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GREAT THINGS ARE HAPPENING AT ELGIN!!

Elgin Ave. School News

WRITTEN BY STUDENTS
IN
GRADE 4 /5

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February 2017

Back to School WELCOME!

Macy Begin-Current Events
Jan 25 2017

SIMCOE-Welcome back students of Elgin Avenue Public School, here's hoping you have had a great year so far. Elgin Avenue is so happy to welcome all the students back. All the teachers have been waiting for all of the boys and girls to return.

The boys and girls have been very nice and have also being very helpful around the school this year so, please keep it up! I hope that all of the students of Elgin Avenue Public school have been very considerate and thankful to all of the other boys and girls who have helped them feel welcome in the month of January and February.

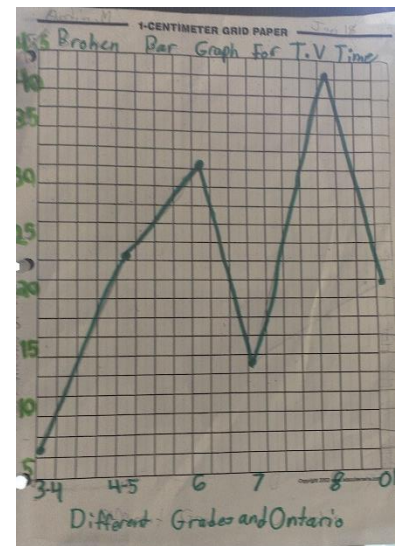
Screen Time Hour

Graph Averages

Adam and Aaron, Exciting Events
Jan 26th, 2017

ELGIN AVE- Hello here are some facts about the Screen Time Hour Graphs. Our class asked grades 3-8 about how many hours of screen time they watched. The first fact is that the grade three and grade fours have the least amount of hours. The second fact is that the grade eights have the most amount of Screen Time Hours. Now to number three the grade fours and fives are in the middle of the most amount of hours and the least amount of hours.

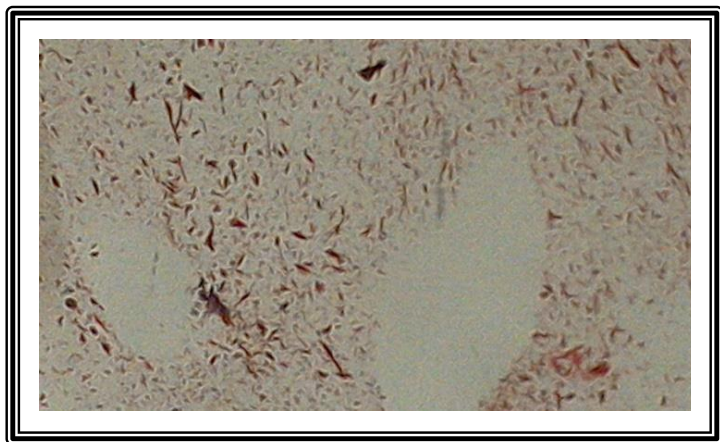
Here's another one for you if the grade three and four doubled their average they would equal the grade sevens Screen Time Average. Here's the last fact the grade sixes are the closest ones to the grade eights. Go outside and play!



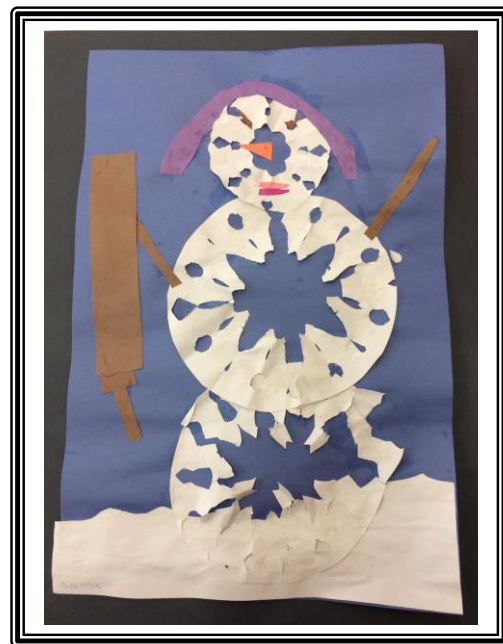
Art Showcase!!!

Brooke L. Takacs Wednesday, January, 25, 2017

Elgin Avenue Public School



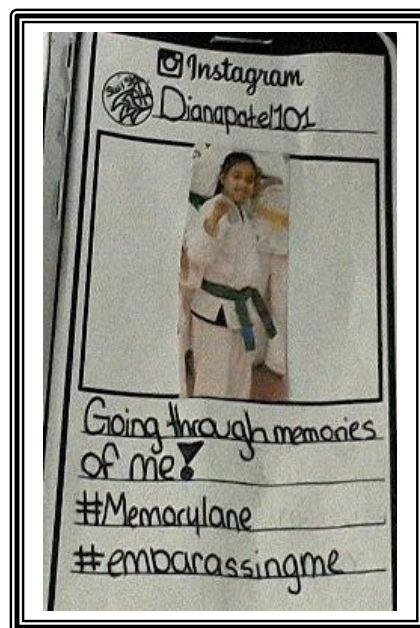
Phoenix Gurney, Mrs. Stirling Kindergarten



Sieanna Wall, Mrs. Sendrowski, grade 2



Haley Gillis, Mrs. Ashenden grade 4



Dianna Patel, Mrs. Butler, grade 7



Devon Giroux, Mrs. Hickey, grade 6



Anderson Ashley, Mrs. Hickey, Grade 6

Elgin Avenue Spirit Days

Marley Kitchen, Spirit Days Reporter

Tuesday Jan 24th 2017

SIMCOE- At Elgin, the February Spirit Days are:

1. Wacky Hair Day (Friday the 3rd)
2. Emoji Day (Friday the 10th)
3. Red and White Day (Tuesday the 14th)
4. Pink Shirt Day (Tuesday the 22nd)
5. Elgin Day (Friday the 24th)



Elgin Ave School has Spirit Days because they are fun to have and you can dress up as cool things such as Emoji's. If it were Wacky Hair Day, you can make your hair as Wacky as you possibly can. Elgin also has Red and White Day to celebrate Valentine's Day. Elgin has Pink Shirt Day to raise awareness for Bullying.

People from student council are going around to each class and collecting points for the students that have spirit wear on them. They are collecting points for Colour House!

Colour House Updates

Brooklynn Schleifer, Colour House Updater

Friday January 20th 2017

ELGIN AVENUE PUBLIC SCHOOL- Colour house meets monthly and all students are split into groups. Students learn about different character traits and work together as team. The current points are: orange colour house has 48 points, red colour house has 97 points, yellow colour house has 67 points, blue colour house has 72 points, grey colour house has 90 points, black colour house has 70 points, green colour house has 121 points, and white color house has 23 points. The assembly for February is Tuesday February 28th which is a day 5 during the first block. The assembly is about Responsibility. Responsibility means taking initiative and not doing what other people tell you to do just do what you think is right. If you do something then you need to own up to it and be honest. Don't do what other people tell you to do, do what you know is right!

Character Trait

Sophia Dykes, Student Reporter

Tuesday, January 24th, 2017

ELGIN AVE PUBLIC SCHOOL-In the month of December the character trait of the month was compassion. Lots of students at Elgin Ave Public School made great choices showing compassion. Compassion is when you feel deeply sorry for those who are suffering. Each teacher picked 2 students who they thought showed very good compassion. The students who were chosen for the character trait of the month were students who showed lots of consideration towards others around them.



Grade 4/5 Humane Society Drive

Nicky Mitro, Current Events Reporter

Tuesday January 24th 2017

ELGIN AVE PUBLIC SCHOOL- Ms. Keast's Grade 4/5 class did a Humane Society Food drive and they had a lot of food that they gave to the animals. They had Dry Cat Food, Wet Dog Food, Dry Dog Food, Dog Treats, Cat Treats, Kitty Litter, and Wet Cat Food. The students brought the food into their classroom and they sorted it out into different categories. The Humane Society Drive was from December 1st to December 23rd 2016. Ms. Keast's class had 11.6g kg of Dry Cat Food, 9.8 kg of Dry Dog Food, 2.558 g of Dog Treats, 290 g of Cat Treats, and 77.06 kg of Kitty Litter. The class did this to give the animals a better and a healthier life. The animals got some nice treats/food from the class. These animals want to be healthy so if you have a pet make sure you love it/them with all your heart and make sure they love you back. Also, make sure your pet gets exercise like take your dog for a walk. Remember if you're healthy and your pet is healthy then you have done a good job.



Jump Rope for Heart

Sophia Dykes, Student Reporter

Tuesday, January 24th, 2017

ELGIN AVE PUBLIC SCHOOL-Jump Rope for Heart has been a big success at the school Elgin Ave. The goal for money at Elgin Ave Public School is \$2,500. Every person that participates in Jump Rope for Heart and every dollar raised earns a point for the school which goes towards getting new gym equipment (balls, jump ropes etc.) The jump date at Elgin Ave Public School is Friday, February 10th, 2017.



Sports and Clubs at Elgin!

Desteny Harrod, Reporter, January 25, 2017

This year, Elgin's kicking it off with sports and amazing school clubs! For sports, we have the speedy intermediate boys' and girls' basketball teams. Also joining the fun, is the junior co-ed basketball team!

A thank you to the teachers that make the basketball and other sports happen, but that isn't the only people that work magic.

Thank you to the student council that arrange the special events in the school.

"Me to We" has the world in their hands by fundraising money to build a huge classroom for kids in need.

"The kindergartens need extra help at lunch. But now we have lunch helper to watch and help them!" said the teachers.

Who likes to dance? Well, here at Elgin, we have a club just for all you dancers!

Books are a lot of work for our librarian, but now she has many helpers!

Thank you to all of the staff and students for morning snack, milk program, recycling program and hot lunches!

STUDENTS' FAVOURITE MOMENTS OF 2016

Sarah Gurney and Sydney Gillis, School News Reporters

Tuesday January 24, 2017

ELGIN AVENUE PUBLIC SCHOOL-2017 is finally here and 2016 seemed to fly by so fast, but a lot of things have changed, and so many memories were made! Here are some of Elgin Avenue Public School's students' favourite moments of 2016:

"When I got a computer for Christmas" -Liam Groeneveld, Gr. 4	"On Christmas morning, I woke up first" -Sierra Easton, Gr. 4	"The Christmas concert in 2016 in December" -Jack Slegers, Gr. 4
"When I made the volleyball team" -Macy Begin, Gr. 5	"When I made the soccer team." -Quenton Whittingham, Gr. 5	"When we won the soccer tournament." -Owen Found and Maddy Begin
"When we went to the turkey dinner." -Megan Wilks, Gr. 6	"When I got to spend time with my family." -Anderson Ashley, Gr. 6	"When I went to a waterpark with my family." -Jenny Bonaccorso, Gr. 6
"I got to meet my favourite Youtuber in the summer." -Carson Kitchen, Gr. 7	"When I moved from grade 7 to 8." -Alyssa Takacs, Gr. 8	"When we won our basketball tournament." -Sihler Baldock, Gr. 8
"When the Terry Fox run was on and the teachers got pie in the face." -Jade Whitehead Gr. 4	"When we won the soccer tournament." -Bell Hobbs and Diana Patel, Gr. 7	

New Year's Resolutions

Written by Austin Martin and Quenton Whittingham

Hello students and welcome back to a new fresh start to 2017! Here are some students that gave us some of their new year's resolutions!

Caryssa Grade 4: "I want to help someone in need".

Jessie Grade 4: "I want to stop annoying my family".

Destiney Grade 5: "I want to make 2017 a new start".

Jaden Grade 5: "I want to get better at math".

Lukas Grade 6: "I want to eat healthier".

Memphis Grade 6: "I want to be more active".

Megan Grade 7: "To get better grades".

Bella Grade 7: "To become more helpful".

Shianna Grade 8: "To read 2 books in one month".

JOKES AND RIDDLES

Alexis Bouck, Comedian.

Wednesday January 25th 2017

Q: What is at the end of the rainbow?

A: The letter w.

Q: How do you make your money double?

A: Put it in front of a mirror.

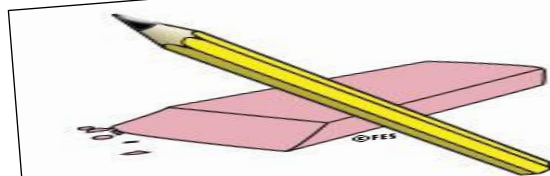
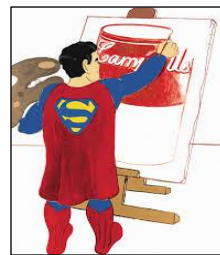
Knock, knock....

Who's there?

Soup.

Soup, who?

Souperman!



Try to Solve this Question!???

Throughout the School Year five teachers each received twenty pencils and sixteen erasers. In each class there were eighteen students. If each students uses five pencils and three erasers...how many pencils and erasers will each class need? How many will the whole school need?

MATH WORD SEARCH

Jayden Fettes, Current Game Creator

Jan. 24, 2017

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Math Mean Mode Median Time Adding

How many other words can you find?