

Diggs-Latham Elementary celebrates

Cinco de Mayo

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Last Friday, more than 100 students, parents and faculty members at Diggs-Latham Elementary School came together to celebrate Cinco de Mayo. During the celebration held inside the gym, students and parents dined on authentic Mexican cuisine while enjoying a number of performances designed to mark the joyous occasion.

Those in attendance were also treated to a short history lesson as well. While many believe Cinco de Mayo is the celebration of Mexico's independence, that is not true. The holiday celebrated on May 5 actually marks the day Mexican soldiers defeated a well-equipped French Army at the Battle of Puebla.

Photos by Tevin Stinson
A teacher at Diggs-Latham performs a number of songs during the Cinco de Mayo celebration held at the elementary school last week.



Third and fourth graders at Diggs-Latham Elementary school perform their rendition of the Mexican Hat Dance during the school's Cinco de Mayo celebration last Friday.



Students in Mrs. Guevar's first grade class perform during the Cinco de Mayo celebration held at Diggs-Latham Elementary on Friday, May 6.

Activities and events planned for National Bike Month

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Winston-Salem will celebrate National Bike Month in May with organized bike rides, films, Walk & Roll Winston-Salem, the Winston-Salem Cycling Classic, USA Cycling championships and more. Planned events include:

*For three Sundays beginning May 8, cyclists of all ages are invited to participate in the Winston-Salem Community Bike Ride for an 8- to 10-mile ride. The rides start at 3 p.m. at West End Coffee House, 390 N. Broad St.

*Every Tuesday and Thursday evening the Piedmont Flyers Bicycle Club invites cyclists to join them for road rides at 6 p.m. Find out more at PiedmontFlyers.com.

*Clemmons Bicycle Shop leads road rides from their shop every Monday and Wednesday at 6 p.m. Learn more

at www.clemmons-bicycle.com.

*Sherwood Forest Elementary is holding a Bike to School day on May 13.

*May 9 - 13 is Bike to Work Week. Workers with longer commutes are encouraged to try riding a portion of the way on PART or WSTA buses, which have bike racks.

*A/perture Cinema will hold two free screenings of bike-related films: "Wadjda" at 6:30 p.m. on May 16; and "Where the Trail Ends" at 6:30 p.m. May 26.

*A/perture will show a free bike-themed film at noon May 25 as part of the "What is a City" film & discussion series.

*The annual Ride of Silence to honor killed or injured cyclists will be held at 6:30 p.m. on May 18, leaving from Mock Orange Bikes, 492 West End Blvd. Police officers will set up rolling stops to give the riders the right of way at intersections.

Bike Month in Winston-Salem concludes with three national cycling events:

*The Volkswagen USA Cycling Masters & Para-Cycling Road National Championships will be held May 24-28.

*The Volkswagen USA Cycling Professional Road Race & Time Trial National Championships will be held May 28.

*The Winston-Salem Cycling Classic will be held May 29-30. More information about these events is available at USACycling.org and WinstonSalemCycling.com.

Bike Month is sponsored by the City of Winston-Salem, the Forsyth County Public Health Department, Active Routes to School Region 3, and Wake Forest Innovation Quarter. For more information call City Link 311 or go to CityofWS.org/BikeMonth.

WSSU FOOTBALL 2016 SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER

Sat. 10	at Catawba	6:00 PM
Sat. 17	VIRGINIA MILITARY COLLEGE	6:00 PM
Sat. 24	VIRGINIA STATE	6:00 PM

OCTOBER

Sat. 1	at Lincoln (Pa.) *	1:00 PM
Sat. 8	at Johnson C. Smith * ^	TBA
Sat. 15	at Wake Forest * ^	1:30 PM
Sat. 22	at Wake Forest * ^	1:30 PM
Sat. 29	at Shaw * ^	1:00 PM

NOVEMBER

Sat. 5	at Fayetteville St. * ^	1:00 PM
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* Conference
^ Division
Bold/Red: Home event

GO RAMS!

WSSU HOMECOMING 2016

SAVE THE DATE **10.15.16**

WSSU BASKETBALL CAMPS

Morning Session (2nd-5th grade)
June 27-29 | 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. | \$85

Afternoon Session (6th-8th grade)
June 27-29 | 12:30 - 4:30 p.m. | \$85

WSSU YOUTH FOOTBALL CAMP

6-13 years old
July 11-14 | 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. | \$100

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("Camps and Clinics")

WSSU FOOTBALL PROSPECT CAMPS

Session II | July 13 | 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. | \$30