

# A LION'S LIFE



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**Spring Avenue Elementary School  
La Grange School District 105**



**Spring Avenue  
Peace Pole and  
Rock Garden,  
newly dedicated  
September 21,  
2018.**

## WELCOME TO A LION'S LIFE!

A *Lion's Life* newspaper staff is pleased to present the first issue of A Lion's Life this school year! A Lion's Life Newspaper/ Journalism Club officially started during the 2008-2009 school year. Since then, dedicated student writers have put together newspapers filled with school news, features, reviews, and creative, quality writing. This year Ms. Marek, Mrs. Coffey, Mrs.

Musillami, Mrs. Panice, and Mr. Bielanski are excited to welcome back last year's student writers and greet new faces. This is our biggest year so far!

You can find all our past issues online on the Spring Avenue website under the "Activities" link. Continue to look for new topics and additions to *A Lion's Life*.



Spring Avenue students decorated rocks for our Spring Avenue Peace Pole and Rock Garden. The Peace Pole was dedicated on September 21 during an all school assembly and at Fall Fest.

## GERALD AND GERALD, JR.

**By Veda R. and Abigail S.**

Last year, as you know, our tree, Gerald, got cut down. A group of last year's 4th graders tried to save him by working with Mr. Lawson. But it turned out they cut him down because he was sick and one of his branches fell off.

Then, later in the summer, Gerald, Jr. was planted!! If you have not noticed the new tree over where Gerald used to live

(right where the blacktop meets the field by the kindergarten room), there is a tree. A small, little tree, Gerald, Jr. Feel free to run to school right now and take a look. He is small and if anyone walks by they will think, oh, there's a tree. OK, we will move on. But to us he is everything. When Gerald was taken from us, we all felt a great loss, and nothing could replace him, but Gerald, Jr. gives us hope.



# SCHOOL NEWS



## SPRING AVE TREE NEWS

By Maddy S. and Ainsley L.

Today we are talking about our dear friend Gerald, Jr. and how big he has grown. Gerald, the old tree, was a very good old friend of ours. Old Gerald indeed was very nice and gave us lots of shade, but then he had to be destroyed....Hello Darkness my Old Friend.....but now we have a new tree named Gerald, Jr., and he will grow up to be very big and strong and will be our new shady space.

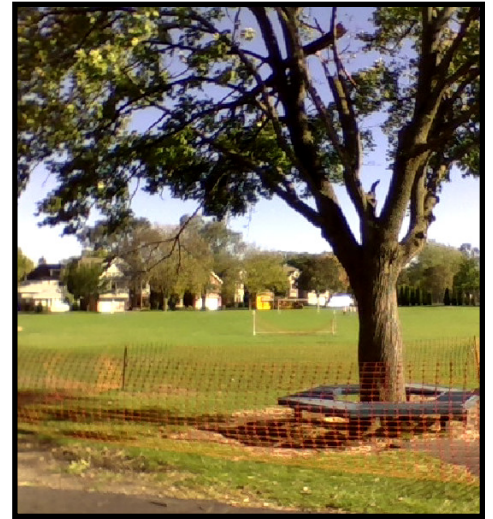


Gerald, Jr. is going to be a great and very strong tree like the other Gerald, who was the best. Soon the new Gerald, Jr. will be strong too. Where past Gerald

grew there are new flowers, and that is his tombstone. Gerald, Jr. is a very great tree, and we bet he will work hard to keep us cool during the hot times of the day. I know that Gerald, Jr. is also going to be nice and cool in the summertime.

He is also going to be very, very, cold in the winter time, so I think that he is going to need comfort and love and LOTS and LOTS of winter clothes so that he can play in the snow with everyone else and have fun too! Now, in the winter we have to make sure Gerald, Jr. is healthy, so this year let's not throw snowballs at him. He might have enjoyed that, but I doubt it. This Gerald, Jr. is not as strong as the old Gerald yet, but he will be in a few years. Until then we must take good care of Gerald, Jr. and love him very much just like you love your family very much.

I hope this year we don't have to stand on the bench, and break the bench and we should all hope that this year Gerald, Jr. is not ill. And I hope that this year we take even better care than we did last year. We are a whole family in this school, and we should take care of Gerald, Jr. and all the living trees.



The teachers are our family, and if I have it right I think that Mr. Lawson has talked to us about all being a family. The teachers teach their students like they are their own kids, and the students treat each other like siblings. So, this year we believe that Gerald, Jr. is going to be great. We all should be thanking Mr. Eric Bryant, the man who made the ground flat and planted many flowers and plants for his tombstone. He works for District 105 and is only at our school some days. So I think that when we are outside, we should go over to Gerald, Jr. and talk to him. If anyone is feeling down, then you should go and sit with Gerald, Jr. and keep him company. Well, that's all we know about our new Gerald, Jr.!



# NEW TEACHER INTERVIEWS

By Bridget G., Dylan J., Clara D., and Molly E.

## What is your favorite Book?

Mrs. Tobin: Tuesdays with Morrie

Miss Huebner: Marley and Me

Miss Kubilius: Oh the Places You'll Go

## What is your favorite type of music?

Mrs. Tobin: Adult Alternative Music

Miss Huebner: Country Music

Miss Kubilius: Country Music

## Where did you go to Elementary School?

Mrs. Tobin: Baileyville

Miss Huebner: 7th Avenue

Miss Kubilius: Bower

Elementary School

## What High School did you go to?

Mrs. Tobin: Foresten High School

Miss Huebner: LT

Miss Kubilius: Wheaton Warrenville South

## What College did you go to?

Mrs. Tobin: WIU (Western Illinois University)

Miss Huebner: Aurora University

Miss Kubilius: North Central

## If you were on a stranded island what three things

## would you bring?

Mrs. Tobin: Food, Water, and Husband/Daughter

Miss Huebner: A survival tool, torch, and water

Miss Kubilius: Food, Clothes, and Book

## How many jobs have you had?

Mrs. Tobin: 7 jobs

Miss Huebner: 5 jobs

Miss Kubilius: 5 jobs

## What is your favorite kind of shoes?

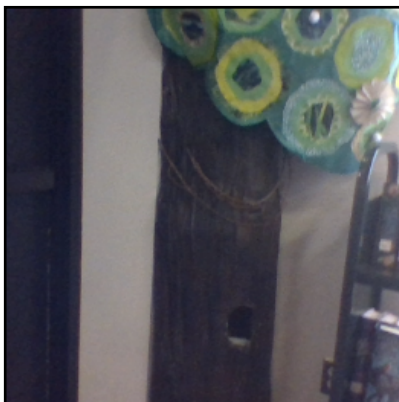
Mrs. Tobin: Birkenstocks

Miss Huebner: Nike

Miss Kubilius: Fuzzy slippers

# MYSTERIES OF THE SCHOOL: THE TREE

By Reese T.



The tree in the Library is something we all know about. We have all reached into the hole to find what treasures lie there. The story of the tree starts about 8-7 years ago. Ms. Stec made it for decoration. The reason people put their hand in it is unknown.

I think it is because my friend Dylan and I started it. Probably because I did it first in 1st grade, and I found a cool bookmark in it. I am going to put a coupon in there so if you pass by, make sure to look in the tree. I will put a coupon thingy for fun.



# TEACHER INTERVIEWS

By Reese C., Zoe C., Mireya B., and Ava S.

## (1) Do you like being a teacher here?

Mrs. Dahlin: "Yes."

Mrs. Walsh: "Love it!!"

Ms. Waterston: "Yes."

Ms. Eck "Love it!!"

Ms. Folliard: "I love being a teacher at Spring!"

## (2) What is your favorite color?

Mrs. Dahlin: "Coral."

Mrs. Walsh: "Green."

Ms. Waterson: "Blue."

Ms. Eck: "Bright pink, bright purple, and black."

Ms. Folliard: "Cubbie blue."

## (3) What made you want to be a teacher here?

Mrs. Dahlin: "I went to school here, and was inspired by the amazing community and the

teachers who taught me."

Ms. Eck: "It is an awesome school, with awesome students, teachers, and staff."

Mrs. Walsh: "I knew it was a fabulous school, and I love it."

Ms. Waterston: "So, I love 5th and 6th grade, but I also like teaching a variety."

Ms. Folliard: "It's a great community, and the students and staff are super fun and hard working."

## (4) Why did you want to be a \_ grade teacher?

Mrs. Dahlin: "I think 3rd grade is a perfect age because they love to learn and to have fun."

Ms. Eck: "I think 4th grade is an awesome age to teach."

Ms. Waterston: "Because 6th graders are old enough to get my jokes, but young enough to be silly."

Mrs. Walsh: "I am fascinated by the kindergarten students and have fun."

Ms. Folliard: "I love to teach any grade, but I especially like 5th grade because I can teach United States history and fractions."

## (5) Where did you go to college?

Mrs. Dahlin: "Wisconsin."

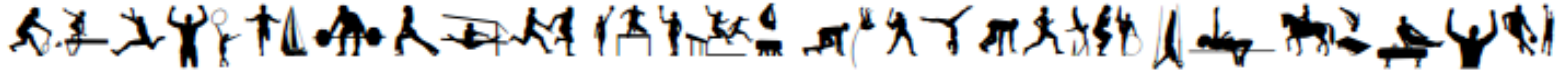
Ms. Eck: "University of Iowa."

Mrs. Walsh "Columbia College (Chicago) and National Louis."

Ms. Waterston: "I went to Northwestern for my masters."

Ms. Folliard: "My undergrad is from Illinois State University, I got one masters at Governors State University, and another masters from Northern Illinois University."

# SPORTS PAGE



## TOP 10 CHICAGO BEARS PLAYERS OF ALL TIME

By Ethan P., Nathan W., Cadien K., Connor C.

1. **Walter Payton** was a Bears running back, and 1975 was his rookie season. His nickname was "Sweetness" because of his kind of action on the football field. He was born on July 25, 1954 and died on November 1, 1999.

2. **Dick Butkus** was a Bears linebacker. Also, he was inducted into the Hall of Fame in 1979. He was in the top ten of feared tacklers. He played in the NFL from 1965 to 1973.

3. **Brian Urlacher** was a linebacker for the Chicago Bears. He played in the NFL for 13 years. He recently became a Hall of Famer in the class of 2018. He was the 9th overall pick in the draft.

4. **William Perry** was a defensive tackle for the Chicago Bears. He went to Clemson College. He weighed 350 pounds and was 6ft, 3in, tall. He was also a professional wrestler. He also played for the Philadelphia Eagles. He is now 57 years old, and he was born on December 16, 1962. William Perry is in the Hall of Fame.

5. **Devin Hester** was a wide receiver for the Chicago Bears and kick return specialist. He was drafted for the Chicago Bears in 2006 in the second round and he was number 23. He has the NFL record for touchdowns.

6. **Jim McMahon** was the Bears QB. One of McMahon's nicknames was "Darth Vader." He was the QB when the Bears won the Super Bowl! He also ran a total of 18,148 yards and played 119 games. He started 97 games as an NFL player.

7. **Red Grange** was a halfback for the Chicago Bears in 1925 and from 1929 to 1934. His



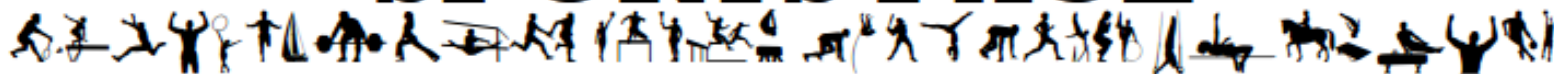
nicknames were the "Galloping Ghost," "Illinois Flash," and "Wheaton Iceman." He is in both the college and pro football Hall of Fame. The position he played was a halfback on offense, and he was really good.

8. **Bronko Nagurski** was a running back for the Bears. He was born in 1908 and died in 1990. He also was a good wrestler. He was number 3, and he weighed 226 pounds.

9. **Khalil Mack** is an outside linebacker for the Bears starting with the 2018 season. He was drafted fifth overall in the 2014 NFL draft. He is number 52. He has been really good just in five games so far. He got a lot of sacks.

10. **Jordan Howard** is a running back for the Chicago Bears, and he was the 5th round pick. He was born in 1994, and he is currently 23 years old. In his rookie year, he got 2,000 yards. He went to the University of Alabama.

# SPORTS PAGE



## 5 RUNNING BACKS YOU WANT ON YOUR FANTASY FOOTBALL TEAM (WEEK 6)

By Patrick C., Gavin D., Nathan M., Porter G., and Jack C.



### #1. Todd Gurley

Todd Gurley is the Running Back for the Los Angeles Rams. Studies show that in Fantasy Football Todd Gurley is number one. Also, he is the number one Running Back this year. He already had a good start this year. So far this year he has 155 fantasy points.



### #2. Melvin Gordon

Melvin Gordon is the running back for the San Diego Chargers. Studies show that most people would take Melvin Gordon 2nd out of running backs. So far this year Melvin Gordon is the number two running back this year. So far this year Melvin Gordon has 132.5 fantasy points. He is off to an amazing start.



### #3. Saquon Barkley

Saquon Barkley is the stud rookie HB for the New York Giants. Studies show how dominant rookies can be on the field, that's what is happening with Barkley. He is a star at catching the ball and running

the ball. I think he has a really good chance of winning Rookie Of The Year (ROTY), and making the Pro Bowl. So far this year he has 117.1 Fantasy points this year. He is off to a great start.



### #4. James Conner

James Conner is a stud HB for the Pittsburgh Steelers. Studies show how people who don't start in the previous year do great the next year. He is a star at catching the ball. So far this year he has 115 fantasy points. He has a chance to make the Pro Bowl. He is off to a great start.

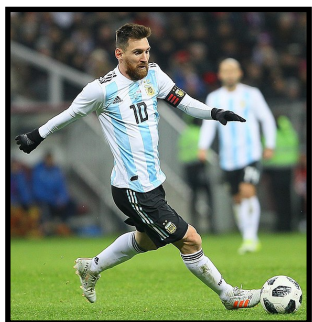


### #5. Alvin Kamara

Alvin Kamara is the running back for the New Orleans Saints. Studies show that most people would take Alvin Kamara 5th overall in their fantasy draft. So far this year Alvin Kamara is the No. 5 running back and has 105 fantasy points. He is having a great start to the season.

## SOCCKER

By Dylan G. and Luka B.



Messi is very good at soccer, and he plays in Argentina. His number is 10, and he always keeps the ball next to his feet. He plays for FC Barcelona, and it is very hard to do that. He is small but really fast and good. Messi has three sons and his wife's name is Antonella. Their children are named Thiago, Mateo, and Ciro. Messi is one of the best soccer players in the world.

They live in the town of Rosario, Argentina. Thiago has been to games both when his dad was playing for Argentina and FC Barcelona. Messi won the Golden Ball award. His team played Real Madrid, which is tied with FC Barcelona. Did you know that Messi broke his arm? He also has been injured more than 100 times.



# TRICK OR TREATING

By Brynn K. and Hannah F.

Trick or Treating is the best time of the year. You get to have candy and dress up as a fun character from a movie or any other character. Another fun thing about Trick or Treating is you can go with your friends and have a group costume. Also, you can go anywhere you want to go, and the fun thing is you can go to places and get candy with your friends. A lot of places give out small pieces of candy, but at some places, you can get super lucky and get jumbo size candy. The candies you are most likely to get are Snickers, Twix, Starbursts, Skittles, Nerds, Almond Joys, Smarties, Tootsie Rolls, M&M's, and Hershey's.



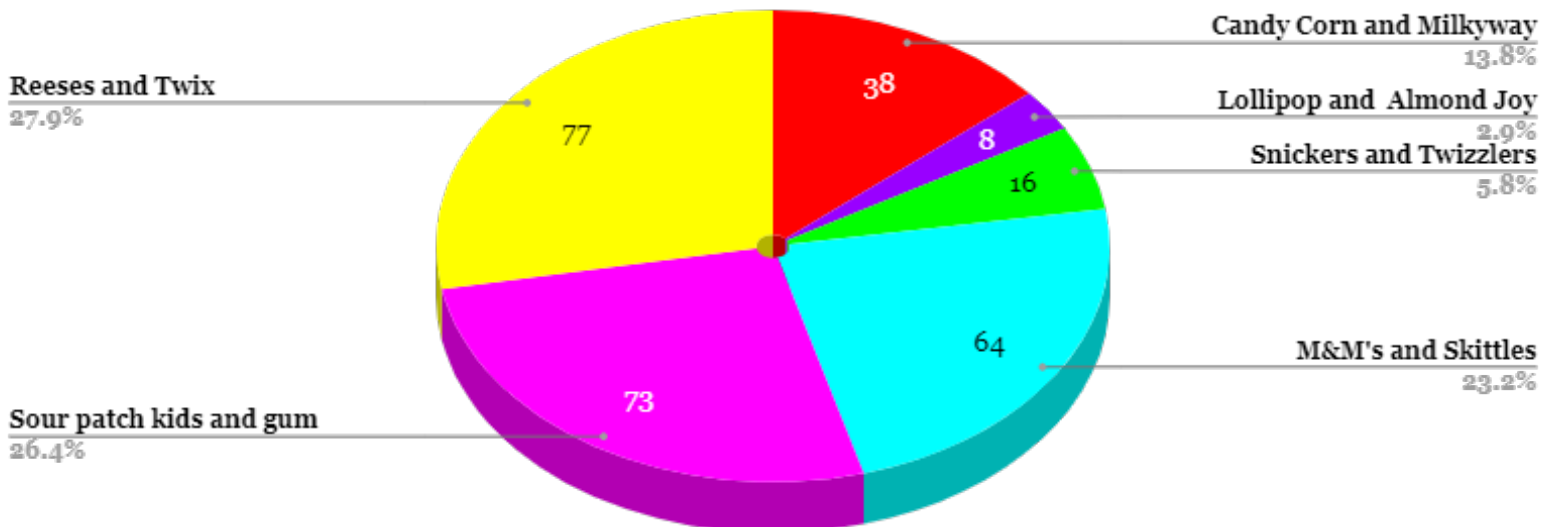
Now, some costumes you can be are unicorn, baby, and a witch/wizard. Some group costume ideas are Thing One and Thing Two, Starbucks workers, candy, planets, sports players, or cheerleaders. Group costumes can be a blast. Have fun Trick or Treating!

## Safe Trick Or Treating

Trick or Treating can be lots of fun, but you have to be safe. You have to know not to go to houses with the lights off. You never know if there is someone bad in the house or anything bad. Do not eat poisonous candy or hard candy that can crack out of a wrapper, but we hope you are smart enough not to eat a piece of candy without a wrapper on. Finally, be sure to go with an adult or make sure an adult knows where you're going.

# WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE HALLOWEEN CANDY?

By Simone B. and Jack M.





# CREATIVE WRITING

## TRICKS IN THE HALLWAY: HALLOWEEN EDITION

By Ethan W., Jenna P., and Miles B.

### Scene 8: Regional News!

Up-To-Date News: A kid named Tyler Martins is on the run from detention. More information on Tyler Martin during his school's study hall in room 26. More later! Check in at 3PM PST (Pacific Standard Time).

### 3 Hours Later

I'm Tricky Trickerson here with the story on Tyler Martins. Here is the official story with Pump Kin.

"Tyler was caught planning tricks in Mr. Miller's room, which was not being used. He was making plans to steal all of the decorations and candy from the Halloween party. One of his plans was to spill pumpkin guts in a hallway and block the exits with pumpkins. Another plan of his was when someone walked out the front door a bunch of pumpkins would come raining down on them."

"Don't ask me how he arranged that!" Tricky said excitedly.



### Scene 9: Principal's Office

"NO! I didn't do anything! I was just messing around! I finished my homework and wanted to do something with some privacy!" Tyler exclaimed.

"Well, you have pulled pranks before so you are the main suspect!" said Mr. Maple, the principal, severely. I'm going to have to put you in ISS! (In school suspension)

"Noo!! That isn't fair!" Tyler screamed hysterically.

He is overreacting a little too much.

### Scene 10: Detention

"Well, I'm in detention by myself for a while so I might as well make plans for pranks. Then I will rip them up when I'm done," said Tyler glumly. "Well, let's start thinking."

A few minutes later, Mr. Miller came in and said, "Hello Tyler, how's it going?"

"Fine," Tyler said a little too

quickly.

"Hhhhhmmmmmmmm, well, I'll be leaving then," said Mr. Miller slowly.

### Scene 11: The Prank

Then Tyler had the best idea for a prank ever. He would put pumpkin guts on the ceiling and put pumpkins all over the floor! He would need help with it and he knew the perfect person: his best friend Michael.

### Scene 12: The Day of the Prank

"Everyone is freaking out!" Tyler whispered to Michael.

"I just hope we don't get caught."

"Did you see the principal?!" asked Michael. "He was covered in guts!"

"Well, I guess our prank worked then!" exclaimed Tyler, quietly. "I guess it

did!" :)



TO BE CONTINUED...

Happy  
Halloween

# CREATIVE WRITING

## ANT PICNIC: SPOOKY EDITION

By Jenna P.

Okay, we need to get into their house to see their plans for today. Ant numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 7, 8, go!

Move through the crack and get some popcorn for the movie tonight.

Ant numbers 67, 85, and 34, get a glimpse of the calendar. Cut through the hole in the side of the house. Now move, move,

move!

"Ant 34, what do you see?"

"I see stuff."

"Any monsters in sight?"

"No, but I see popcorn though."

"NO, that's not your job!"

"Okay, I see the calendar. It looks like a picnic at 12PM."

"What time is it right now, ant 34?"

"Umm, I can't read time or numbers."

"Well how did you read the time of the picnic, 34?"

"Secrets. Lots of secrets. Wait, I see a shadow of a....  
TO BE CONTINUED. . .



## WHICH FLOWER ARE YOU?

By Simone B.

1. If you have a January birthday you are a Carnation.
2. If you have a February birthday you are a Violet or an Iris.
3. If you have a March birthday you are a Daffodil.
4. If you have an April birthday you are a Sweet Pea or a Daisy.
5. If you have a May birthday you are a Lily of the Valley.
6. If you have a June birthday you are a Rose.
7. If you have a July birthday you are a Larkspur.
8. If you have an August birthday you are a Gladiolus.
9. If you have a September birthday you are a Aster or a Myosotis.
10. If you have an October birthday you are a Tulip.
11. If you have a November birthday you are a Chrysanthemum.
12. If you have a December birthday you are a Poinsettia.



# FIND THE 4 MISTAKES ANSWERS

By Simone B., Rachel B., Steven L., and Jack M.

# SPIRIT ANIMAL QUIZ

By Emilee T.

What's your favorite nature object?

1. Water
2. Trees
3. Pinecones
4. Flowers
5. Leaves

Which animal do you like best?

1. Horse
2. Alligator
3. Chipmunk
4. Insects
5. Mouse

What is your favorite music genre?

1. Pop
2. Soft and slow
3. Country
4. Band
5. Rap

What is your favorite school subject?

1. Science
2. Art
3. Gym
4. Reading
5. Math

What is your favorite color?

1. Blue
2. White
3. Red
4. Pink
5. Orange

See the answers on the left.

## Spirit Animal Quiz Answers

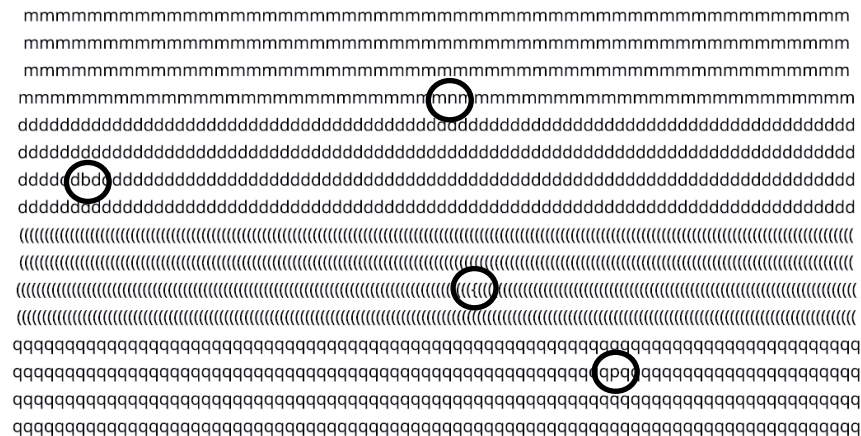
If you chose mostly 1's, a **dolphin** is your spirit animal. That means that you are majestic, smart, and love the color blue. You can see lots of fish that no one knows about.

If you chose mostly 2's, a **unicorn** is your spirit animal. That means that you are majestic, whimsical, powerful, and clever. You might have magical powers and can blend in to anything.

If you chose mostly 3's, a **dragon** is your spirit animal. That means that you are big, tough, smart and can breath fire! You can have whatever you want, and be any color you want!

If you chose mostly 4's, a **butterfly** is your spirit animal. That means that you are kind, small, and can fly. You are loyal, you love light, and nature. You can fly around and see all the different people and insects.

If you chose mostly 5's, your spirit animal is a **fox**. That means that you are sneaky, clever, you like orange, and are smart. You can see many things, and foxes like to be stealthy, so you can hide from predators or sneak up on your prey.



# HOW TO MAKE SLIME

By Daniela B.



## Normal Slime:

Step 1: Pour a 4 oz bottle of Elmer's Glue into a bowl (best would be a glass bowl).

Step 2: Add 2 teaspoons of water.

Step 3: Mix the glue and water together.

Step 4: Add in food coloring and/or glitter (if you want them in).

Step 5: Mix the food coloring and/or glitter (if you want them in).

Step 6: Add 1 teaspoon of activator (Sta Flo Liquid Starch or Tide), and then mix it with a spoon. After you mix it, add another teaspoon of the activator, mix again, and keep repeating step 6 until it's hard to mix.

Step 7: Take the slime out of the bowl and start kneading it with your hands until it gets less sticky. If it's still sticky, add a little bit more of your activator and knead it with your hands until you have the texture of the slime you like. Then you're done!

## Fluffy Slime:

Step 1: Add 1 teaspoon of Borax to 1 cup of water and mix it. After you mix it, wait for 5 minutes so the Borax can dissolve into the water.

Step 2: Add in as much Elmer's Glue as you want into a bowl (best would be a glass bowl).

Step 3: Add in food coloring and/or glitter (you do not need to add any of them).

Step 4: Mix the food coloring and/or glitter (if you put them in).

Step 5: Start adding in a little bit of your activator (your dissolved Borax) into your bowl.

Step 6: Mix it, then keep adding your activator, repeating step 5 until it is hard to mix.

Step 7: Take the slime out of the bowl and knead it with your hands. Add more activator if it's still sticky and knead it more until you like the texture. Then you're done!

# CONSUMERS OF FOOD CRICKETS

By John F., Will P., Eli P., Chris R. and Andy S.

We are people... We eat stuff... But do normal Americans eat crickets? No, but we did! Find out about us eating crickets in this article! We bought them off of Amazon (yes, I'm also surprised they sell crickets). We didn't really have a motivation but we thought since people in other countries eat them we didn't think it would be that bad.

William's thoughts: The cricket tasted like crunchy bread but the aftertaste made me puke (literally).

John's thoughts: The cricket tasted weird and crunchy, but the aftertaste was HORRIBLE!

Eli's thoughts: Weird...

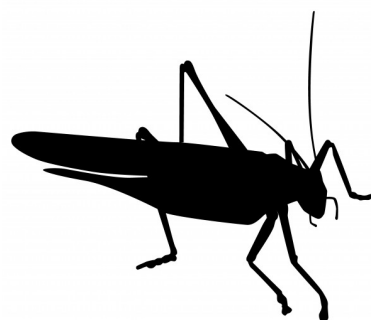
Andy's thoughts: Okay, tastes like fried bread, but it has a not-so-great aftertaste. I expected it to taste weird but not gross.

Chris' thoughts: They're crunchy & have the worst aftertaste.

## CRICKET FACTS

- In Thailand people eat crickets regularly.
- Crickets have "ears" on their front legs.
- You can determine the temperature by counting a cricket's chirps.

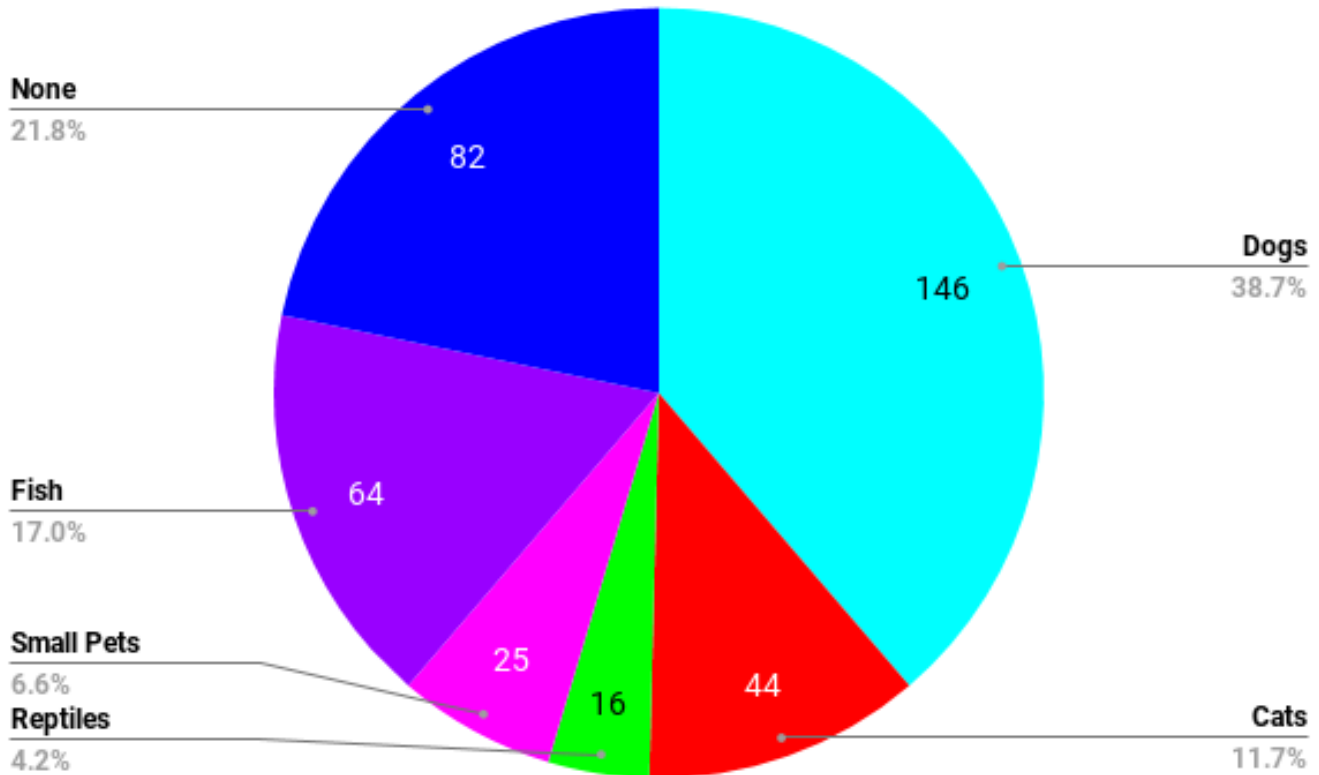
If you are interested in eating crickets, talk to your parents about it before you make any decisions.



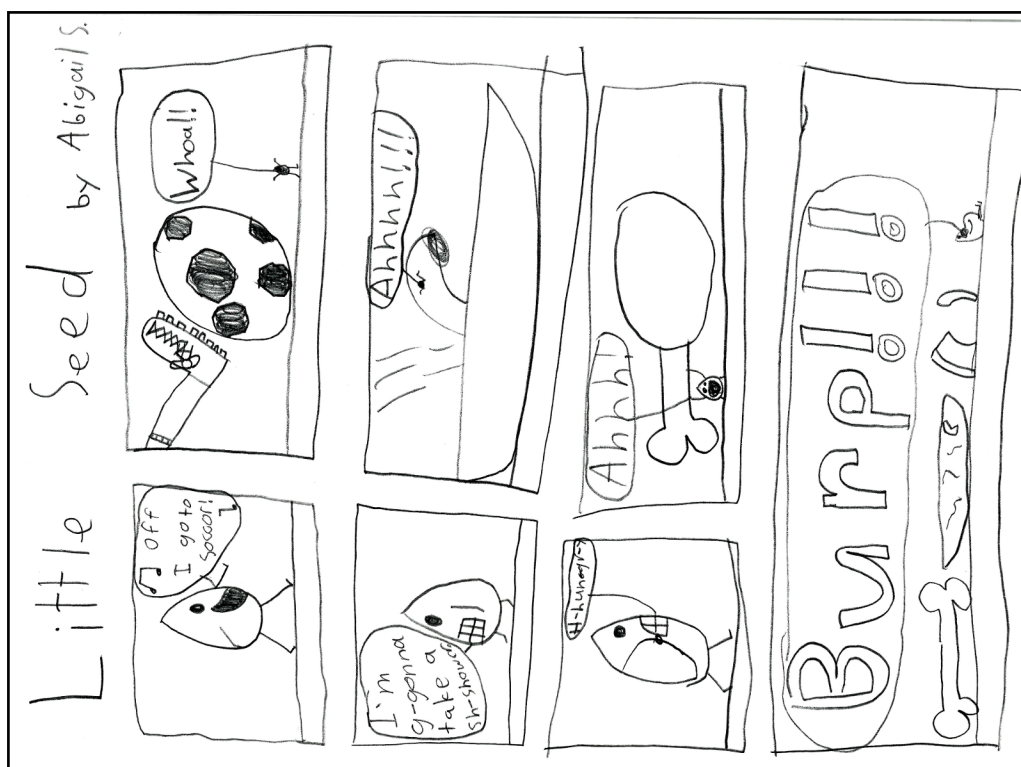
# WHAT PETS DO YOU HAVE?

By Rachel B.

This has been a discussion for a long time and everyone has their own opinion. I decided to do a survey, because I wanted to find out which is more popular. These results are just what pet people own, not necessarily which one is better. I have given a survey to the entire Spring Avenue School and here are the results:



Comic





# ROARING RECIPES!

## DIY IN THE KITCHEN

By Eve M. and Caroline C.

### Pumpkin Donuts

#### Ingredients:

- ½ cup of sugar
- ½ cup pumpkin puree
- ½ cup sweet potato puree
- ½ cup lowfat skim milk
- ½ cup buttermilk
- 1 egg, separated
- 1 tsp margarine
- 1 tsp vanilla
- 1 cup flour
- 1 tsp baking soda
- ½ cup cinnamon or pumpkin spice
- ¼ cup confectioners sugar

#### Directions:

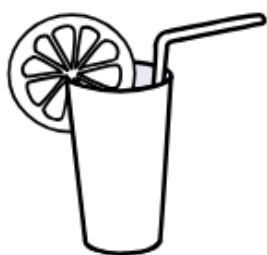
- Preheat oven to 350°F. Coat a doughnut mold or 12-cup mini-muffin tin with cooking spray.
- In a large bowl, beat together the brown sugar, pumpkin puree, sweet potato puree, milk, egg white, margarine, and vanilla.

- In a medium bowl, whisk together the flour, baking soda, baking powder, and cinnamon. Add to the pumpkin mixture and mix until completely incorporated.
- Pour the batter into a gallon-sized plastic bag (or pastry bag if you have one!) and cut the bottom tip off of one side of the bag. Squeeze the batter through, into the doughnut mold. Bake until the tops are lightly browned and a toothpick comes out clean when inserted (20 to 25 minutes). Turn the doughnuts out onto a rack to cool. Repeat with the remaining batter. When cool, dust with confectioners' sugar.
- Store in an airtight container at room temperature for up to 2 days, or freeze for up to 1 month.

Recipe from:  
<http://jessicaseinfeld.com/recipes/doughnuts-with-pumpkin-and-sweet-potato>



### Refreshing Drink



You will need:

- 6 ice cubes
- 6 cups cold water
- 2 cups cold apple juice
- 2 tablespoons powdered lemonade mix

The tools you will need are:

- Pitcher
- Liquid measuring cup
- Measuring spoons
- Mixing spoon

Next:

- Add ice to pitcher
- Measure cold water
- Measure apple juice
- Add lemonade mix and stir

# CREATIVE WRITING

## FIGHT FOR THE FAST FOODS

By Nora F. and Carrie R.

It was a peaceful afternoon in Bumblebee Village. The town had just finished their yearly relay races. Mr. Tommy Picklemith had snuck a day off of his work as a full time McDonald's waiter.

On his day off he went to Professional Olympic Diving practice. He went home and watched football, and while he was watching, he got hungry. He did not know where to go. So, he decided to go to Wendy's for a big juicy Junior Bacon cheeseburger. He went back home for the end of the game. Later, he realized that going to Wendy's was a bad idea.

Little did he know he was caught on camera walking out of Wendy's with a big burger and ketchup all over his face. All of the Wendy's employees were thrilled! They would show Tommy's boss Mr. Bobby Frank the footage of

Tommy eating the most expensive burger on their new menu. They knew he would not be happy.

While Tommy was at his house watching the end of the game the Wendy's employees marched happily over to McDonald's and knocked on the office door of Mr. Bobby Frank, Tommy's boss. Sure enough, he was not happy. The Wendy's employees stood there with big smiles spreading across their faces, and that is when the whole battle started.

It lasted three whole hours. Then Tommy arrived.

"What is happening!?" Tommy shouted from across the room.

He looked down at his Wendy's bag that he had been holding the entire day and realized he had made a big mistake. He had to end the war he started, but, he thought, "How am I going to do



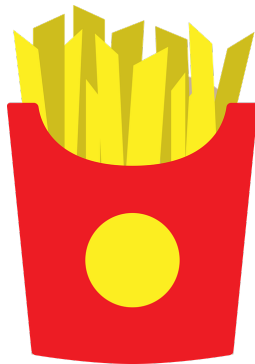
that?" Instead he started battling, too. It lasted about 30 more minutes.

Then a little girl and her mom and dad walked in and the mom said "Are you closed? The sign says open, but we can leave."

Then they all heard the faint voice of the little girl who said, Wow look Mommy, McDonalds and Wendy's are finally working together!"

It was at that moment they realized they should not be fighting. They should be working together. So they joined together to make McWendy's.

Inspired by Kate F.



# CREATIVE WRITING

## LITTLE RICH KIDS

By Sophia K., Veda R., and Camille S.

There are three little rich kids. Their names are Sapphire, Emerald, and Lia. They are triplets. They live in L.A., California, and they are in elementary school. One day when they were walking to school, they walked across a blue topaz medallion necklace stuck in the cement. Sapphire tried to get it out but she couldn't. Then Emerald tried, and then Lia. None of them could get it out, but when they tried all together, it finally popped out.



"What is this?" Sapphire asked while holding the medallion necklace.

"Um, Sapphire, it is a medallion necklace, DDDUUUHHHH," said Emerald.

"Wait a minute, I know that necklace. When Emerald was picking up the Lego box, she discovered a picture with

our great grandma wearing it," said Lia.

They put the necklace in Lia's backpack and headed to school.



### Later, after they got home:

The three girls were having dinner with their mom. They were laughing, telling jokes, and talking about school. All of a sudden, their mom said, "Girls, I got a call from my boss, and he said I will have to go on a year trip to Australia in two days. I will be leaving you three with your cousin Opal."

The girls started to bawl.

On Friday, their mom left and they were stuck with Opal. Lia grabbed the medallion. She gave Opal the medallion, and then Emerald asked Opal if they could open it.

"Sure, I will open it," said Opal. Inside they found a note...

*Dear family,*

*If you want to solve this puzzle you will need to follow these hints and go to the right cave to succeed.*

*Go to a park and go down to where there is a pond and seven trees crammed together... here is a hint: the park starts with an R. There you will find another hint. That hint will lead to many more.*

*Love you all,*

*?*

To be continued...

# CREATIVE WRITING

## TRUE STORIES:

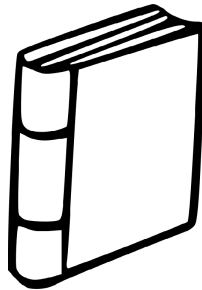
### MALEFICENT'S SIDE

By London S.M.

Have you ever been blamed for casting a sleeping curse on a girl when she was a baby? Or been accused of being an evil fairy? Well, trust me, it is NOT fun. Ok, you all know me from Sleeping Beauty, the story about a beautiful girl who was cursed and slept for a thousand or so years. Well, that's not actually how the story goes. If you want to hear how it really happened, you're in the right place. I should know, I am Maleficent.

It all started about a thousand years ago (yes I know I'm young for a fairy), when a great king died. After the king died, his son took the throne, and that was literally the worst thing that could have happened to that kingdom. The new king was young, and instead of ruling the kingdom, he stayed out late partying. The kingdom was dying, so the young king's girlfriend asked me to cast a spell on him so he would get some sleep. So I did. The kingdom started to thrive and it was because of me, but of course, the king's girlfriend said nothing. This annoyed me a little, but the kingdom was doing well and that's all that mattered. We all became good friends, or at least good

business partners. I helped the kingdom do well, and they let me live there. It was fun...until they had a kid.



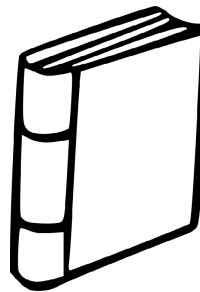
She was a beautiful little girl, but boy did she scream! She screamed and cried all night, and eventually, the kingdom started to die. I offered my service to the king and his girlfriend, but they declined. They said they would deal with the girl on their own, she was just a baby. They said they didn't need a fairy to magic their problems away.

I'll let you know, I am a very calm fairy, but this angered me. I mean, Cinderella jumped at the opportunity to get a fairy to help her go to a ball! And for what, like three hours? So, I did what I had to do for the kingdom. I put a sleeping spell on the girl so she would sleep through the night. If it wasn't already crazy enough, then the circus really came to town.

Someone saw me cast the "curse" and totally over-exaggerated it! So then the kingdom went into a panic, and I got kicked out! Let me tell you, they sure didn't complain when

she slept through the night!

Then, on her sixteenth birthday, she was used to sleeping through the night, so I took away the "curse." Well, one of the fairies saw me, and then, when she went to warn the princess at her spinning wheel, the fairy slammed open the door. This startled the girl and caused her to prick her finger on the needle and hit her head on the spinning wheel and she passed out. Everyone went ballistic. Then the fairies cast their own sleeping spell on everyone so that when "Prince Charming" gave



her a "true love kiss" she would wake up with her friends and family. When she woke up, she started freaking out, so I took the spell off everyone and they thought it was a thousand years later. They told this to the girl, so they all believed that. Then a prince just happened to be visiting the castle. He believed this ridiculous story and said he just didn't remember, and then he and the princess got married.

The End...for them. I got blamed while they lived "happily ever after." And that's how it actually went. If you don't believe me, ask my friend the Evil Queen next time on True Stories.

# CREATIVE WRITING

## HURRICANE

By Clara D.

Hello, my name is Destiny, and I live in California. In a week I am going on a cruise for my birthday with my best friend Thomas, my mom, grandma and my dog Wishbone. My dad couldn't make it because his cousin is in the hospital with cancer.

I have been looking forward to this for months, and I am so sad that my dad isn't going to come. That's why I am bringing Thomas. I have been making lists of everything I need for the trip. The cruise is going to be a week long. I am really looking forward to swimming with the dolphins.

"Hey mom, where are my new shorts?"

"They're in the wash and you have to go to bed."

It was 9:00. I wanted nothing to go wrong. I was very careful and I didn't forget anything. Packing for this is like packing my whole life.

"Goodnight mom."

"Goodnight."

Today is the day! The weather report said that it would be sunny. We are in the car ready to go. Thomas is here, too.

My mom, Thomas and I check into our room and look around. Our room is really big and we start unpacking our things.

Soon, we are on the deck and we are exploring. It's so cool and really pretty. There are free cookies on the first floor. Thomas and I ate about 23.

That night it was getting dark, and we were afraid it would rain and that there would be bad weather. I guess I will just watch some TV in bed because it is late anyway. Wishbone was getting a belly rub.

The next morning we went on the deck and it was covered in

raindrops. Happily there was no damage. We had a really delicious breakfast. Thomas and I went swimming with the dolphins and played some deck games.

Later that day, we had some dinner and Thomas and I shared some sliders. My mom got a yummy pasta. That night Wishbone was barking for hours. We had gone to bed and that night I woke up to the boat shaking violently. It started flooding.

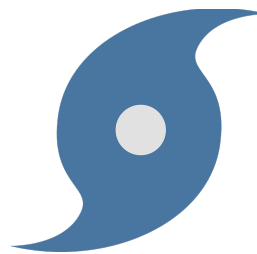
"It is getting higher!!" I say.

"Where are you guys?" said mom.

I was holding Wishbone tight, wishing it was a dream. Soon the water was up to my chin and all I could see was black.

"Mom, Thomas!"

To be continued....



# CREATIVE WRITING



## TIDAL WAVE



By Dylan J.

Hi. My name is Karlie. I'm 12 years old and I live on the west side of Mexico, not on the Gulf, but on the Pacific Ocean. I live in a house on the beach with my dad and dog, Hope. My mom left me and my father when I was two. I am a surfer, and that's my life. All I have to do is go outside, grab my surfboard, and catch some waves. But, when hurricane season comes, we have to move inland from the water because the waves get huge! But, when tragedy strikes, this is the time you really have to trust yourself.

My alarm blares in my ears. It's 6:00 am. Ugh, it's Monday. Wait, no it's not....it's a competition day! The meet is only 30 minutes away, so I have time. I throw on my suit, put on a sweatshirt, and walk downstairs for breakfast. My dad gives me a bowl of cereal, I grab my surfboard, and we were out the door by 6:30.

The waves seem extra big today, but that might just be my nerves. When my name is called, I feel butterflies. Why am I so nervous? It's just another meet, Karlie. I swim out about 100 feet and look out at the waves. There is an 8 footer coming my way. I decide to take it. We get three chances, so I thought it's okay to take this one. I paddle and stand up just as the wave breaks. It's a pretty good wave and I get an 8.2 on it. I paddle back out and that's when I see it. It's the biggest wave I've ever seen about 400 yards away from me! I am frozen. I can hear the faint noise of my dad screaming my name and the announcer yelling at everyone to get out of the water, but I just stare at the wave that is hundreds of feet tall. Then it swallows me and the world goes black.

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## WILDFIRE



By Bridget G.

Hi, my name is Maria and I am 14 years old. I have a golden retriever puppy and his name is King. I live with my Mom in California. My Dad is a firefighter and he is trying to put out the wildfire. I am worried because the wildfire may spread to my town, Sacramento.

"Mom, is Dad gonna be ok?"

"Maria, I'm sure he'll be fine.

"Ok, Mom."

*Texting with Ava*

Ava: whats up?

Maria: the sky

Ava: wow, Maria. Hows ur dad?

Maria: He's fine. Do you think that our town will have to be evacuated?

Ava: I don't know

*Buzzz*

**News Flash The Wildfire is spreading quicker than expected EVERYONE EVACUATE**

Ava: Maria, did you just get that News Flash?

Maria: Yes, I'm scared now. I hope my dad stays safe! Oh, King says "hi"

Ava: Tell King "Hi"

Maria: Sure do you want King to type something to say "Hi?"

Ava: Sure!

King: fihgrbhgyegyue

Ava: Hi, King! We should probably start packing and start to evacuate.

Maria: We'll keep in touch.

Ava: Sure Bye!

Maria: Bye!

As I'm packing I realize that something's up with King. King has been barking and whimpering a lot lately.

"Maria, come down here we have to go."

"Ok, I'll be down in a minute."

As I take King downstairs Mom is loading up the car. Mom seems upset. I think it's because of the fire.

SILENCE

King just ran away.

"Mom!! What are we going to do?"

"We have to leave, Maria."

"No!!!!!!!!!!" I say as I run off into the distance to find King.

To be continued...

# CREATIVE WRITING

## FALL CAMP

By Blake M.

Paint, bugs, and toilet paper were everywhere in our cabin.

Our camp director, Lacy, put her hand on her hip and said, "This is going to take a long time to clean up!"

"But I'm too pretty to clean up!" I complain.

I mean, seriously, I just had a long day of cleaning the kitchens! My terrible parents sent me to this camp that has no respect for blondes!

"But you have too!" said Bella.

"No, I don't, but you have to, sweetie!" I said.

"How 'bout you clean it up, *sweetie*," Jenna imitated.

"You just didn't, did you? "

"Let's just all clean it up!" said Kate trying to break the ice.

"Fine!" I said.

So, we all cleaned up our cabin together. After that, I smelled like I went dumpster

diving! Also, when I went to shower, there was no hot water!

The next morning, the sunlight peaked into our cabin and woke me up from my slumber.

"Morning," said Kate.

"Nnnnnnnn," I replied.

"Wake up already!" said Lacy.

"We're going to be late!" added Jenna. "Also, there's a spider on your bunk!"

I screamed so loudly, that Bella woke up! Jenna smiled and Kate exploded with laughter.

"Not helping!" I said through clenched teeth.

"Sorry," said Kate gasping for breath.

"Let's just go," said Kate.

"Now everyone get dressed!" said Lacy, a little annoyed with Jenna. "Mess hall, five minutes."

Later.....

"Good morning and



welcome to the Mess Hall!" said Miss Peach. "Cabin four, come up front."

"Ok....," I said, rolling my eyes.

"But our food's going to get cold!" complained Jenna.

"Let's go!" Said Kate poking Jenna in the rib cage. Jenna bit back a yelp and pushed her lips.

"Good morning, Cabin four!" said Miss Peach, her eyes glistening.

"Camp.....Camp is going to shut down..."

What? I felt like I just jumped from an airplane. "No....," I said.

To be continued.....

# CREATIVE WRITING ON MY OWN

By Abigail S.

"Mush! Come on, doggies! Mush!" my father shouts.

I'm Zayda. I'm 9 years old and my family is moving to Alaska.

"Mommy, are we there yet?" I ask.

She smiles and pats my head.

"No, sweetie. We won't be there for a couple more weeks."

"Awwwwwww. Okay."

"Ronin, son, check on the puppy."

"Okay, dad!!!" Ronin pulls back the corners of a small blue blanket revealing a small puppy.

"What kind is it, dad?" Ronin asks.

"Ummm, he's a mix, but he'll be strong."

"What's a mix?" I ask.

"It's a mix of two different types of dog to make a different strange-ish dog."

"Okay."

"Everybody be careful, we're approaching a cliff."

The sled makes a sharp turn. I start to slide.

"MOMMY!!!" I shout, desperately grabbing at things. My hand closes around the small, blue blanket. Then I fall.

"ZAYDA!!!!!" My mother reaches out but it's too late.

## One hour later....

I wake up gasping at the bottom of the cliff. I try to turn my head, then nearly pass out due to another wave of pain.

"Gah!!!!!" I cry out. Then I see something squirming out of the corner of my eye.

"Wha...?" I reach out and pull the blanket off the thing. It's the puppy! I grip the puppy and pull him to my chest.

"We're on our own now, 'k? Just you and me."

I try to get up and find that I've broken my ankle. I struggle to pull myself upright.

"Uhh."

Somehow I manage to walk to a crack in the cliff.

"Home, sweet home." I climb inside and curl up next to the pup and fall asleep.

When I wake up, I wrap my ankle with a shard of my skirt.

"You need a name," I say to the pup. "How about Copper? Yes, Copper. Come on, Copper."

We walk for about an hour, when we come across three dead caribou.

"Yes!!! We can make a teepee from these!"

I strip the caribou of their skin, and carve knives and spears from some of their bones. Ronin taught me, and so did Dad. I manage to make a smallish teepee.

To be continued....



# CREATIVE WRITING

## TOILET ISLAND

By Seth H.

BOOM! "Yo, what be dat?" said Pants McSquirts.

"Holy turd. I don't know," replied Farts, Jr. "Let's go check it out."

Pants McSquirts and Farts, Jr. started scanning the area around them and noticed green smoke rising from Flushville. They grabbed their bikes and started down Clog Road until they got to Flushville. There were crowds of people flooding the roads. Farts, Jr. knew most of them. For example, he knew Mrs. Plunger and Farts, Jr.'s neighbor Mr. Potty. Farts, Jr. ran up to Mr. Potty and tapped his shoulder. "What's going on?" he said.

"A meteor crashed onto the street," answered Mr. Potty.

"Was anyone hurt?"

"No, but it wrecked a few buildings and it smells...really bad."

Farts, Jr. ran away struggling through the gigantic crowd, searching for Pants McSquirts until he found himself in front of all the people. He turned around and saw a crater about sixty-four toilet lids wide



and thirty-two toilet lids deep. These were the measurements they learned at toilet school.

Farts, Jr. went up to the crater and looked straight down. There was a sphere-shaped object at the bottom. It was glowing a neon green color. Farts, Jr. kneeled down and slid down the crater until he hit the bottom. He got up and picked up a random twig lying right beside him. He carefully poked the sphere with the twig and it made a farting sound. The ground started rumbling underneath him. He sprinted back up the crater as quickly as he could and stood a safe distance away from it. The glowing green sphere rose into the sky and popped. The next thing Farts, Jr. saw when he opened his eyes was the Guardians of the Galaxy.

"Oh noes! It's the Guardians of the Galaxy!" screamed some random dude in the crowd.

"EVERYONE RUN!!!"

People were darting down the street running as fast as they could from the Guardians of the

Galaxy. Farts, Jr. ran as well while also trying to find Pants McSquirts. Farts, Jr. finally found Pants McSquirts and ran up to him.

"What are we gonna do?" asked Farts, Jr.

"Bro, I don't know," replied Pants McSquirts. "Just keep running."

Farts, Jr. turned around to see if the Guardians of the Galaxy were following them and it seemed as if they were fusing together into a giant robot-thingy. Then the robot started sprinting towards them.

Each step it took caused a mini-earthquake. Farts, Jr. turned back to Pants McSquirts. The robot's arm grabbed Pants McSquirts and picked him up. "OH MY

GOSH, FARTS, JR, HELP ME!!!"

"Man, I don't know, I really don't wanna get hurt--"

"JUST HELP ME NOW!!! KICK THE ROBOT OR SOMETHING."

Farts, Jr. knew he was too weak to defeat the robot, but he tried anyways. He raised his fist



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# CREATIVE WRITING

## TOILET ISLAND, CONTINUED

By Seth H.

and tapped the robot's toe with his knuckles. It was actually a punch but it was as weak as a tap. The robot made a gear-clunking noise and then deactivated. The robot



collapsed to the ground head first and Pants McSquirts landed on a conveniently placed air mattress on the ground. "Looks like we saved the day again!" said

Farts, Jr. boldly.



"Yeah, I guess so," replied Pants McSquirts as he attempted to hide his black eye and chipped toilet lid.

## MICRO PUPPY: IT'S JUST THE BEGINNING

By Emma H.

Today was Crystal and Reina's birthday! They had been hoping to get a video game called Micro Puppy: An Amazing Adventure for five whole months! Reina and Crystal were super excited to open one of their presents and see the game inside. Guess what? They got the game!

The next day, Crystal and Reina played it ALL DAY, until they got to a portal to go to level 86. They each made their dog characters jump in the portal. But when they got to the level, they were in the game! Reina and Crystal had to find a way to escape.

### INSIDE THE GAME

"Why is everything so big?" asked Reina.

"OMG, we're the Micro Puppies! You have paws!" said Crystal, surprised.

"YAYYYY!!!!!"

Reina and Crystal excitedly yelled.

"Wait, but isn't our goal to escape this room? We have to focus because this one looks tricky. It's an office level," exclaimed Reina.

"Aww, ok...," said Crystal, disappointed.

So the girls got to it. They found a ladder up to the office desk and climbed up. Then,

Crystal noticed something glowing on the chair.

"Umm...Reina? What is that

glowing thing on the chair?" asked Crystal, in a shaky, concerned voice.

"I don't know, let's go check it out," replied Reina.

Crystal and Reina scurried over to the glowing object.

There was a note that read:

WELCOME TO LEVEL 86, MY FELLOW PUPS! YOU WILL BEGIN GATHERING GEMSTONES EACH LEVEL. FIND EVERY ONE OF EACH TYPE TO UNLOCK THE GATE TO THE NEXT LEVELS.

Reina picked up the gem and stuffed it in her pack.

"What now?" asked Reina.

"Hmm...maybe we go into the computer," suggested Crystal.

TO BE CONTINUED...



# CREATIVE WRITING

## FIVE NIGHTS AT FREDDY'S

By Daniel K, Alexander A., and Luke H.

Alex = BonBon/Bonnie and Goldie

Daniel = Freddy / Fred

Luke= Foxy/ Fox

**1987**

BonBon: HEY GUYS  
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

BonBon: think we should go to the pizzeria.

Fred: I thought we were going to Candy's for burgers and fries.

BonBon: but it's **GoLdY's** Birthday.

Fred: but the new Whopper came out!!!! Why NOT!!!!!! So juicy mmmm (And he fainted )

Fox: Let's go to Freddy Fazbear's Pizza.

BonBon: GAAAAAA THAT'S WHAT I'VE BEEN SAYING !!!!

Fred: Okay okay, oh, shoot we'll be late for the party.

Fox: RRRUUUUUUNNNN!!!!!!!!!!

BonBon: No, just no (five minutes later) I've never been here! \*kids\* YAAAAAY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

BonBon: Hey guys, look, some suits! (Five minutes later)

BonBon: Hmmmm I want the purple one \* CACHICK CACHICK \* hmmm why does it fit me so well? Welp, imma go find some kids \*distant screams AHHHHH (kids) .

Fox: why just why?

BonBon: It's just a joke, right guys? See, I'm gonna go take the suit off RRRR RRRR GAHHHHH COME ON, I CAN'T TAKE IT OFF!!!!

Fred: BON BON IS THAT YOU????????? KIDS RUN!!!!!! AH!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! FOX NO!!!! YOU TOO AHHHHH let me get in one and ma-

Fox: AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAH

Fox: I look like a fox, hey, that's my name

(they found a mirror)

(then they gazed at the mirror and revealed what they were)



Freddy: WHAT AM I  
!?!?!?!?!?!?!?!?!?! (the phone rings)

Phone - HEWO HEWO HEWO  
UMM IS AWNY BWODY WERE  
Foxy: AHHHHHH!! WHO'S VOICE IS THAT !?

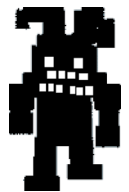
**(later at 11:59)**

Fred: Everyone attack the guard now \*then they see Goldy\*

Fred: Is this what you've become?

Golden Freddy: sdjbjagGBchdg

Fred: What is he saying BonBon  
Echo wjc gfgb \*but they never did get him\*



**(five nights later)**

dj dbs jd bow (and they see Shadow Bonnie ) RRRRRG OUY SYUG ERA OS DRAH OT KORW THIW

Foxy: What are you saying? (Then they attacked.) GET HIM !



Guard: OH, NO \*Bonnie's Minigame music starts\* AHHHHHHHHHHH

Bonnie : AHRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRR  
TO BE CONTINUED

# CREATIVE WRITING

## MONTHLY NIGHT LIVE

By John F. and Andy S.

Both: Hello, we are your hosts, John F. and Andy S. You may be thinking, "THIS IS NOT A COMEDY SHOW, THIS IS A DOCUMENT." If you are, then... um, how do we put this, um, oh ya...then you are a big old fuddy-dud.

Because, in fact, this is a comedy show. We are sitting on a couch eating Cheetos and saying stuff. That sounds like a comedy show to me. You also are probably thinking, "YOU ARE LAZY!"

If you are also thinking that, you are for sure right, but that's a good thing because dogs run and play and they live for 15 years while turtles sit there and do nothing all day and live for 150 years (LESSON LEARNED). Also, if you are thinking all this stuff, then you're very mean because who

are the newspaper stars here, hmmm? So, here we go...

Andy: What should we talk about?

John: Dumb stuff going on, but not politics.

Andy: But I just LOVE politics!

John: Ok, fine, let's talk about the president.

Andy: But then people will rage, so no.

John: Ok, fine, let's not talk about politics...

John: Let's do the word generator!

Andy: And the word is... destruction!!!

John: Yay!

Andy: Ok, now let's talk the

world's destruction!

John: First of all, we are polluting it.

Andy: We're running out of fossil fuels.

John: There are lots of hurricanes happening.

John: Animals have gone extinct while we wrote this!

Andy: I think that's all.

John: Okay...

Andy: Wait, I forgot something!

John: What is it?

Andy: There are two four-dimensional asteroids that are going to collide and destroy the space-time continuum!

Both: YAAAAAAAAY! We were bored anyway.

## COOL STUFF COMIX IS BACK IN BUSINESS

By Max I., Tyler K., Dylan S., and Reese T.

Cool Stuff Comix has been going for three whole years now! Have a happy birthday Cool Stuff Comix! If you noticed, we went down a lot last year not making as many comics. This year we will hopefully be making a comic every other day. You guys can ask us for comic ideas. Our 2018-19 year will be great with these four participants: Reese T., Dylan S., Tyler K., and Max I.



We are hoping for Cheese Man comics, Fish Man comics, Mars Man Comics, and much, much more! We hope that you all enjoy our work. If you have any wild ideas for comics please let us know, but we want something different than a bank heist or car chase. We want something more interesting. We will continue our very own Cool Stuff!

# C O M I C

## FROZEN

by  
Seth H.

## YOGURT



# C O M I C

## Derpy-Mon Moon

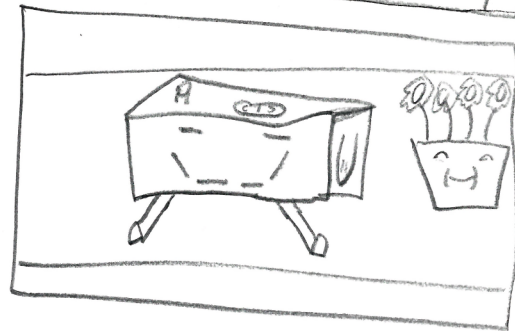
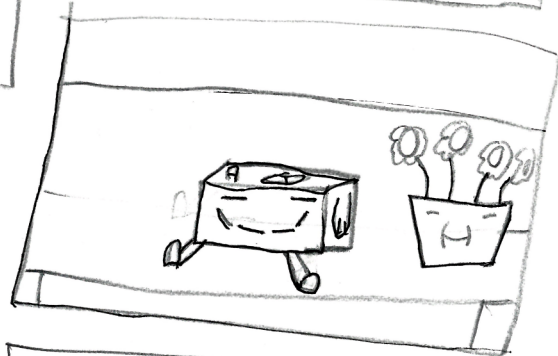
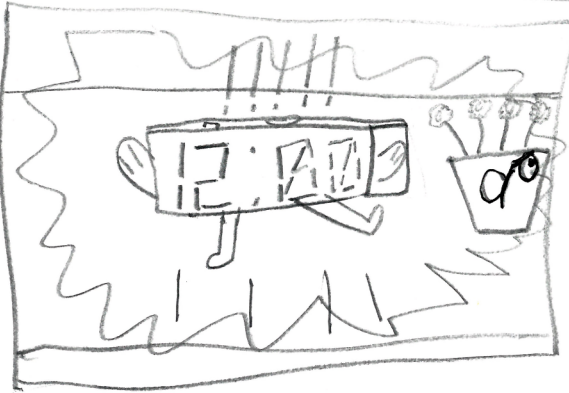
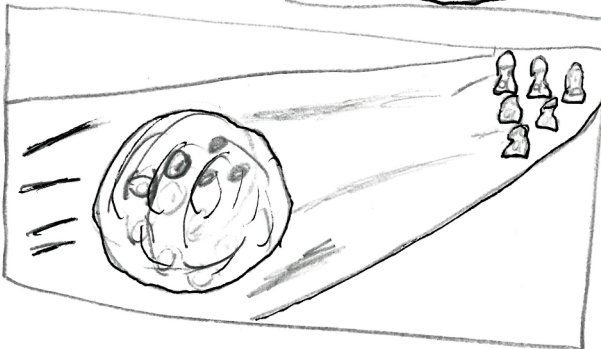
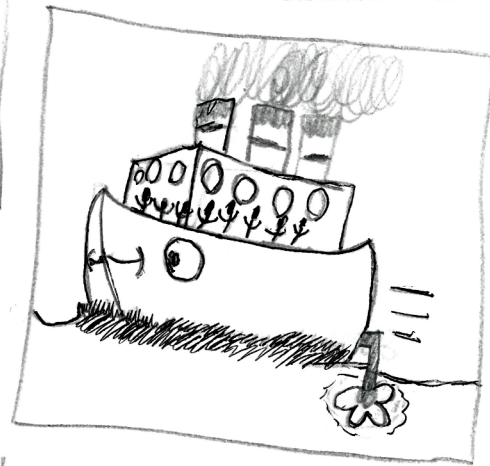
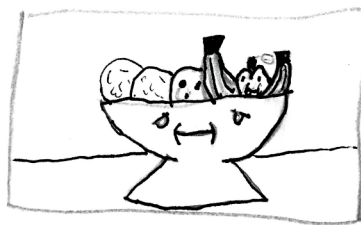
by Dylan S.



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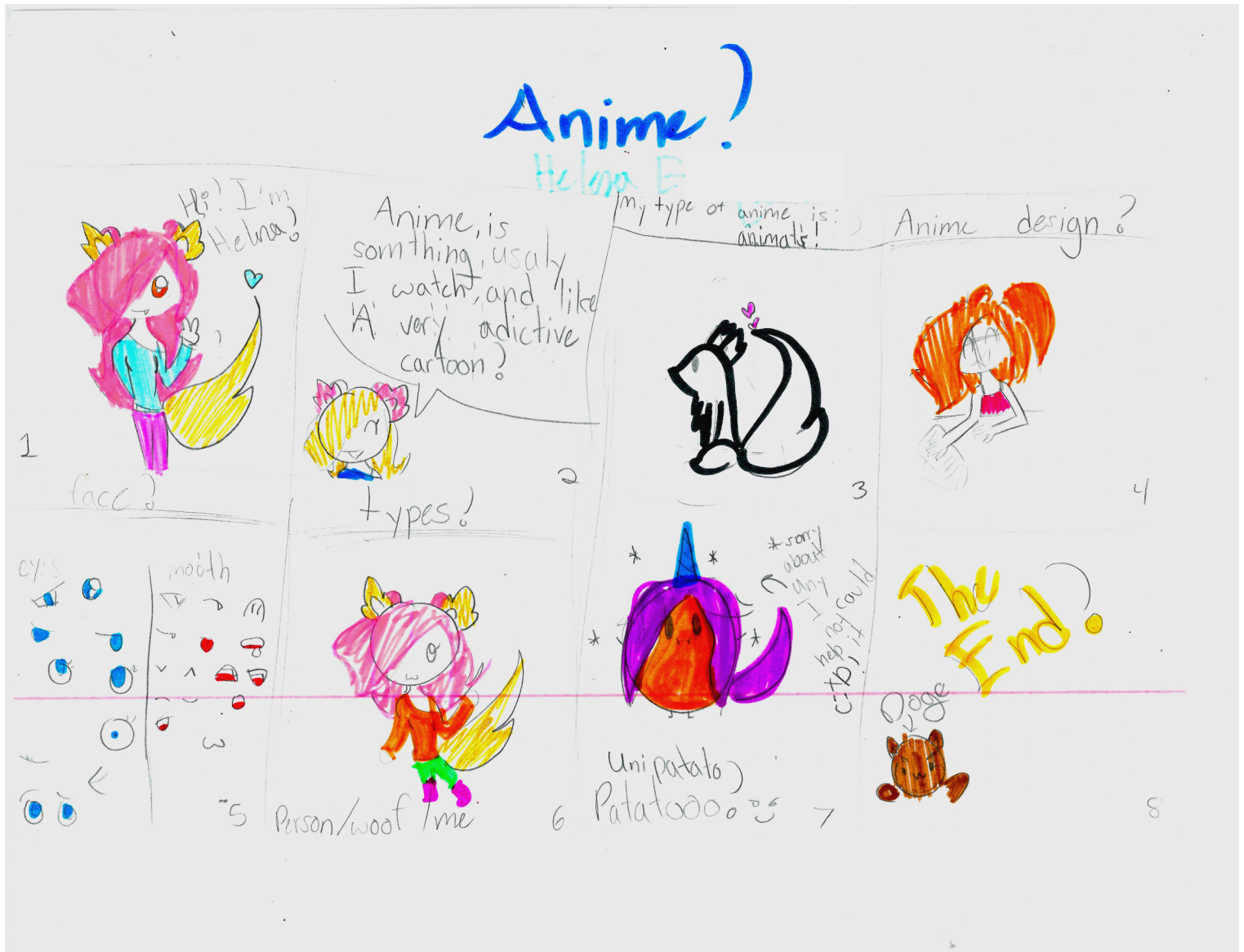
Things! By Eli Powell

Everythings ALIVE!?!?



The end

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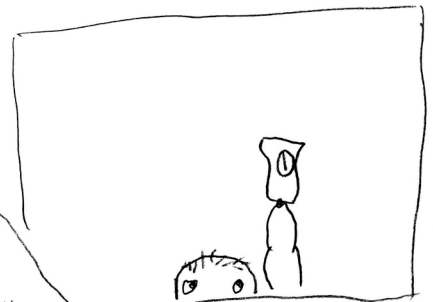
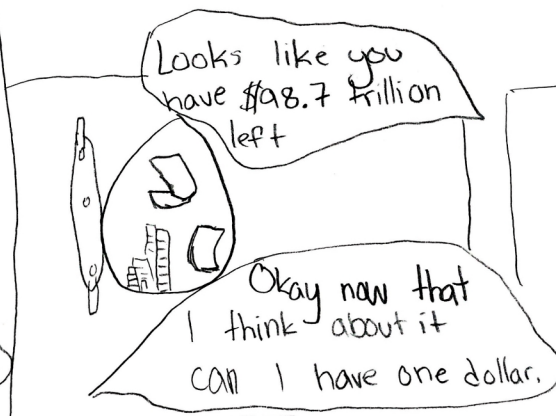
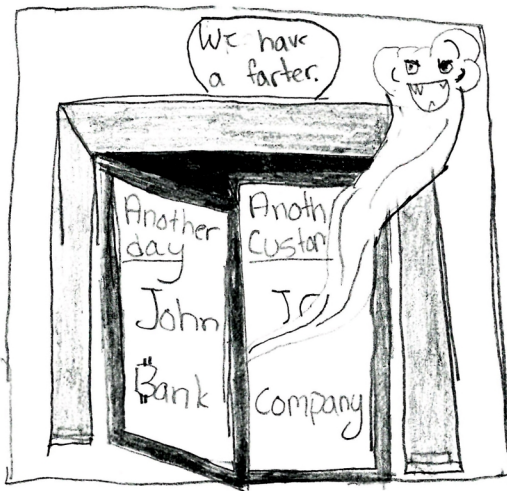


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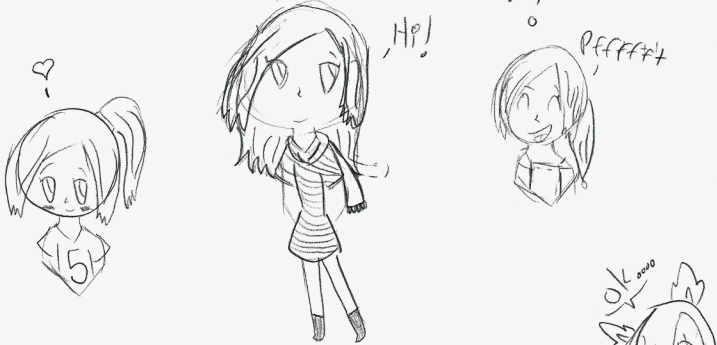
By: Kenny B.  
and  
Ian P.



Find the hidden symbols?

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Who's that teacher?  
by Helena E.



My favorite color is red  
2 years of teaching  
I usually wear a dress, scarf and  
Sometimes jersey  
My favorite animal is a Dog

Answer Mrs. Coffey

## CALENDAR

October 31 - Happy Halloween!

November 2 - Spring Ave Flying High Night, 7-10 pm

November 6 - District Institute Day, No School,  
Parent Teacher Conferences, 12-7 pm

November 7 - PTO Meeting, 8:40 am

November 9 - Kindergarten 50th Day of School  
Celebration, Spring Ave, 9-11 am

November 12 - Veteran's Day Celebrations

November 12-14 - Book Fair

November 14 - Parent Teacher Conferences, 4-7 pm

November 21-22 - Thanksgiving Holiday

December 17 - MK Character Day

## NEWSPAPER CLUB

Alexander A.	Arielle G.	Luca P.
Kenny B.	Bridget G.	Eli P.
Rachel B.	Porter G.	Ethan P.
Luka B.	Luke H.	Jenna P.
Daniela B.	Emma H.	Ian P.
Mireya B.	Seth H.	William P.
Simone B.	Max I.	Chris R.
Miles B.	Dylan J.	Carrie R.
Caroline C.	Tyler K.	Veda R.
Conor C.	Everett K.	Maddy S.
Reese C.	Karenna K.	Ava S.
Patrick C.	Caiden K.	Abigail S.
Zoe C.	Daniel K.	London SM
Jack C.	Brynn K.	Andy S.
Clara D.	Sophia K.	Dylan S.
Gavin D.	Ainsley L.	Camille S.
Helena E.	Jr L.	Reese T.
Molly E.	Bella M.	Emilee T.
Nora F.	Blake M.	Ethan W.
John F.	Nathan M.	Nathan W.
Hannah F.	Jack M.	
Dylan G.	Eve M.	

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