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Reading is The Key to Success

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The Scholastic Book Fair was held October 17th through 21st in room 209 for students and faculty to buy new books and accessories.

There were many books at the book fair. Students and teachers had a week to choose the books and accessories that they wanted. The book fair had a variety of books including short stories, chapter books, and even pop-up books. They had many genres including adventure, fiction, non-fiction, mystery, and many more. It was a Scholastic Book Fair that was sponsored by the PTO. It benefits all of the elementary classrooms, the library, Title 1, and MH.

A student in the first grade, Drew Theis, said, "I bought some Spongebob Sqaurepants books and some alien books because I like funny adventure books."

The book fair was open all week in room 209. New this year, however, was online shopping. All shoppers had to do was go to the book fair home page and shop. It was open a couple of days before the book fair started and a couple of days after the book fair ended. This was for the parents or teachers to order books for their



Drew Theis looks at a book at the Book Fair.

students or kids. It could have been used to buy them a book for Christmas because this way they wouldn't know about it. The online shopping was the same as buying books at the book fair, except there was an additional fee for those who chose to shop online.

Miss Alley said, "I like that the kids have a chance to see all of the genres there are. I also like how they have a preview of the book fair because this gives the students a chance to think about what they want before it's over."

There will be another book fair this year so students can go online and look up books that they would like so when the next book fair arrives they will know what they want to get.

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It's Fruit Season!

By: Floyd Bouillon
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On October 14, the FFA students began their fruit sales fundraiser which end on November 11.

FFA fruit sales are a fundraising event that provides for the activities which members are involved in. All members of the FFA will be involved in this fundraising event. Not all students are required to sell fruit, but it is highly recommended because all profits made from the sales go toward future events and activities like Greenhand Camp, farm science review, and many others. Students who sell more than 50 boxes of fruit receive a two dollar commission on every box. Also, the top selling class receives a pizza party at East of Chicago. Phillip Miller said, "I can't wait to start because the seniors are going to win and we are going to East of Chicago and I love that place."

The selling area of fruit is very broad, including several neighboring communities. There are many different types of fruit sold including several varieties of apples, oranges, and pears. The FFA advisors and fruit committee decided on what fruit to sell and at what price. The fruit committee consists of different

members who are selected by all the members at a meeting.

The fruit that is sold by FFA members is transported from Florida. FFA members package the fruit in smaller boxes, bags, or in fruit baskets. The fruit basket is a very good gift and many people around the community are pleased with it. Meghan Welly said, "People who buy the fruit baskets give them to employees and friends as a gift and they love it." The basket contains cheese, popcorn, small hard candies, apples, and oranges. The FFA members will sell until November 11, and around mid December the fruit will be packaged and given to the purchasers.



Matt Brodman selling fruit to Mr. Edgington.

Happy Halloween



Remembering Steve Jobs

By: Cody Kinn
Staff Writer

On October 5, Apple co-founder Steve Jobs passed away. He was 56 years old and lost the battle to pancreatic cancer that he had been fighting against for seven years. He leaves behind his wife, two children, and over 49,000 Apple employees according to Apple Inc.

For people that don't really know who Steve Jobs was, he was the man that created the iPod, iPad, Apple computers, and iPhone. Some people may think that technology will never be the same because of the loss of Steve Jobs, but the truth is that there will be no change. He was the man that created Apple Inc, but they are going to continue without him and look to make things better in the future. Brent Orians said, "I don't think technology will change that much, they still have over 50,000 people that know what their job is, and that job is to make Apple better."

Many teachers are receiving iPads this year to use in their classroom to help teach students. This could help keep focus throughout our students for the urge to learn, because many students would much rather use an iPad to learn than a book, or would rather learn by playing with an iPad rather than using a board. This encourages students to learn in a fun way. For example, Mr. Losey

said, "Some kids would rather do math problems on the iPad I have, rather than on the board." The reason for this is because iPads are more interesting to students than just doing the same old writing on the board. Technology is a very important part of teaching and you can see how our school is advancing because of the new items, like the iPad many teachers are receiving.

One of the most popular fun-learning games on the iPad is Angry Birds. It may not seem like an educational game, but it actually teaches you about angles and trajectories. There are many other learning games in the App Store. This is an advantage

We now have, because of Steve Jobs and his creations.



Mr. Losey teaches Collin Snyder how to use an iPad.

Jr. SPORTLIGHT

By: Trisha Smith
Staff Writer



Name: Caleb Welly

Nicknames: Welly

What sports do you participate in?: Cross-Country and Track

Favorite moment in sports history?: Getting 1st at Fremont

Favorite Quote: "Don't hate the player, hate the game."- Unknown

What professional athlete do you look up to?: Brandon Arbogast, John Zoller, Brad Zoller, Grant Lescallet

What would you like to accomplish this season?: Win the MAL in Cross-Country and Track

What inspires you to play sports?: Beating my brother and winning the MAL

What matchup are you looking forward to the most this year and why?: Seneca East in Cross-Country because they will be the ones we have to beat in order to gain the MAL title.

Name: Bailey Reinhart

Nicknames: Bay, Bae-Bee

What sports do you participate in?: Volleyball, Basketball, and Track

Favorite moment in sports history?: Tournaments at Old Fort

Favorite Quote: "Teamwork divides the task and multiplies the success"- Unknown

What professional athlete do you look up to?: Misty May Trainer

What would you like to accomplish this season?: Do great in tournaments!

What inspires you to play sports?: My friends

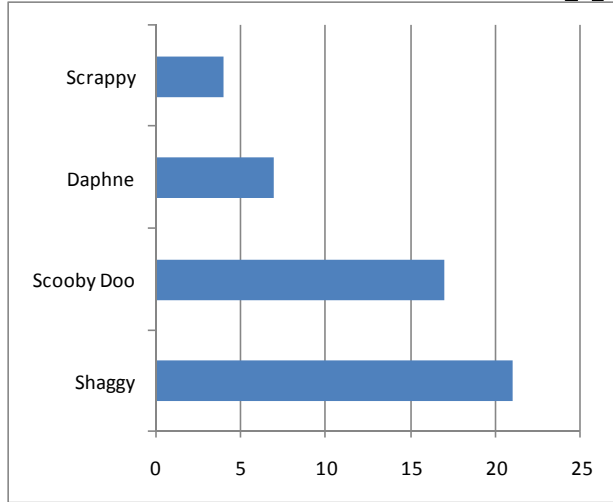
What matchup are you looking forward to the most this year and why?: Calvert because we want to beat them.

What is your favorite Scooby doo character?

By: Zach Arbogast
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Scooby Doo was one of the most popular cartoons in my childhood, so I wanted to see who was the most popular character. I made a student poll with the 4 best known characters: Shaggy, Daphne, Scrappy, and, of course, Scooby Doo.

Coming in first was Shaggy with 21 votes. Kyle Ink explained why he loved Shaggy so much, "because he can eat and eat and not gain an ounce." Scooby came in second with 17 votes. Levi Nye was asked why he liked Scooby and responded, "because he is a dog who can talk and solve mysteries!"



People on the Street

By Andrew Hohman
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Cassandra Acree and Ashley Mathias - "Something crazy awesome that will get the fans pumped up."

WHAT DO YOU THINK WOULD BE A GOOD THEME FOR THE VOLLEYBALL TEAM'S GAMES IN TOURNAMENTS?

Ryan Schalk - "Glitter Night. Who doesn't want to wear glitter?"



Rachel Reinhart - "Nerd night, that way I can pretend that I'm smart."



Josh Burns - "Farm animal night because animals are adorable."



Collin Snyder - "Colors of the Rainbow because colors make people happy."



Snack Time!

S'mores Brownies

For those of you that are looking to satisfy your sweet tooth, s'mores brownies are the way to go.

These brownies will also come in handy when you want to make some s'mores, but you just don't have that campfire to make them. Just follow the directions, put them in the oven to cook, and serve them at a party or just for fun. Your friends will definitely be asking for the recipe for themselves.

If there are any ingredients that you don't like then don't feel obliged to use them. These are made to your preferences so feel free to include or remove any of the ingredients that you want to.

One change to the recipe that I would recommend if you don't like milk chocolate would be to substitute the milk chocolate bars for dark chocolate bars if you like dark chocolate. One of the things that I added to the brownies was some melted caramel on top because I am a fan of caramel and I thought it would make them taste even more heavenly.



By Andrew Hohman
Staff Writer

Ingredients

- 1 box (1 lb 2.4 oz) Betty Crocker® Original Supreme Premium brownie mix
- Water, vegetable oil and egg called for on brownie mix box
- 2 cups miniature marshmallows
- 4 graham crackers, broken into small pieces
- 2 Hershey's® milk chocolate candy bars, broken into 1-inch squares

Directions

- Heat oven to 350°F (325°F for dark or nonstick pan). Make brownies as directed. After removing pan from oven, set oven to broil.
- Immediately sprinkle marshmallows and graham crackers over warm brownies. Broil about 4 to 5 inches from heat 30 to 60 seconds or until marshmallows are golden brown. (Watch carefully marshmallows and graham crackers will brown quickly.) Sprinkle with chocolate candy. To serve warm, cool about 30 minutes. For brownies, cut into 4 rows by 4 rows.

Fun Page

By: Trisha Smith
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Opitcal Illusion



Can you find the face?

Have you ever wondered why...

Why does a **CHEEZ-IT** have a hole in it?

Why doesn't glue stick to the inside of it's bottle?

Why is lemon juice mostly made of artificial ingredients but dish-washing liquid contains real lemons?

Why are there locks on the doors if a store is open 24 hours a day 365 days a year?

Why do you press the end button to turn on a cellphone?

Why are men's and women's shoe sizes different?

Why do they serve round pizzas in square boxes?

Fall Word Search

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Fall Words

Red Scarecrow Fall Harvest
 Frost Chestnut Rake Pumpkin
 Acorn Squirrel Yellow Foliage
 Orange Autumn Leaves



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"This would get me lots of candy 'cause I'd look really hungry."

Happy Halloween

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