

Falcon Flyer

Cape Assist Public Service Announcements- 2016

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MMS Upcoming Band & Choir Events:

- Spring Concert

May 26th



The Healthy Community Coalition, a community initiative of Cape Assist, sponsored its annual PSA Contest to bring increased public awareness of the effects of drug misuse and abuse. The months of March and April were designated as "Prescription Drug Awareness Month" and "Alcohol Awareness Month".

Members of the Falcon Flyer, along with students of Margaret Mace, joined together to create 30 second PSA or a one minute videos to represent the following topics:

- My Drug-Free Pledge to Myself Is...
- I'm a Role Model Because...

PSA winners will be asked to record their announcements with a local radio station to be played on the air. Videos will be used at Cape Assist functions and workshops, and maybe chosen to play on cable TV as part of Cape Assists' prevention campaign.

Each winner and one guest will be invited to Cape Assists' Public Policy and Awards Breakfast where they will receive their award.

More entries may be found on page 8 of this Issue!



By: Macie McCracken

I have spent my life looking up to my role models, my sisters. Being a role model is a big job. I am a role model because I work hard at everything I do. I am polite to my teachers and classmates. I am honest and care about others. I try my best at the sports I love. It's also important always that I have good sportsmanship as a role model. Another way that I am a good role model is doing community activities. This year I helped out at the North Wildwood basketball clinic. Being a role model is not only fun, it's worth while, and rewarding!



*Congratulations to
Sophia Wilber, 2016
MMS Spelling Bee
Champion -
Ruby Redmond, 2nd
and Eddie Oakley, 3rd.*

Congratulations to the 2016
Preliminary Spelling Bee
Winners:

4L Alex Chambers,
Bella Maschio

4W Andrew Piccoli
Sophia Wilber

5D Lily O'Donnell
Ebin Ahlum
Audrey Donnelly

5E Aiden Koch,
Reagan Kobierowski

6 Elizabeth Buckwald
Sophia Elliott
Rickii Davis
Torence Gallo
Anahi Betancourt

7 Julianne Schmitz
Riley Kane
Sylvia Rutkowski
Holly Turner

8 Ruby Redmond,
Eddie Oakley
Zach Kershaw
Collin Hoffman,
Alex Baybo
Robert Murray

Falcons Den

Kailani's Corner

I Witnessed A Welcome to America

I was lucky enough to be able to see my friends mom , Annefrances, become a citizen of the United States of America . I was invited to the ceremony, very simple yet amazing. With many years of paperwork and many hours of studying she passed that one hard and long test. She was finally accepted as a citizen of this fine country. On March 2, 2016, I was honored to witness history in the making 24 people were able to become US. citizens. They came from 17 countries . They called the countries , of the soon to be citizens, in no particular order ,but of course, Annefrances' ex-homeland Ireland was called first. I will never forget that. It will always be an inside joke amongst our families.

They had this really cool video filled with photos of the immigrants coming to their new country via Ellis Island in black and white . It was very exhilarating to see the people who came before us. With her hand on her heart, and a tear in her eye she swore to fight for America and believe in America until the day she dies.

Finally, as we took our last photos of this long and tedious journey , a video of our president was shown congratulating the 24 NEWLY sworn in Americans. . With one last tear in her eye surrounded by her friends and family she was ending her long journey to become a US Citizen. This was an amazing experience That I will never forget.

Congratulations to the following students artists whose work was selected and placed on exhibit at the Noyes/Stockton Arts Garage in Atlantic City:

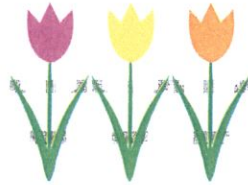
Hadden Miller, Tim Broadbent, Vincent Barianna, Kailani D'antuono, Sophia Elliot, Theresa Malec, Talan Greco, Holly Fessler, Grace Buckwald, Alexander Zyalenack . Please see Mrs. Nichols for your certificate.



Calendar of Events

March

- March 24th– Early Dismissal Day
- March 25-April 3rd- School closed for Spring Break-



April

- April 4th– Back-to-School
- April 7th– 8th grade parent meeting– 2:45– Media Center
- April 11th– 3rd Marking Period ends
- April 15th– Kindergarten Play– 1:15pm
- April 20th-23– Junior High Night
- April 20th-23– Parent Teacher Conferences
- April 29th– Honors Assembly

May

- May 6th– Grade 2 Trip to the Aquarium
- May 25th– NJAsk Science– 4th & 8th grades
- May 26th– Spring Concert
- May 30th– Memorial Day– School Closed



Check out what's happening at MMS !

(Events subject to change)

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WISH

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**MUCH EAT
MUCH EAT**

BAD wolf

egg egg
EZ

Plexers
Guess
The
Phrase

(Answers Page 9)

MISS MUFFET

Student of the Month-December Works to Ability



MMS
Classroom
Updates

PRE SCHOOL	Leilani Chacon Miles Palmer
KINDERGARTEN	Max Pelaez Nayara Alves
FIRST GRADE	Carolena Almeyda Jazmine Escalante
SECOND GRADE	Kayden Moya Murphy Riley DuVilla
THIRD GRADE	Kevin Day Cole Oravits
FOURTH GRADE	Ella McCabe Gabriella Maschio
FIFTH GRADE	Lily O'Donnell Avianna Heisler
TECHNOLOGY	Isabela Nickels
COMPUTERS	Ryan Blasi
PHYS ED	Olivia Belasco Gavin Sefankiewicz
LIBRARY	Jamie Yu Alex Chambers
MUSIC	Megan Miller

MATH	Natalia Rulon
LANGUAGE ARTS	Devyn Sheppard Max McGrath Sylvia Rutkowski Justin DeMarco
READING	Kevin Gonzalez Kylah McNamee
PHYS ED/HEALTH	Riley Kane
WORLD LANGUAGE	Brittany Tharp



join us!

MMS
School News



News and Reviews

Do you want to be an important part of a team? Teams are not only found in sports. Here at the Margaret Mace School Newspaper, we are a team who works together to cover all of the issues and events that are significant and interesting. If you think this is something you would like to do, please come out and join the Falcon Flyer. New members always welcomed—No experience needed!. We look forward to working with you!!!!

Faculty Advisor: Mrs. Delaney

Meetings held monthly

Room 20!

Falcon Sports

Congratulations to the Girls Varsity basketball team on another awesome season accomplishment by winning the 29th annual George D'Amico Optimist Tournament! The girls Varsity team went undefeated 22-0 for the season, winning the Cape Atlantic league title, the Scoop Taylor Tournament and The Island Tournament. Their hard work and commitment to the program is to be commended. Way to go Girls!!

Congratulations to Marianna Papazoglou for being selected as MVP of the Optimist tournament as well as making the All Tournament team. Congratulations to Leah Benichou for being winning the Sportsman-ship award and making the All Tournament team. Congratulations to Natalia Rulon and Zack Kershaw for being selected to the All tournament team. Way to go Falcons!

Congratulations to the Boys Varsity Basketball team for a great season and a Championship win at the Island Tournament. Congratulations to the Boys Junior Varsity team for a great season and a runner up finish at the Island Tournament.

Congratulations to the Falcons Cheerleading team on winning the Spirit Award at the Gia Chiarella Cheerleading exhibition. The peewee, stunt group, and Varsity and 4th & 5th Cheer Club team performances were awesome!



Great job MMS!

Students of the Month- January Relates Well to Classmates

PRE SCHOOL Molly McWilliams Reese Resnick

KINDERGARTEN Cassilynn Aiken

FIRST GRADE Michael Sgalio Maureen Attallah

SECOND GRADE Aiden Wolverton Maura Bean

THIRD GRADE Chase Critchfield Louis Belasco

FOURTH GRADE John Shoemaker Siara McGrath

FIFTH GRADE Ebin Ahlum Aiden DuVilla

GYM Mohraeil Mikhaeil Autumn Ansell

ART Stephen Berg

MUSIC Angelo Dillard

SCIENCE Leah Benichou

MATH Haley DiSomma

SOCIAL STUDIES Kevin Gonzalez Holly Turner
Maya Critchfield

READING Kevin Gonzalez Joe O'Brien

INDUSTRIAL ARTS Holly Turner Matthew Markee

WORLD LANGUAGE Brinnlyn McDowell

TECHNOLOGY Dominic Dillard

ART Corinne McDowell

HEALTHY/GYM Julianna McClain



We are proud of our Students of the Month and congratulate them, and their families. It is quite an honor to be selected for this special recognition. Keep up the Good work!!!



Students of the Months- February Class Participation



KEEP
CALM
AND
RAISE
YOUR
HAND



PRE SCHOOL	DJ Kobierowski Sinaya Reyes
KINDERGARTEN	Jaylene Santiago Christopher Hawes Grace Williams
FIRST GRADE	Mekhi Alston Logan Veras
SECOND GRADE	John Briana Kiana D'Antuono
THIRD GRADE	Keynan Alston Bailey Baybo
FOURTH GRADE	Anthony Jordan Gabriel Schmitz
FIFTH GRADE	Matteo Bariana Regan Kobierowski
PHYS ED	Maya Benichou William Murphy Liam Kleber
ART	Noah Curtis
LIBRARY	Jayah Flannery Kaitlyn Nordberg
COMPUTERS	James Kane
TECHNOLOGY	Maya Benichou
SCIENCE	Justin DeMarco

MATH	Kristina McClain
LANGUAGE ARTS	Imene Fathi
READING	Destiny Leon Devon Roach Tommy Pettit
SOCIAL STUDIES	Sophia Elliott Kai Lindsay Josh Sola
HEALTH/PHYS ED	Michael Lloyd
INDUSTRIAL ARTS	Emma Springsteadah Matt Markee
ART	Morgan Delaney
SPANISH	Julianna McClain

Cape Assist Public Service Announcements

By: Joile Wilson

My drug-free
pledge to myself is that I
will never do drugs be-
cause they are bad for
you and no one will like
to be around you even if
you try to be nice. It is a
big problem to do drugs.
So try your best to stay
away from them even if
your friends are telling
you to do it. Never listen
to them when they say
that . If your friend is try-
ing drugs say no to them
and explain I'm a role
model because I know
not to ever do drugs and
you should know that
too. Thank you!

By: Anna Delaney

This is what it means to me for my friends and I to be...DRUG FREE

D rugs are bad and we stay away

My friends and I dance the day away.

R espect yourself and be bold and strong

go for a run- bring friends along.

U nite with family and with friends.

And your happiness will never end.

G oals are what you set for life,

My goal is to be healthy and that's all right!

F ree is what you want to be

Free from dugs- free like me.

R each out and let your voice be known

Save someone for a drug-free zone.

E xciting and

E xcellant is what your life will be when you leave drugs behind to be

Healthy and free!

By: Sophia Wilber

I am a Wilber,

I am active and fun!

I will not do drugs

'Cause I am not dumb!

I will keep my head up,

I will not keep it down!

I have no time to waste,

The great world is around!

Drugs are NOT for me,

It is not the life key!

Drugs are the worst,

They will not let me be!

I will be myself

And won't let drugs change me!

I will be brave in life

And shine like the sea!

By: Morgan Delaney

My drug free pledge to myself
is to succeed in life. I want to
be healthy and happy. To
graduate high school and
college is a dream of mine
that I hope comes true. I want
to go to Cape May Tech for
High School, and Rowan for
college. Eventually, when I get
older, I want to become a
teacher like my mom. Since
Math is my favorite subject I
hope to be teaching that. I
also want to get married and
have kids. I know as a fact you
can't do this when taking
drugs. About 570,000 people
die annually from drugs.
Whenever I hear about a
tragic incident that happened,
and it includes drugs, I always
think why? Why and how is it
really worth it? Because it only
takes one sip for drugs to
control and ruin your life. This
is my pledge to myself to suc-
ceed in life.



Spout Off!!!!



Janitors,
Thank you for
cleaning!
Love,
Kindergarten

Thanks to the 8th
grade students and
teachers for reading
with us to help
celebrate Read
Across America Day!
The First Grade

Thank you
Ms. Desiree
for being nice
to us!



Helping Hands—Helping Hearts

*Everyone
needs a
little more
positive
thinking!*

Mrs. Nichols and her
Art students always
do an outstanding
job with their Art
work. We love seeing
it in the hallways.

~Miss Karen's PreK



Congratulations
Sophia Wilber
MMS 2016
Spelling Bee
Champ!

Thank you Mrs.
Delaney for always
thinking of your
kindergarten
friends!



MMS
YEARBOOKS
ON
SALE
NOW!!!
Cost- \$20

Thank you Miss Becher
for all your hard
work during your
student teaching. We
love having you as
part of our class!

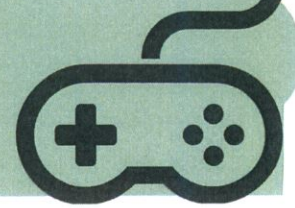
~Mrs. Andre &
Students

Plexer Answers:

- 1. Wish upon a star.**
- 2. Too much too eat.**
- 3. Big bad wolf.**
- 4. Two eggs over easy.**
- 5. Little Miss Muffet.**



News and Reviews



Reporter: Julianna McClain

This is a review of *Step Up*. This is a dancing movie which offers scholarships to the dancers. A crime is done and Channing Tatum (Tyler) has to do community service for his punishment. The main girl in the movie, Nora, lost her dance partner due to a leg injury. Tyler becomes her dance partner. To see if Nora gets a scholarship, watch *Step Up*!

Recommended for teenagers.

Reporter: Liv Belasco

In *Star Wars Episode 7*, we meet many new characters. Ray, a girl with a mysterious pass; Finn another new character lies to Ray and learns he is faced with many choices and decisions to make for his future. How these two new characters meet is amazing. Will they defeat Kilo Red? To find out see *Star Wars 7- The Force Awakens*!

Reporter: Sophia Wilber

This movie is called *Night of the Twisters*. This adventurous movie has many twists and turns, I mean it! Characters Ryan, Arthur, and Dan go on a long journey through tornadoes in Nebraska. Dan and Arthur are teenagers, Ryan is a baby. Dan and Arthur were babysitting Ryan when the tornado struck. Many tornadoes strike during the *Night of the Twisters*. Dan, Ryan, and Arthur make it through the first twister—but will they survive the others? You'll have to watch and find out!

Reporter: Monica

Kobierowski

My movie was *Miss Congeniality*. This movie is about the FBI. They place one of their officers, a woman, into a beauty pageant because somebody plans to kill Miss United States. The plan is to load explosives to her crown! In this movie, the officer makes some true friends that turn out to be just like her. They try their best to prevent Miss United States from dying. Will that happen? Watch the movie to find out!

Reporter: Reagan

Kobierowski

The new Disney Infinity 3.0 Star Wars Starter Pack can be used with the x-box 306 or the Play Station 4. It can be used with any Disney Infinity character or world and can use any vehicle in any world. When you play you have the choice to play in an already customized world or create your own in the toy box. In the toy box you can customize your own world and make challenges for you to overcome. This game would probably appeal to boys and girls 9-13.