



Husky Headlines: Student Edition

A Newspaper for the Students of HPE

January Edition

February Jokes

By: Gavin Boor

Q: What did the stamp say to the envelope on Valentine's Day?
A: I'm stuck on you!

Q: What travels around the world but stays in one corner?
A: A stamp.

Q: Why is lettuce the most loving vegetable?
A: Because it's all heart.

Q: What do squirrels give for Valentine's Day?
A: Forget-me-nuts.

Q: What did one volcano say to the other?
A: I lava you.

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Synergize to keep the HPE love alive!!

Online Game

By: Joel Craven

<http://www.abcyah.com/minitrain.htm?scrlybrkr=6cac984b#>

Please click the link for a fun train game!

HPE HAPPENINGS

BY: LAUREN McCANN

My name is Lauren McCann and I am in Mr. Ritters 6th grade class. Happy Valentines Day! One of the big events coming up is the Valentine's Day party. I know a lot of you are looking forward to that! I

National School Counseling Week	5th-9th
Pancakes for Pops Breakfast	Saturday 10th
Early release	Friday 16th
National PTA Founders' Day	Saturday 17th
President's Day (no school)	Monday 19th
Valentine's Day	Wednesday 14th
Groundhog Day	Friday 2nd

Teaching Staff of The Month

By: Brooke Winkle and Reese

Mrs. Leonard

What is your favorite kind of food?

Mexican food

How did you choose to be a teacher?

I have wanted to be a teacher since I started elementary school.

What do you like to do for fun when you are not teaching?

I like to spend time with my family, watch the Royals, and take pictures.

When do you go on most of your trips if you do?

We spend a lot of time in the summer traveling as a family.

Do you like to go shopping?

I love to shop, especially at Target and IKEA.

What is your favorite color?

Pink

Mrs Taylor

What is your favorite color ?

bright orange

Who do you look up to?

My grandma Jane

What made you want to be a fourth grade teacher?

I worked with a Mrs. Flint's kindergarten class at Lee's Summit Elementary my senior in high school. I loved the class and

hope 6th grade has a fun time going on their field trip that day.

On February 10th, PTA is having their annual Pancake Breakfast. You guys should definitely be there for that!

The 2nd week of February is National School Counseling week. Let's give a big thanks to Ms. Gilbert for all that she teaches and helps us with.

Again, I hope you all have an amazing Valentines Day!

Sports Section

By Micah Dittmer

MU Tigers February Basketball Schedule

MU Tigers @ Mississippi 2/6/18

8:00pm

Mississippi State @ MU Tigers

2/10/18 1:00pm

Texas A&M @ MU Tigers 2/13/18

6:00pm

MU Tigers @ LSU 2/17/18 1:00pm

Mississippi @ MU Tigers 2/20/18

8:00pm

MU Tigers @ #21 Kentucky

2/24/18 TBD

MU Tigers @ Vanderbilt 2/27/18

6:00

Habit of the Month

By: Will Chuba

Oi, February, the wonderful and cold month of love! Though we are in elementary, there is yet another love for us to focus on - loving your friends and loving your family. It is important that we care for one another, and I, being the organizer of this section of the newspaper, will present it to you. The beloved Seven Habits.

"Oh, yay!" I hear you cheer.

"The Seven Habits have got me in good scenarios since I've learned about them! Tell me, Will, what loving knowledge do you have to share with us today to better our lives?"

Well, worry you not, with a new month comes another monthly habit to share, and this one shall be about Habit Six - Synergize. (Fun Fact - science proves that "synergize" is a very cool word. Just ask your science teacher!)

On a more serious note, this is probably one of the more important habits.

A Must Read Book

By: Will Chuba

Ah, February. Winter is becoming something that we're getting used to, and soon, it'll be over (and we'll all be drenched in water in spring instead). But with a new month comes new books, and so I appear, ready to help!

Minion by John David Anderson

Bad guys are supposed to be, well, bad, right? That is the standard in the world with superheroes for Michael Morn, who was born with a special type of power. However, in a town where there aren't any superheroes, what does he do with his mad scientist dad? And, another question, what does he do when a new hero named "The Comet" just pops up in town? Though this is a very grounded read, you won't regret it with its great characters and unforgettable story.

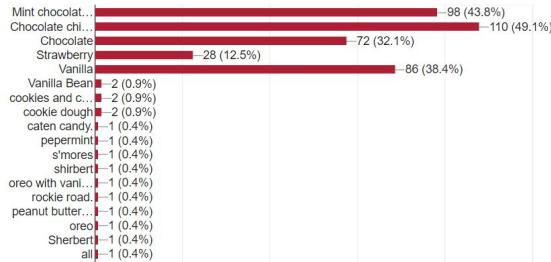
The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle

A caterpillar is hungry. No - the caterpillar is very hungry. So, he begins to look for some food in an awfully enjoyable and catchy fashion. Though its plot isn't the most daring, this one is a classic with heart, so if you're looking for a good picture book, *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* is where it is at.

Student Poll By: Jackson Reed

What are your favourite ice cream flavors?

224 responses



the relationship the teacher had with the students. I knew then that being a teacher was what I wanted to do.

Do you have any kids if so what are their names?

Kylie - 21 and a senior at K-State

Cole - 18 and a freshman at UCM

Chase - 15 and a freshman at LSW

How many years have you been a fourth grade teacher?

I have been a teacher for 25 years. I have taught 4th grade, 5th grade, and sixth grade.

What is your favorite book?

My favorite book is a book I use to read to my children, Where Do Balloons Go?

Congratulations Mrs. Taylor you are on of the teachers of the month!

FEBRUARY FUN FACTS

BY: JOHN SOUTHDARD

From Feb. 13 to 15, the Romans celebrated the feast of Lupercalia. There were two men – both named **Valentine**— They were honored by the Catholic Church with the celebration of St.

Valentine's Day. February has long been celebrated as a month of romance, and that **Valentine's Day**, as we know it today, contains parts of both Christian and Roman tradition.

"The **groundhog**" considered by them to be their ancestral grandfather. When German settlers arrived in the 1700s, they brought a tradition known as **Candlemas Day**, which has an early origin in the pagan celebration of Imbolc. It came at the half way between the Winter and the Spring."

www.stormfax.com/ghogday.htm

It's always good to take care of yourself, but if you can't get along with others, then what is the point? Synergizing is all about working with others to have a harmonic relationship.

Now, don't sit there, confused, wondering what the heck I'm talking about! We've been studying the 7 Habits for a *long* time, and you probably know this one. However, it might help if it's put in a scenario.

For example, a famous "what-if" scenario is if you're playing on a soccer team - or whatever sport you like, It may be basketball, soccer, or whatever you play, every team has a ball hog. It can be annoying, right?

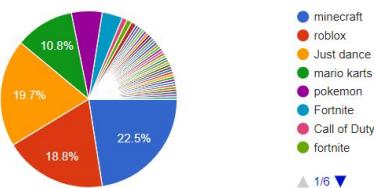
Well, don't fret, my dear students! Synergize was made to help with problems like this! Try team exercises, conversations, strategy planning - every tactic you make will draw the player closer to you! Eventually, you'll be an all-passing team!

Or, you can do it in general school. If there's this over-madeup mean girl who's making fun of you, try to understand her (unless she's just a jerk to be a jerk, in which case tell your teacher). After synergizing (hint, hint) with her, you can get along great!

Well, I've presented my knowledge. Best of luck to you all, HPE!

What's your favorite video game

213 responses

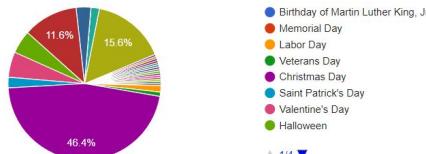


- minecraft
- roblox
- Just dance
- mario karts
- pokemon
- Fortnite
- Call of Duty
- fortnite

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What's your favorite holiday?

224 responses



- Birthday of Martin Luther King, Jr.
- Memorial Day
- Labor Day
- Veterans Day
- Christmas Day
- Saint Patrick's Day
- Valentine's Day
- Halloween

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Kid Friendly Recipes

By: Raymond Griffin

Slime:

<http://www.elmers.com/slime>

These brownie recipes will be great for kids to do with their parents!

<http://www.belgiansmaak.com/homemade-chocolate-brownies-easy-chocolate-brownie-recipe/>

SPECIAL AREA STAFF SPOTLIGHT

By: Kate Hagan

This month's Staff Spotlight is featuring Mrs. Everett. Very few people get to know Mrs. Everett very well. But now you'll be able to find out more about her in this article!

Mrs. Everett has been teaching for seventeen years. She had decided to be a gifted teacher nine years ago after teaching 4th through 6th grade when she decided that it was time for a change.

She decided to be a gifted teacher because "One of my really good friends taught gifted education and I was thrilled with the exciting curriculum she taught. I just thought that it was a good fit for me because of my interest in STEM," Mrs. Everett. Her friend, Wanda Harter, a former gifted teacher at Woodland and Sunset Valley inspired her to be a gifted teacher because she always told Mrs. Everett that she thought that she had a natural calling to teach gifted education because of her passion of teaching.

One fun fact about Mrs. Everett is that she loves spending time with her family and her three pet pups.

As a child, Mrs. Everett wanted to be a teacher when she grew up. Prior to teaching gifted education, she was worked for an airline for thirteen years, and also taught for eight years.

Well, that's the end of this article, so I hope you read the the next HPE Newspaper!

