forrest, Hollis Grafe, Corrin Green, Mary Honeycutt, Braiden Bello, Caden Hightower, Savannah Jansky, Chatham Walters, Audrey Elkins, Makayla Javoroski, William Olds, Payton Chance, Veronica Flynn, Ellison McLeod, Ella Marina Papadea, McDaniel Turner, Sebastian Valencia, Riser Walker-Gleaton, Campbell Williams, Stella Eubanks, Justin Steros, Sarah Grace Johnson, Mary Darby Moore, Brody Rainbolt, Lauren Bougher, Norah Hoppe, Jadon Jordan, Kayla Sheedy and Scarlett Van Bloem

3rd Grade A-B Honor Roll—Jean Daniels, Syncir Deas-Carr, Matthew Henry, Aubrey Kowalczyk, Rowan Moore, Brandon Nist, Mammie Thomas, Autumn Tidwell, James Wilson, Domenic Barberio, Oliver Goldstein, Mikyle Holmes, Makayla Knowlin, Caitlyn McMakin, Sean Mullan, Jack Thomas, Braden Welter, Cayden Baldree, Sadie Carter, Christopher Cox, Illy Intrieri, Jaidyn, Gabriella Rana, Dawson Richardson, Kayla Rook, Nikki Smith, Bryan Vernon, Emmie Bess, Caden Downey, Samantha Ford, Charles Gates, Kayla Holek, Jaxon Kreinbrink, Graham Schuyler, Easton Weaver, Fisher Gallup, Aden Fookes, Rowan Gebbia, Anthony Hammond, Alexis Harris, Avery Milling, Aubrie Tawes, Caroline Carmichael, Chance Flores, Madison Goble, Brendon MacArthur, Kiara Ryan, Isiah Simmons, Elise Wahl, Bryce Wingfield, Kyle Cook, Townsend Crosby, Emmarie Everhart, Jack Francke, Tyrese Haynes, Noah Johnson, Mason Kinmartin, Emersen Lake, Evelyn Mann, Alana Morris, Pierce Mullen, Emily Roberts, Samuel Artz, Foster Avant, Tanner Blaylock, Joshua Chavez, Hope Cox, Lainey Jordan, Tallen Krechel, Skylar Lombard, Ben Rodenbeck, Ruby Rosenberg and Joanna San-Juan

2015-2016 WES AR Top Five

Joshua Wright—478.5
Elise Caywood—415.5
Lillie Danysh—411.6
Stella Eubanks 394.1
Grayson Buskirk—363.3

Cabana Club (students who received 100 or more points in AR) - Joshua Wright, Lille Danysh, Kaiden Greer, Rhys Wahl, Skylar Schoen, Za'Vion Singleton, Samuel Coates, Aden Perry, Jessica Hammel, Samuel Whiteside, Lauren Ratz, Connelly Vaughn, Kashlee Burgess, Banks Furr, Steven Murphy-Reaves, Jordyn Wright, Presleigh Boan, Killian Arant, Owen Buskirk, Tyson Strickland, Elisa Caywood, Stella Eubanks, Grayson Buskirk, Samantha Ford and Mary Darby Moore

STEM Education Aerospace Camp

Space Exploration—Monday-Thursday, July 11-14, 2016 9:00-12:00 p.m. Students completing 5th-8th grades \$100.00

Space Cities—Monday-Thursday, July 11-14, 2016 12:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. Students completing 2nd-4th grades \$100.00

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