

The Cub Image

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First Edition



Veterans Assembly

On the 7th of November at Tonasket Elementary School we had our Veterans Assembly. Veterans Day was on Friday, but we had the assembly on Tuesday. It was right in the elementary school gym. All the beautiful artwork was put on walls and down the halls. We had veterans in our audience along with parents. We also got to Skype with veterans in Iraq. A month ago the PTO put together a fundraiser to collect food and stuff for care packages to give to soldiers. So during the assembly we Skyped with the soldiers that they did the fundraiser for.

First grade sang "Way Up in the Sky" and "Old Glory". Second grade sang "America the Beautiful." Third grade sang "America," and 4th grade sang "God Bless the U.S.A." Fifth grade sang "This Land is Your Land." There was a group of 5th graders that did bells. They played the song "Grand Old Flag."

At the assembly, there were awards for a competition. They were for the 3 best displays in windows of businesses in Tonasket. Third place went to Mrs. Aitchison with \$25. Second went to Mrs. Huckaby with \$50. First place went to Mrs. Clark with \$100!

Local Vets

Darrel Hickman joined the Air Force. He served the majority of his time on the Philippine Islands. The best food he had in the Air Force was liver. What he didn't like was powdered eggs.



Frank Bell joined the Army. He spent the majority of the time in Special Forces. He liked everything he ate except for green eggs.





The fourth and fifth grade teachers read the book Wonder to their students. They got a private viewing at the Mirage Theater to watch the movie Wonder. A reporter named Katie Teachout came from the Gazette Tribune and interviewed some 4th and 5th grade students about Wonder. She asked them questions about the movie and the book. Two of the questions included "Who is your favorite character", and "Which precept meant the most to you?"

Mrs. Terris is the Tonasket Elementary School art teacher. The fourth and fifth grade teachers decided to ask Mrs. Terris if she could make a precept poster with the fourth and fifth grade students. So now the fourth and fifth grade pod walls are filled with so many precepts.

Here's a couple of precepts we enjoyed. "You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think!" by Christopher Robin (A. A. Milne) "Just be who you want to be, not what others want to see," by Unknown. "Let us always meet each other with a smile," by Mother Teresa. "Superheroes are made but heroes are born." by Antonio (Age 11). When It's dark be the one who turns on the light." by Joseph. And finally, from the book Wonder, "Between given the choice when being right and being kind choose kind," by Dr. Wayne Dyer.



Opinion Letters



Rio

If I could change one thing about our school it would be to have more P.E. I want to have more P.E. because I want to play more games.



Maycee

If I could change one thing about our school it would be I want everybody to be happy. I want that because people need to be happy.



Zosia

If I could change one thing about the school it would be for everybody to be nice. I would change that because then everyone would be nicer.



Cailee

If I could change one thing about our school it would be nice to other people. If people are getting bullied I would ask who bullied I will talk to the bully, and say will you stop being a bully because my friends are sad. I would change that because it is not fun.



Auylia

If I could change one thing about our school it would be to make everybody in the school nice because no one would get bullied.

Daniel

If I could change one thing about our school it would be to change the bad Cub Den to a good Cub Den. I would change that because no one likes the bad Cub Den.



Sadie

If I could change one thing about our school it would be to have specialists classes always every day, I would change that because we need more exercise.

Lizeth

If I could change one thing about our school it would be to change the cafeteria. I would change that because that is awful.

Meet Our Editorial Staff...

We are excited to publish this first edition of our new school newspaper! We invite students to submit poems, stories, or comics to the boxes marked "Newspaper" in each pod. Listen for our next deadline and our new topic for our opinion letters.

Mary Lu, Editor-in-Chief

Madisyn, Assistant Editor-in-Chief

John and Isabel, News Editors

Gus and Wyatt, Comic Editors

Jordyn, Story and Poem Editor

Ms. Olson, Mentor



Dear Daddy

By Alyx

Once upon a time there was a child whose father was in the war. She would always write to him, but he would never write back. Then one day he did,

*Dear daughter,
I miss you so much. I was in the battlefield,
so I couldn't write back. I've got to go now.
I love you,
xoxo
Love, Daddy*

She missed him so much. She wished he would have never gone into the army. Then one day a policeman came to her house.

"Sorry but your father was in a horrible accident and was injured very badly. He won't be able to make it."

"NO!" she cried.

She ran to her room sobbing, *hard*. Her mom came in and told her that she had a boyfriend, and that they were getting married!

She was so mad already, and then her mom told her that she had to be the flower girl! Then a few days later the police man came to her house and told her that they saved her dad and he would be okay. Her mom and *that guy* broke up and her mom and dad are getting back together!

The End



Comic By Gus and Madi

