

## NASHVILLE #49 SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTES

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As we quickly enter into the final quarter of the 2019-2020 school year, I wanted to pass along some updates and reminders for Nashville #49. If anyone has questions or needs additional information regarding these updates, please feel free to contact me at school.

At this time, we have used three emergency days this school year. If no additional emergency days are used, May 19 would be the final day of student attendance with an early dismissal time of 11:30 AM. Additionally, the 8th grade graduation ceremony will take place on Friday, May 15 at 7:00 PM in the Primary School gymnasium. If additional emergency days need to be used, these dates may need to change. Additionally, the 2020-2021 calendar has been adopted and can be found on our website at [www.nashville49.org](http://www.nashville49.org).

As a reminder, the State of Illinois testing window is also quickly approaching. Our students in grades 3-8 will take the Illinois Assessment of Readiness beginning in late March. Please note that all of our 3rd -8th grade students will be taking their tests online this year as required by the state. Additionally, our 5th and 8th grade students are also required to take the Illinois Science Assessment again this year and it will be administered as an online test during this same testing window.

Nashville #49 is again offering two days of pre-school screenings this year. The screening dates for this year are April 2 from 12:00 PM-7:00 PM and April 3 from 8:00 AM-12:00 PM. Appointments can be made by contacting Mrs. Jenny Schuette at 618-327-3055.

Kindergarten registration for the 2020-2021 school year is also already scheduled and will take place on March 16 from 7:30 AM-5:30 PM. All families who have a child eligible for kindergarten next year can come to school at any time during this time frame. If you have any questions about kindergarten registration, please contact the Primary School office at 618-327-4304.

I hope that everyone continues to have a great school year. If you need anything prior to the end of the year, please contact us at school.

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# Pre-K Grandparent's Day



Happy  
Grandparents  
Day

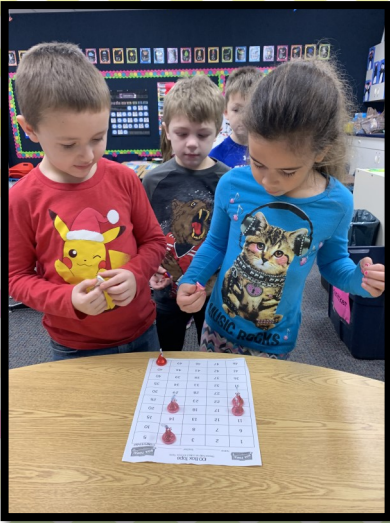




# Kindergarten - Mrs. Schnitzer



Kindergarten had a great time celebrating 100 Days of School! They started the day by going on an 100 Missing Hershey's Kiss Hunt. Later in the day, they participated in many 100 Day Activities. They created an 100 Gumball Art Activity, made an 100 Bead Necklace, counted by 10s to 100 to make an ice cream cone, made 100 Fingerprints, and rolled the dice to 100. They also compared their 100 items that they brought from home and made an 100 item snack!

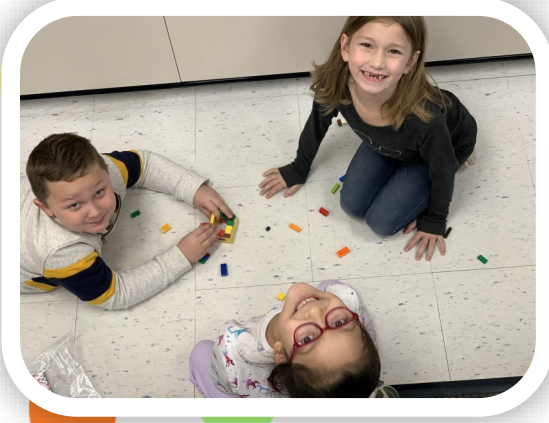
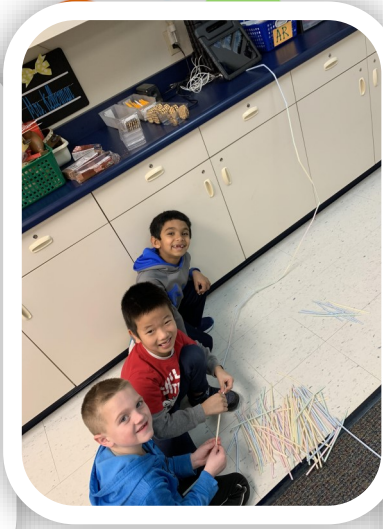




# First Grade's 100th Day of School



## HOORAY!





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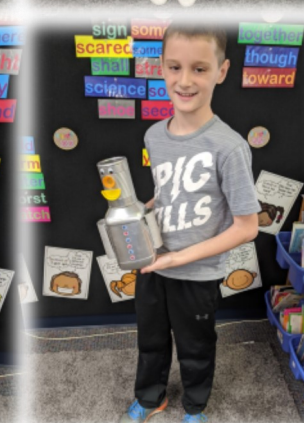




# 2nd Grade - Mrs. Suedmeyer

The 2nd Grade Class recently read a story called "Pearl and Wagner" which is about two good friends who work together to make a robot. The students were asked to find things around their house they could recycle to make a robot.

Here are their "Trash to Treasure" robots!





# 2nd Grade - Mrs. Neuhaus

Students in Mrs. Neuhaus' 2nd Grade Classroom read a story about two friends who worked together to make a trash-eating robot for their school science fair. The class discussed how easy and fun it would be to make a pretend robot at home by recycling objects they already had on hand. It was a fun and exciting challenge to see what families could come up with! Everyone succeeded in making a "Trash to Treasure" robot, and they brought their very unique creations to school to share with classmates and friends in other 1st and 2nd Grade Classrooms.



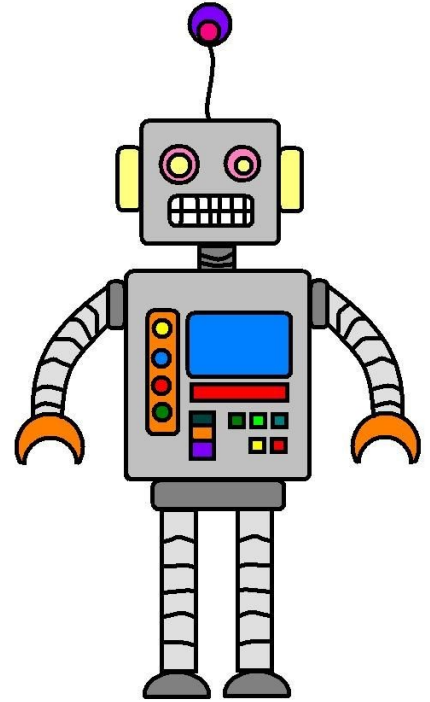


# 2nd Grade - Mrs. Meade

## Robot Inventors

Mrs. M.'s Second Graders made robots as part of their Creativity Unit.

This unit included ways scientists,  
inventors, and engineers use creativity in their  
jobs!



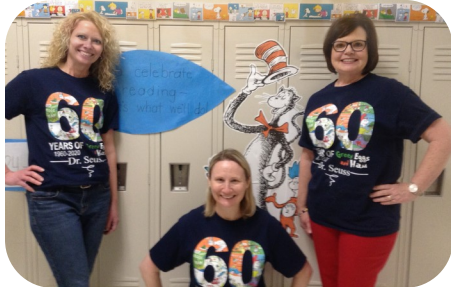
The 2nd Quarter Non-Detention Activity was a Pajama & Game Day!





# Read Across America

## Dr. Seuss Week





# 3rd Grade ~ Mrs. Williamson



Read Across America  
2020  
Ms. Williamson's Class

Stripes



Wacky  
Wednesday



Zoo  
Animals



Suessstastic  
Colors



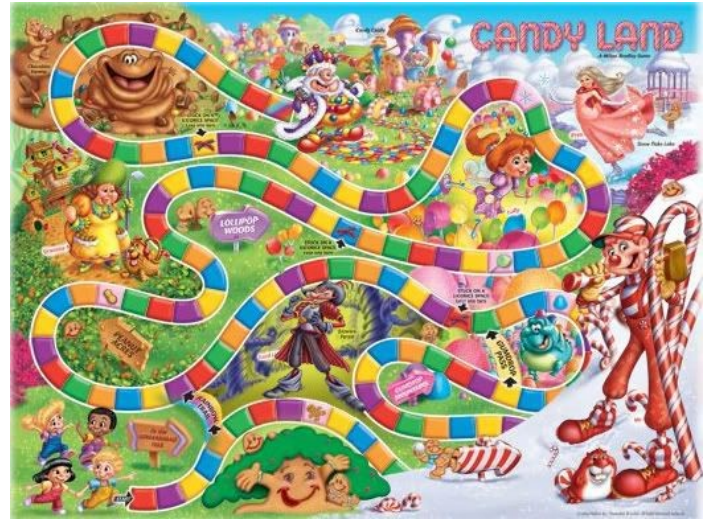
Grinchy  
Green





# Mrs. Dahncke

**On February 11th and 12th,  
Mrs. Dahncke's classes had a  
great time practicing their  
reading skills on a  
room-sized Candyland game.**





# TeamQuest



Our third and fourth grade team was made up of Rylee Habbe, Addison Harre, Rigden Senior, and Ryker Flack. This year's competition theme was "Going Green". The students competed against 37 other teams in the categories of Engineering, Creativity, Music, Math, and Trivia. The students engineered a recycle bin that could hold recycled paper, plastic, and aluminum. They created a company name and slogan to go along with it. They later created a billboard for their company and a mascot puppet! They also had to identify trees by their leaves or seeds. **The 3rd/4th grade team won 4th place and qualified for the regional competition later this school year!**





# FRIDAY PHYSICAL EDUCATION RUN

## 4<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Physical Education – Coach Finke

The 4th, 6th and 8th grade Physical Education classes have been running every two Fridays out of three, since the beginning of school. Students run for a period of 9 minutes and try to accumulate as many laps as possible during that time. Students receive a token for every 5 miles they complete individually. The students have been doing a great job each week. Below is the total number of laps and miles each of these classes have accomplished for the year.

4th – 11,872 Laps / 624.8 Miles

6th – 14,390 Laps / 757.4 Miles

8th – 17,734 Laps / 933.4 Miles

Great Job Students!



## K-3rd, 5th, & 7th Grade Physical Education – Mrs. Cruser

### Third Quarter News

**Kindergarten through third grade students worked on increasing their ambidexterity through cup stacking. Kindergarten focused on using both hands to accomplish the basic three stack. The older students were challenged with the six stack and different stacking sequences. The students were also introduced to the five components of physical fitness. We discussed healthy living choices, while also becoming familiar with the idea of physical fitness. In the fourth quarter we will focus on jump roping skills, striking skills, and a variety of other activities.**

### Fifth and Seventh Grade News

**In this quarter our main activity was volleyball. Fifth and seventh grade students were taught the basics of the sport, but keeping the main focus on being active. At the end of our unit we had a team tournament. Pictured below are our first and second place teams. Our main focus for the fourth quarter will be FitnessGram testing. The students overall fitness will be tested with a series of test. The students will be given fitness reports to share with you at home upon completion of the tests.**

#### 7th Grade

1st Place - Samuel Kollbaum, Griffin Briles, Isaac Blazier, Denver Thompson, Peirson Krewinghaus, and not pictured Hayden Klingeman

2nd Place – Ally Jones, Sawyer Price, Marcus Bartolotta, Matthew Bielong,

#### 5th Grade

1st Place – Kenlee Schoenberg, Khloe Hollowell, Carson Seaton, Teddy, Ferrell, Jack Shubert

2nd Place- Rachael Staley, Reise Haselhorst, Carter Seaton, Reagan Robinson, Anderson Engele, Makayla Gajewski





# Pre-K Registration

Nashville  
District 49  
Pre-K  
Openings

- Program runs Monday-Friday
- Morning or Afternoon Sessions
- Screening is 1st Step of Registration



Call For Your  
Appointment Today!

Contact:  
Nashville Primary  
School  
618-327-3055  
Ext. 200

Birth to Five  
Screening Clinic

Thursday, April 2nd  
12-1pm

Friday, April 3rd  
8am-Noon





# Kindergarten Registration

## Kindergarten Registration 2020



Monday  
March 16, 2020

7:30am - 5:30pm  
Nashville  
Primary  
School Office

1. Student must be 5 years of age on or before September 1, 2020 to be eligible for registration.
2. Parents **MUST** bring the following information to registration:
  - a. A certified birth certificate (not the hospital version).
  - b. Current Driver's license and TWO Proofs of Residency in our district. i.e. Mortgage papers, Deed, or Lease, and a Utility bill, Insurance policy or Vehicle registration.

Parents who know their child will be attending Nashville Primary School next Fall will need to fill out a registration packet, to get the packet ahead of time please stop by the Primary School Office or call 327-4304 ext. 100 and one can be mailed to you.

If you have any questions concerning registration, please contact the Primary School Office at 327-4304 ext. 100.

**NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY** 🌸 **STUDENTS DO NOT NEED TO ATTEND**



# PSD Wildlife Assembly

## -Animalogy-

