

Student Sarah Anderson makes sure Principal Sherrill Toney gets thoroughly soaked in the dunking booth during West School's recent celebration of the success of its Accelerated Reading Program.

West celebrates reading success

third, fourth and fifth graders have Bennett, Matthew Echols, Nathan participated in a new reading program called the Accelerated Reader. The objective was to read as many library books as possible, to pass a computer generated test on each book read, and to earn points for each test passed.

As students earned points they were rewarded with buttons, ice cream, hats, and the opportunity to go out and play putt putt and eat pizza if they made the Principal's Club. In order to make the Principal's Club, students had to earn a minimum of 75 points.

A total of 24 students made the Principal's Club and were rewarded Because of making the goal all with a trip to play putt putt on May members of the Principal's Club 25. Students making the club were Chasity Parker, Miles Summerrow, Brian Davison, Annie Phanthalack, Renee Hamrick, Lindsey Gaffney, Leah Hall, Lee Owensby, Maegan Spicer, Toney Bryant, Brandon McClain, Drew Neisler, Lindsay dunked many times.

Since November West School's Betler, David Phanareth, Chris Carpenter, Virginia Neisler, Katie Bennett, David Moschler, Stephanie Rikard, Ian Blanton, Nicole Baliles and Erica Odems.

In addition to the third, fourth and fifth graders, second and third graders were allowed to participate beginning in March. They did so well that two of the second graders. Erica Odems and Matthew Echols, earned enough points to make the Principal's Club.

The program was a huge success. Students more than doubled the school's goal of 3,000 points with a final point total of 8,390. and at least 24 other children were given the opportunity to participate in dunking the principal on May 20. All students had a great time watching the dunking, and Principal Sherrill Toney was

Honor rolls announced at West Elementary

West Elementary School has announced its honor rolls for the fourth nine weeks grading period.

A honor roll - Virginia Neisler. Hunter Gaffney, Casey Hord, Wendy Barnett, Elizabeth Logan, Heather Black, Stephanie Edwards, Claire Bagwell, Jada Bickley, Meghann Childers, Annie Phanthalack, Katie Bennett, Matt Brown, Rebekah Miller, Mandy Rhyne, Catherine Gordon, Jonathan Lowrance, Chasity Parker, Cati Tate, Chris Haynes, Jesse Moschler, Amy Montgomery, Justin Bolen, James Clark, Maegan Spicer, Nathan Carpenter, Tyler McDaniel, Miles Summerrow, Lindsay Betler, Diana Falls, Drew Neisler, Christy Burgess, David Moschler, Chris Bennett, David Phannareth, Lindsey Gaffney.

A-B honor roll - Brandi Huskey, Mindy Proctor, Kimberly Jackson, Amanda Lawson, Tony Bryant, Ratana Noinara, Stephanie Short, Matthew Simpson, Deana Clark, Ricky Himpraphanh, Aaron Courson, Jacob Whiteside, Ashley Cooke, Nicholas Curry, David Creighton, Clint Edmunds, Jodie Baity, Vernnina Gregory, Amber Poole, Tyler Falls, Stephanie Rikard, Sundee Shipman, Sarah Anderson, Leah Hall, Anna Ramey, Ian Blanton, Ben McDaniel.

Year A honor roll - Virginia Neisler, Hunter Gaffney, Heather Black, Wendy Barnette, Elizabeth Logan, Kimberly Jackson, Stephanie Edwards, Anthony

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Bethware holds Awards Day

Bethware Elementary School re-cently held Awards Day for the 1993-94 school year. The following awards were presented:

Anthony's K:

Perfect attendance - Timmy Queen; excellence in math, Christopher Rice; excellence in language-arts, Krystal Proctor; excellence in penmanship, Jamion Holland; Good Citizen of the Year, Matthew Walker, Kristen Proctor; best all around, Kala Buchanan, Marquiz Norris; most improved, Eric Greene; most dependable, Shelby Gibson's K:

Perfect attendance, Kristyn Funderburke; excellence in math, Zach Putnam; excellence in reading, Lacey Black, Kelsey Deaton, Andrew Bunch, Kristyn Funderburke; Michael Yarbro; excellence in penmanship, Nikkie Summitt, Andrew Bunch; Good Citizen of the Year, Kristyn Funderburke, Michael Yarbro; best all around, Brittney Thornburg; Most improved, Johnny Malaythong, Sheldon Crockett, Kenneth Young. Webb's K:

Perfect attendance, Melissa Weston, Junior Ruff; excellence in penmanship, Rono Soutthanirasay, Davina Boulware; Good Citizen of the Year, Joe Shull, Angel Smith; best all around, Trey Glass; most improved, Demarius Grier, Stacy Raborn.

Wright's K: Perfect attendance, Alan Heinbach; excellence in penmanship, Johnathan Chase Bridges, Tiffany Elaine Shockley, Jessica Diane Bell, Katie Lauren Bell, Ashley Nicole Bell, Casey Nicholaus Burris, Deidra Donnera Addison, Mary Victoria Hayes; Good Citizen of the Year, Shannon Brooke Jones, Deidra Donnera Addison; most improved, Casey Nicholaus Burris, Tracy Irene Raborn.

Hughes' first: Perfect attendance, Brad Bell, Matthew Blanton, Jeffrey McSwain; excellence in math, Aaron Pullen, Jeffrey McSwain; excellence in reading, Lindsay Newton, Justin Weaver; excellence in oral reading, Chris Byers; excellence in penmanship, Chantia Patterson, Angel Simmons; excellence in creative writing, Lacey Pearson, April Smith; Good Citizen of the Year, Sara Caulder, Joshua Worthy; most improved in reading, Tyler Harris, Brad

Perfect attendance, Michelle Ray, Bradley Smith; excellence in math, Kennong Grigg, Megan Wright; excellence in reading, Megan Clark, Alex Dahl; excellence in penmanship, Christopher Patrick, Ashley Pilkington; excellence in creative writing, Van Justin Bruner, Stewart Livsie; Good Citizen of the Year, Alex Dahl, Patricia Avery; most improved, Audrey Stark, Bradley Smith.

Williams' first: Excellence in math, Kimberly Houser, Drew Jackson, Nicole Warren; excellence in reading, Jennifer Greene, Jill Patterson, Todd Summitt; excellence in penmanship, Joshua Hendricks; excellence in creative writing, Ashley Blanton, Todd Summitt; Good Citizen of the Year, Jill

Patterson, Chad Wishon; most improved in reading, Alycia Jordan, Holland Horn, Chad Wishon.

Wyte's first: Perfect attendance, Beverly Harris; excellence in math, Mary Leigh Caldwell; excellence in reading, Brian Clark; excellence in penmanship, Paul Thomas Harrill; Good Citizen of the Year, Christopher Allgeyer, Tiffany Severt; most improved, Christopher Phillips.

Clark's second:

Perfect attendance, Chad Morgan; excellence in math, Kyle Tanner, Brandon Hendricks; excellence in reading, Ashley McDaniel, Dustin Calvert; excellence in science, John McKinney; excellence in penmanship, Chad Morgan, Ashley McDaniel; excellence in creative writing, Richelle Stroupe; excellence in spelling, Maria Peralta; Good Citizen of the Year,



A pink dogwood tree was planted at Bethware School Monday in memory of former fifth grader Jamey Hunt, who died May 7 of brain cancer. The Bethware PTO also presented a check for over \$5,000 to the family, proceeds from a recent fundraiser. Left to right, Jean Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hunt, parents of Jamey, Chris Dahl, Debbie Dye, PTO president, Principal Hugh Holland, Dr. Chip Sloan, B. S. Peeler, Terri Byrd and Lucy Pasquier.

Students plant tree in memory of Jamey Hunt

Her friends at Bethware School paused Monday on Memorial Day to remember the life of a brave little girl whose untimely death at the age of 10 will be remembered when they watch the growth of a new pink dogwood tree they plant- and Mink, entertainers for the speed on the lawn.

because of her love for family, school and people.

memorial service after which a of Jamey. pink dogwood tree was planted on the lawn.

Jessica Spiering, Chad Morgan; best all

around, Ashley McDaniel, Brandon

Hendricks; most improved, Raquel

Perfect attendance, Brandon

Bridges, Kasey Sizemore; Excellence

in math, Tiffany Bridges, Brad Deaton;

excellence in reading, Lauren Dye,

Drew Gibson; excellence in science,

Richard Champion; excellence in pen-

manship, Kasey Sizemore, Tina

Soutthanirasay; excellence in creative

writing, Lauren Dye, Cody Smart;

Good Citizen of the Year, Jackie Jarvis,

Zac Howell; most improved, Andrew

Perfect attendance, Richie Griffin,

Colby Wollak, Peter Watson, Kristin

Chapman, Jessica Griggs, Megan

Arrowood, Rodger Bolton; excellence

in math, Chris Ashe; excellence in

reading, Shannon Crockett, Megan

Arrowood, Kristi Hilliard; excellence

in spelling, Isaac Hill; excellence in

penmanship, Richie Griffin; Good

Citizen of the Year, Jennifer Henson:

best all around, Orlando Curry; most

Perfect attendance, Cedric Hunter,

Jason Anderson; excellence in math,

Holly Evans, Mason Dixon; excellence

in language arts, Courtney Osteen; ex-

cellence in science, Pam Randall; ex-

cellence in social studies, Jordan Crisp;

excellence in penmanship, Jason

Anderson, Matthew Briton; Good

Citizen of the Year, Melissa Gray; most

improved in mathematics, Haley

Hopson; most improved in reading,

Jason Anderson; most improved stu-

improved, Curtis Burleson.

Blanton's third:

elsh, Danielle Lewis.

Elmore's second:

Lovelace's second:

Bethware PTO, also took the occasion to present a check for \$5,582 to the Hunt family, the proceeds from a recent fundraiser for Jamey. Dye said that the Rogers Sisters cial event, donated their time and Jamey Hunt was remembered talents for the hot dog supper planned by PTO members.

Dr. Chip Sloan, pastor of First one for their love and support," Baptist Church, conducted a brief said Cathy and Jim Hunt, parents

Also present for the tree-planting ceremonies were Hospice nurs-

dent, Jamie Wilson.

Hambright's third:

Debbie Dye, president of the es, B. S. Peeler, representing the Kings Mountain Board of Education, Jamey's teachers and Bethware Principal Hugh Holland.

Jamey, a fifth grader, was suddenly stricken in October with brain stem glioma, an inoperable brain tumor.

Jamey celebrated her 10th birthday February 20-27 with her parents and her sister, Amanda, on a Disney World Cruise, a gift from the Make a Wish Foundation. The week after the trip her condition

'We are very grateful to everyworsened. Jamey died May 7.

Perfect attendance, Tyler Allen,

Matt Frazier, Danielle Miller; excellence in math, Danielle Miller; excellence in reading, Daniel Rounds; excellence in science, Matt Frazier; excellence in social studies, Ross Ellis; excellence in creative writing, Chasity Wynnberry; excellence in health, Tyler Allen; Good Citizen of the Year, Misty Young, Drew Yarbrough; best all around, Erin Dover, Brooks Tate. McIntyre's third:

Perfect attendance, Sloan Whetstine, James Biddix, Katie Lemmond; excellence in math, Candias McClain; excellence in reading, Amy Robinson, Sedrick Young; excellence in science, Chris Black; excellence in social studies, Adam Morgan; excellence in penmanship, Tyrone McKinney; Good Citizen of the Year, Katie Lemond, Jeffrey Harris; best all around, Amanda Snyder; most improved, Shawn Heath. Bennett's fourth:

Perfect attendance, Michael Adams, Eric Anthony, Matt Williams, Ashley Miller; excellence in math, Trent Hopper; excellence in reading, Leah Clark; excellence in science, Lane Echols; excellence in social studies, Justin Bell; excellence in penmanship, Michael Adams; excellence in creative writing, Michael Ormsby; Good Citizen of the Year, Ashley Miller; best all around, Susan Mayes.

Kiser's fourth:

Perfect attendance, Brian Adams; excellence in math, Ashley Hamrick; excellence in reading, Jennifer Page; excellence in social studies, Justin

Clark, Justin Boheler; excellence in penmanship, Sherrica Cole, Lane Tindall; Good Citizen of the Year, Brenda Allgeyer; best all around, Alecia Dahl; most improved in communication skills, Crystal Beatty.

McDowell's fourth: Perfect attendance, Crystal Dixon. Cindy Mabe, Isha Simmons: excellence in math, Crystal Dixon, Michael Lail; excellence in science, Amber Kiser, Crystal Dixon; excellence in social studies, Kristie Jones, Christin Moore; excellence in penmanship, Chad Bridges, Cindy Mabe; excellence in health, Christin Moore, Isha Simmons; excellence in communication skills, Amber Kiser, Elena Thompson; Good Citizen of the Year, Arthur Young, Isha Simmons; best all around, Kristie Jones, Steven Blanton; most improved, Brandon Gist, Lindsay Farnsworth; most athletic, Steven

Blanton, Lindsay Farnsworth. Voorhees' fourth:

Perfect attendance, Marybeth Bell, Charles Pruitt, Jennifer Scism, Heather Thompson, Patrick Harris; excellence in math, Renaldo Tate, B.J. Boles; excellence in reading, Marybeth Bell, Heather Thompson; excellence in science, Charles Pruitt; Good Citizen of the Year, Brandon Roberts; best all around, Jennifer Scism; most improved, John Smith. Allen's fifth:

Perfect attendance, Che Bell, Adam Blanton, Matt Bridges, Alan Gibson, Brock McDonald; excellence in math, Beth Bumgardner, Matt Bridges; excellence in reading, Alan Gibson, Emily

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WEST TERRIFIC KIDS - These students were chosen Terrific Kids at West School four the fourth nine weeks grading period. Front row, left to right, William Moore, Chasity Benningfield, Scott Carrigan, Kathlene Miller, Brandi Davis, Ryan Burton. Second row, Mary McDaniel, Donald Perry, Yuuki Nishiyama, Kelly Mattox, Tyler Leach, Russ Putnam and Mrs. Helen Hatch of the Kings Mountain Kiwanis Club.



TERRIFIC KIDS - These students were chosen Terrific Kids for the final nine weeks grading period at WEst School. Front row, Dejuan Jones, Amy Montgomery, Ross Roberts, Rebekah Miller, Stephanie Edwards, Anthony Burgess. Back row, Anna Ramey, Steven Baxter, Melissa Carroll, Amber Poole, Cody Lange, Miles Summerrow, and Mrs. Helen Hatch of the sponsoring Kings Mountain Kiwanis Club.