

Sharon Elementary Earns School of Distinction Two Years in a Row



Linda Wilson/CITIZEN
SHARON SCHOOL PRINCIPAL Pam Stewart hands out a slice of "Big Blast Cake" to student Courtney Brown.



SHELLIE BROWN BROUGHT the cake in that she and her mother-in-law, Dottie Brown made for the school.

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AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK ended with a "Blast" at Sharon Elementary School, a Big Blast Cake that is. The cake was in honor of American Education Week and the fact that Sharon Elementary was named a School of Distinction. "We are very proud of our children and our staff and what they have accomplished," Principal Pam Stewart said.

The wedding-style cake was made and decorated in an American theme by Shellie and Dottie Brown. The four layer, red, white and blue cake was adorned with flags, stars and patriotic ribbons. "To make certain we had enough cake for every child, smaller cakes were decorated with School of Distinction on the top," Stewart said.

Not only did the school celebrate American Education Week, they also celebrated being named a North Carolina School of Distinction two

years in a row. "We are very proud of that honor and were very close to being named school of excellence this year," Stewart added.

"Iredell County had 14 schools of distinction and seven schools of excellence," said Kathy Davidson, executive director/public relations Iredell Statesville Schools. The schools are graded each year on growth and proficiency. To become a school of excellence 90 percent of students

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