



Husky Headlines: Student Edition

A Newspaper for the Students of HPE

April Edition

Student of the Month!

By: Riley Graham

Halie Winters!

Mrs. Swope's 3rd

What is your favorite color?

My favorite color is red.

Do you like the Chiefs of Royal?

I do not like either.

What is your favorite place to eat?

Red Robin.

What is your favorite video game or do you not play them?

Minecraft.

What is something that you are proud of that you have done at Highland Park?

Winning a poster award.

Alfonso Luna!

Mrs. Vaccaro's 2nd

Which do you like better the Royals or the Chiefs?

Royals.

What is your favorite place to eat?

Chipotle.

What is your favorite color?

Red.

Who is someone you look up to?

My Mom.

How has Highland Park helped you as a person?

It helps me learn.

What is your favorite show?

Power Rangers

What is your favorite book?

The Magic Tree House.

April 2018 Edition



April Calendar

By: Caleb Kramer & Garrett Miller

Paraprofessionals' Appreciation Day	April 4th
National Library Week	April 9-13th
Culver's Night: 5 PM-8 PM	April 18th
Field trip: 4th Grade to Jefferson city	April 19th
Administrative Professionals Day	April 25th
World Penguin Day	April 25th
Babe Ruth Day	April 27th
National Honesty Day	April 30th
6:30 PTA carnival	April 27th
Field trip 2nd grade going to Powell Gardens 8:50am	April 24th

Teaching Staff of The Month

By: Brooke Winkle and Reese

Mrs. Kasper

What is your favorite color?

Blue

What is your favorite day of the week?

Saturday

What is your biggest pet peeve?

Bare feet on the carpet

What is the most hardest thing you ever done?

Becoming a mom

What is your favorite board game?

Sorry

How many books have you read this month?

2 books

APRIL JOKES

By: JOHN SOUTHARD

Q: What kind of jewelry does the Easter Bunny wear?

A: 14 carrot gold!

Q: What happened when the Easter Bunny met the rabbit of his dreams?

A: They lived happily ever after!

Q: How does the Easter Bunny stay fit?

A: Egg-xercise!

Q: What do you call a rabbit that tells good jokes?

A: A funny bunny

<https://www.kidsplayandcreate.com/funny-easter-and-easter-bunny-jokes-for-kids/>

Online Game

By: Editor

<http://lol.disney.com/game/s/arcade-games>

Please click the link for a variety of online Disney games!

Habit of the Month

By: Will Chuba

Welp, the end of the year is coming near, so there's no need to fear or shed another tear. Just sear a smile onto your face and hear me out on yet another way to make your life all the more simple while eating a pear.

Okay, okay, I know "pear" doesn't rhyme but still listen to me.

Have you ever felt like the odd one out? The quiet one who nobody listens to? Or have you ever felt flat-out ignored, even when you try to bring up a brilliant idea? Well, listen to this habit that will forever change your life-

Find.

Your.

Voice.

No, I'm not saying that you can't talk, I'm talking about Habit 8, Find Your Voice. It' about not letting yourself be a doormat to those around you, even when you want to dig a hole, jump into a hole, and/or bury yourself into that hole and leave yourself to fossilize. It is always good to present your thoughts - when you think about, being quiet could be selfish.

For example, let's say you're put into a group for a project, and you have to all think of your own ideas. Your team's ideas are... mediocre at best. You have a great one, but since you don't really care, you decide to just go with the flow. Next thing you know, everyone in the group gets a P on their report card.

You see what's wrong with that?

You have all been gifted with a brilliant mind, but you don't use it if you don't find your voice! Use this knowledge to improve upon your lives, HPE!

A Must Read Book

By: Will Chuba

Hey, looks like we're nearing the end of the year! You must've read a ton of awesome books, right? Fantasy dragon tamers? Sci-fi space racers? Realistic fiction feminine drama?

The possibilities are endless!

...However, that makes it all the more hard to choose a good book. How do you choose between *The Magic Tree House* and *Goodnight Moon*? Or do you just read some *Harry Potter* and *Choose Your Adventure* books instead? Well, don't worry - I'm here to present some books that I hope you'll love!

Better Nate Than Never

by Tim Federle

When you live in a measly town, go to a school crawling with egotists and bullies, and have a best friend who you think has a crush on you, there are a lot of places to go wrong, Nate Foster can tell you that. However, when he's presented the opportunity of the lifetime for a musical masterpiece, he can't pass it up! Problem? He's going to have to directly disobey his parents to get there. With relatable characters, a cool plot, and a heart-wrenching plot twist, you better give this book a shot!

Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!

by Mo Willems

Silly pigeon, busses are for drivers! When an abnormally large, blue pigeon wants to drive the bus while the driver is away, it's up to you to tell him no! Be careful, though - this is one persistent pigeon! Get your strength together and stall him until the driver comes! With humor appealing to little kids and a simplistic story, you younger folk should definitely give this book a read!

April Fools Ideas For Kids

By: Raymond Griffin

<https://allfortheboys.com/home/2017/03/30/easy-april-fools-day-prank-ideas-kids.html>

SPECIAL AREA STAFF SPOTLIGHT

By: Kate Hagan

This month's Special Area Staff Spotlight is interviewing Mrs. Roberts. I hope you enjoy!

Mrs. Roberts has been teaching art at Highland Park for 20 years. Before she taught here in Lee's Summit, she taught at Oak Grove middle school and high school. This is her 30th year of teaching art. She started teaching because she thought that the best job in the world would be able to introduce others to art.

Her Pleasant Lea Junior High school teacher inspired her to start teaching art by introducing her to different forms of art and letting her experiment with different mediums and techniques. She said she loved the feeling of producing something that she was proud of. "That's the best part of being an art teacher, seeing a student's face when they are proud of something they have created," says Mrs. Roberts.

As a kid, she wanted to be an animal trainer for the movies.

She went to Border Star Elementary in Kansas City, Hazel Grove Elementary in Lee's Summit, Pleasant Lea Middle School, and Lee's Summit High School. Her favorite subject in school was art of course, but she also enjoyed social studies.

Two fun facts about Mrs. Roberts are that she knows how to trap a skunk without getting sprayed, and how many Nubian goats will fit in the back of a Honda minivan.

That's all for this month! I hope you will read the next Special Area Staff Spotlight!

Sports Section

By Micah Dittmer

[KC Royals 2018 April Schedule](#)

3 game series vs Chicago White Sox Dates 29,31,1

3 game series @ Detroit Tigers Dates 2,3,4

3 game series @ Cleveland Indians Dates 6,7,8

3 games series vs Seattle Mariners Dates 9,10,11

4 game series vs Los Angeles Angels Dates 12,13,14,15

3 game series @ Toronto Blue Jays Dates 16,17,18

3 game series @ Detroit Tigers Dates 20,21,22

2 game series vs Milwaukee Brewers Dates 24,25

4 game series vs Chicago White Sox Dates 26,27,28,29

3 game series @ Boston Red Sox Dates 30,1,2

HPE HAPPENINGS BY: LAUREN MCCANN

My name is Lauren McCann and I am in Mr. Ritter's 6th grade class. Many events are coming up this month! One of the ones I know I'm looking forward to, is the 3rd grade musical on April 12th.

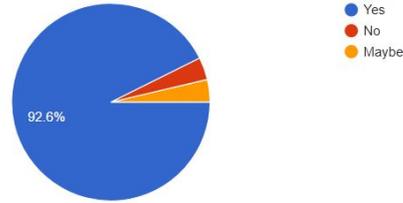
Talent show auditions are also coming up very soon. Auditions are on April 2nd and April 4th. The actual talent show is on May 1st.

5th and 6th grades Band and Orchestra concert is soon. I know you all are practicing really hard for this! Cavalcade for band is on April 24th, and Festival of Strings is on April 26th. Good Luck!

Student Poll By: Jackson Reed

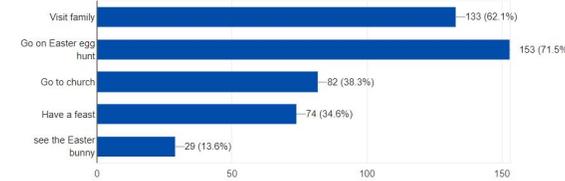
Do you celebrate Easter?

217 responses



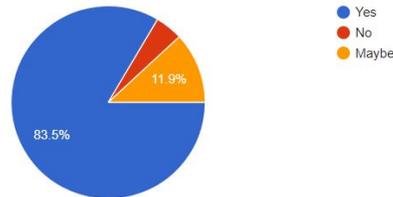
How do you celebrate Easter

214 responses



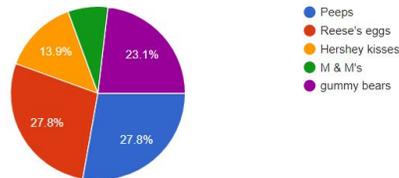
Do you like to go on Easter egg hunts?

218 responses



What's your favorite Easter treat

216 responses



Kid Friendly Recipes

By: Raymond Griffin

April Fools Recipes

<https://www.crazyforcrust.com/30-april-fools-day-recipes-for-kids/>

April Fools Cupcakes

<https://www.behappyanddogood.com/april-fools-cupcakes-youll-be-fooled/>

April Fools History By Alex Gerling

Historians have linked April Fools' Day to ancient festivals such as Hilaria, which was celebrated in Rome at the end of March and involved people dressing up in disguises. There's also speculation that April Fools' Day was tied to the vernal equinox, or first day of spring in the Northern Hemisphere, when Mother Nature fooled people with changing, unpredictable weather.

April Fools' Day spread throughout Britain during the 18th century. In Scotland, the tradition became a two-day event, starting with "hunting the gowk," in which people were sent on phony errands (gowk is a word for cuckoo bird, a symbol for fool) and followed by Tailie Day, which involved pranks played on people's derrieres, such as pinning fake tails or "kick me"

~This article was from the History Channel website

APRIL COMIC

BY: JOEL CRAVEN

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