

# Miss Howell's class joins the Great American Mail Race

On Jan. 5, Miss Howell's fifth grade class received a letter from Pine Valley Central School District in South Dayton, N.Y. The letter was from a fifth grade class in their elementary school asking us to join the Great American Mail Race. The letter told about their class, school, and ate. Enclosed in the letter was a personal letter from one of the students asking for a penpal. Miss Howell's class decided to join the race since they have been studying the United States.

Each student chose a state in which they would like to have a penpal and wrote letters to them. The class created a class letter to be sent with each student letter describing our school and county. The children are very excited about this project and are anxiously awaiting a return letter!

## Miss White's class

Miss White's class completed stories about Twas the Night after Christmas. Here are a few of

## Second graders pen resolutions

Happy New Year everybody from Hertford Grammar School! The students in Mrs. Hollis William's second grade class have written New Year's resolutions to share with you:

## Hertford Grammar Chalkdust

Compiled by school staff

Monica Midgett - I resolve to hold my head right when my mother combs my hair. I resolve to write my letters right.

Jessica Stokely - I resolve to be nice to my sister. I resolve to read a book everyday.

Allen Overton - I resolve to not call my big sister names. I resolve to make my handwriting great.

Tierra Jones - I resolve to be nice to my brother and sister named Antione and Lionera. To be nice to them I got to stop fighting them. I resolve to be good at my spelling and I will practice at home so I can make 100s and don't miss pass three or four words.

Heather Shuey - I resolve not to be mean to my sister and my brother. I resolve to do my homework. I resolve to do my handwriting. I resolve to listen to my teacher. I resolve to read. I resolve to not get up when my teacher's talking.

Casey Perry - I resolve to try not to get my name on the board. I resolve to read better.

Walter Herring - I resolve to do better spelling. I resolve to not get my name on the board. I resolve to do my homework.

Kelly Peckham - I resolve to practice the splits just about every day. And I resolve to try to get 100 on my spelling test about every Friday.

Jameson White - I resolve to draw some good pictures at home. I resolve to do good in math.

Cleofus Jennings - I resolve I will not fight my brother. I will not punch my sister, and I will mind my uncle. I resolve I will not get my name on the board.

Da'Shaun Sheard - I resolve to behave in the classroom. I resolve to practice my math.

## Health scholarships available

The Albemarle Hospital Volunteer Services, Inc. is accepting applications for Allied Health and Medical scholarships. Under the new guidelines adopted by the hospital volunteers, two \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded annually to full-time college students already admitted to a health field program. Included in such health fields would be physical therapy, nursing, speech pathology, sports medicine, and others closely related. One \$2,500 Medical Scholarship will be awarded to a student already admitted to medical school.

Both scholarships are offered to students from the five counties of Pasquotank, Dare, Currituck, Perquimans, and Camden.

Application forms may be obtained at the office of the Albemarle Hospital Volunteers, Inc. or by calling the director, Mrs. Anita Lamotte, at 331-4678. Deadline for applications is March 1.

## Central School Milestones

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### our masterpieces:

Amanda Drozdowski wrote - Twas the night after Christmas, and I lay in my bed. I lay very still, and nothing was said. I broke all my toys, every last one. This day after Christmas I wasn't having much fun. I wore out all

my new socks with holes in the toe. And my new walking doll, didn't even go. My stockings fell off the mantle, and my games fell to pieces. All I could save were a couple of reeses. It was such a horrid Christmas, but I guess that's what I get, for throwing my soda and getting mom all wet.

Marcy Walker wrote - Twas the night after Christmas when all through the house, everyone was asleep except a little mouse. He was crying and balling for he had gotten no toys, but he didn't understand he had lots of Christmas joys. He have laughed

and played and sang Christmas carols, he had even sent the poor mice food in barrels. He just didn't know why Santa Claus didn't come to see him, when all a sudden outside a light was very dim. The mouse jumped up from his bed, then he knew there was nothing to dread. It was his mom driving home from the store, and when she opened the door, toys came flowing out then more and more. He ran to his mom as she wiped his tears, then they went inside and he had no more fears.

### Students of the Week

The fifth grade Students of the Week were Ryan Monroe, Josiah McClenney, Delma Fletcher, Matt Perry, Heather Harris and Carrie Noell.

### P.E. Awards

The December Physical Education Award winners were:

Third grade - Mich'le Harris, Dillon Napier, Ebony Thatch, Wade Boyce, Lisa Lassiter, Lavon Miller, David W. West, Jessica Clauson, Bruce Park, Kelly Link, Candace Bonner, and Juston Tabor.

Fourth grade - Wesley Smith,

Taylor Lockamy, Brandon Winslow, Ashley Winslow, Jeremy Davenport, Sharla Muirll, Brian Griffin, Dana Pearce, Marvin Woodard, Laura Kelly, Amber Colson, and Aaron Foster.

Fifth grade - Devon Lee, Tabitha Warrenner, Kristen Winslow, Ryan Woodell, Charlene Wiggins, Aaron Maupin, Robert Byrum, Elonda Copeland, Chris Weatherington, Sharnae Brickous, Amanda Drozdowski, and Jason Rountree.

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