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News from the Logan Elm Local School District

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Firefighters visit Washington Elementary

Mrs. Caldwell's kindergarten class and Mrs. Bennington's first grade class at Washington Elementary had an exciting visit by firefighters Greg Howard and Jordan Leasure from Station 13 Columbus Fire. Greg Howard is the grandfather of kindergartner Evelynn Ogle and first grader Brenna Ogle. During their visit, students were able to share what they already know about what to do during a fire emergency. Firefighter Greg reminded them to check their fire detectors and change the batteries, come up with a safe meeting place, and to memorize their home address in case they have to be the one to call 9-1-1.

One particular focus for this visit was for students to be aware of what a firefighter will look and sound like during a fire. This is important for the students to experience so that they won't be scared and hide in an emergency. Firefighter Jordan brought in all his gear and put it on for the students to see and even talked to them through his mask so students



would know what they sound like. Students were encouraged to share what they learned about fire safety with their families at home!

LEHS Student Wins National Leadership Award

Gracieanne Gray, a senior at Logan Elm High School, recently attended the "Town Meeting on Tomorrow" in St. Louis, Missouri. She was recognized at the awards ceremony as being one of the top 12 leaders at the conference. The "Town Meeting on Tomorrow" is a national conference sponsored by local chapter of the Council on Youth Leadership. Our local chapter, PCCYL, sponsors a trip for a representative from each of the five high schools in Pickaway County and PCCYL is the sole chapter in the state of Ohio. At this national conference, students enter into dialogue with proven adult leaders, broaden their horizons by interacting with youth leaders of



diverse backgrounds, enhance leadership skills with seminars by dynamic professionals and national political leaders, and enhance leadership skills with seminars by dynamic professionals and national political leaders.

We are very proud of Gracieanne and we are honored to call her a Brave!

McDowell Students Apply Math Skills to Water Quality Lesson

Katerina Sharp, Education/Outreach Coordinator for Pickaway County Soil and Water Conservation District, visited Traci Wilson's 8th grade math classrooms on October 25th.

Ms. Sharp led the students through a simulation activity to model how scientists determine water quality in streams and ponds. During the activity, students collected "debris" in their water sample and then applied mathematics skills to determine percentage of contaminants in the sample. Students learned about statistics and how scientists use math to analyze data collected "in the field". We are grateful for our community partners in education!







Salt Creek Intermediate School Shows Support for a Classmate

Recently, a Salt Creek student faced a challenge. When news of this challenge reached his peers, they wanted to show their support! Students and staff planned a Coin Collection Competition, Crazy Sock Day, and a Caps for a Cause day. These events lasted a week and impacted every individual in the building.

The Salt Creek Student Council helped lead the initiatives and promote the events. Every student contributed to this cause and rallied around one of their own. This event demonstrates the power of community, the power of the kindness, and more importantly the power of "Being A Brave!"



Thank You!

Thank you for reading the Logan Elm Schools e-Newsletter! We appreciate your interest in the students and activities of all Logan Elm schools!

Our e-newsletter is distributed on the second and fourth Friday of each month.

Pictured: Washington Elementary is proud to congratulate Eastyn Hartley and Allison Davy for winning ribbons in the Circleville Pumpkin Show Art Exhibit 2019. Eastyn Hartley, a first grade student, won a first place ribbon for her giant Wayne Thiebaud

