

Monday Musings!

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We earned AdvancED Accreditation

It's finally done...for now at least! We completed our accreditation process last week and now we are looking towards the future. You guys were awesome! Thank you so much for the hard work you put into this process. We'd like to acknowledge Jennifer Smith for spearheading this process and for her leadership throughout it. Thanks to everyone's diligent work. All eight schools in the district have been accredited!

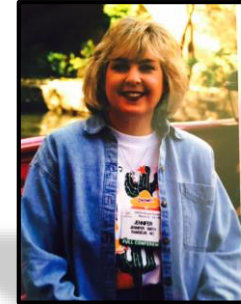


Celebrating Assistant Superintendent Jennifer Smith

On Friday, the district held a public reception for Assistant Superintendent, Jennifer Smith, in the Professional Development Center. During this floating event, Jennifer was greeted and applauded by many of her colleagues throughout her years with ACS and in education. Dr. Worrell and Dr. Tim Allgood thanked Jennifer for her tremendous service and dedication to students and teachers, and Jennifer was also surprised with a special message from Dr. Diane Frost, former Superintendent of Asheboro City Schools.



Ms. J. Clark
8th Grade



Superintendent's Reading Challenge - Where we are

Way to go teachers and students! Of our 100,000 book goal, we have read 70,000 books – 70 percent of our goal! It will not take long for us to reach our goal now. Start thinking about what type of celebration you want to have once we meet 100,000 books. The "celebration" committee will be convening to start planning an event for reaching our goal soon! Keep up the great work team!

70%

Reading Wonderland at McCrary Elementary

Students and staff at McCrary Elementary partnered with the Randolph County Public Library for a Family Night event. The Literacy Learning Team planned a “Reading Wonderland” to encourage reading. Parents and students were able to pick up their report cards and join together in different literacy activities such as reading books and writing about them, posing with a book character at the selfie station, listening to a story book, following directions to make s’mores, and making bookmarks.



Panther Pride Day at McCrary Elementary

Students and staff at McCrary Elementary showed their Carolina Panthers' pride the Friday before Super Bowl in hopes of an extraordinary win. The Carolina Panthers played a great season and they were very appreciative of all the students and staff who supported them on Panther Pride Day. They “applaud” all students and staff in support of the Super Bowl 50 win! #dabbin



Teachey/SAMS Partner for Fifth graders

Principal Brian Saunders and select students from South Asheboro High School held an informative question and answer session with fifth grade students and parents at Teachey Elementary School. SAMS students shared relevant information regarding the life of a student in middle school. Fifth grade students from Teachey prepared questions to ask the middle school panel of students to help them begin planning and thinking ahead for the 2016-2017 school year.



Teachey Celebrates Love the Bus Week

Teachey students & staff collected items to give the school's bus drivers for Love The Bus week! We appreciate all of our bus drivers keeping us safe!



Got news?

Send it to me to be featured in Monday Musings! Just reply to the email!

AHS Athletics for This Week

Tuesday, February 16

6PM Girls Varsity Basketball Southwestern Randolph High *MPC Tournament Asheboro Host Home*

Wednesday, February 17

6PM Girls Varsity Basketball OPEN DATE *MPC Girls 1 v/s 4/5 winner Home*
7:30 PM Boys Varsity Basketball OPEN DATE *MPC Boys 1 v/s 4/5 winner Home*

Thursday, February 18

3PM Boys Varsity Wrestling OPEN DATE *Individual State Championships Away*
6PM Girls Varsity Basketball OPEN DATE *MPC Girls 2/7 winner v/s 3/6 winner Home*
7:30 PM Boys Varsity Basketball OPEN DATE *MPC Boys 2/7 winner v/s 3/6 Home*

Friday, February 19

7AM Boys Varsity Wrestling OPEN DATE *Individual State Championships Away*
6PM Girls Varsity Basketball OPEN DATE *MPC Girls Championship Home*
7:30 PM Boys Varsity Basketball OPEN DATE *MPC Boys Championship Home*

Saturday, February 20

7AM Boys Varsity Wrestling OPEN DATE *Individual State Championships Away*
11AM Boys Varsity Baseball Jesse

We Need YOUR Feedback!

The Asheboro-Randolph Chamber of Commerce is in the process of developing a Livebinder resource for teachers and staff to use in order to help address the needs of our students. But, to determine what exactly YOU need, we want YOUR feedback. Please take a few minutes to complete the survey and click [here](#) (right click and select "open hyperlink.")

Randolph County Sports Council Award

Sawyer Davidson and Abbie Worsham were recipients of the Randolph County Sports Council Award at Snyder Farms in Randleman. Way to go students. Pictured are Mr. Davidson, Ms. Worsham, and Dr. Toth.



In staff news

Congratulations to Amelia Caviness, 2nd grade teacher at CWM. Coy Reed Caviness was born, February 9, and weighed 9 lbs., 2 oz. Our thoughts are with Emmy Biaggi, ESL teacher at CWM. Her mother passed away Monday, February 8.

SAT/ACT Words:

Incumbent: one that occupies a particular position or place
Peccadillo: a slight offense
Gruntle: to put in good humor

READING COMPREHENSION:

Pundit: a person who gives opinions in an authoritative manner usually through the mass media

Word of the Week:

Jeremiad: a prolonged lamentation or complaint

Other Events this Week

Monday, February 15 – Closed for students. Optional teacher workday with a two-hour delay for staff.

Tuesday, February 16 – ACS District Spelling Bee from 7-9 p.m. in the PDC.

Thursday, Friday, and Saturday (2/18-2/20) – The Park Street Players will perform 12 Angry Jurors in the PAC at 7 p.m.

NEW! Corey Comet's Wellness Tip of the Week

February is Dental Health month! Take care of your smile😊

Always brush your teeth twice a day with a soft-bristled brush.
Replace your [toothbrush](#) every three or four months.
Use an ADA-accepted [fluoride](#) toothpaste.
Floss at least once a day.
Visit your dentist twice a year.

