

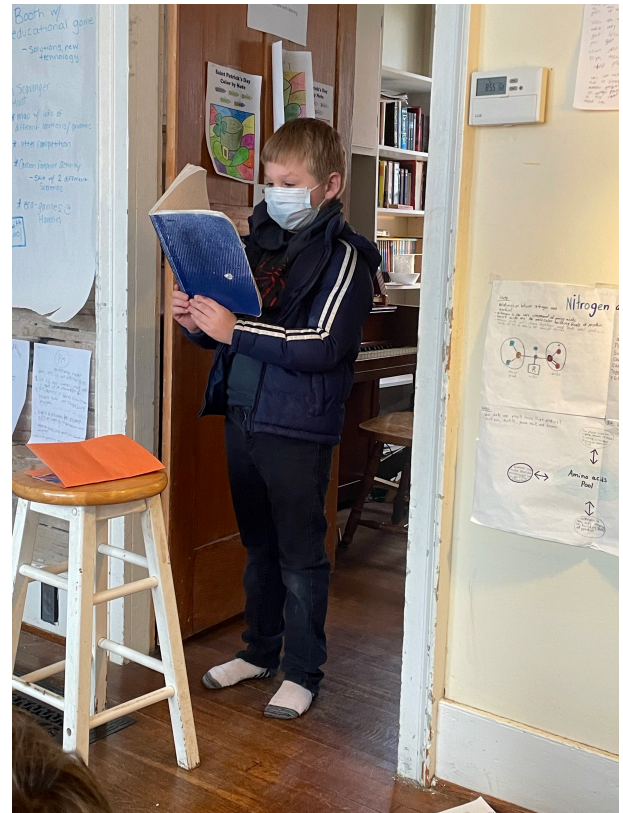
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Boys in boots with books!



Kyle sharing his character development description.

Student of the Week: Ethan

Ethan can make anyone laugh with his jokes and brilliant humor.

We asked Mandalians to come up with a few words to describe our student of the week. Here is what they came up with: weird, creative, humorous, special, interesting, obnoxious, a pain in the leg, energetic, strange, artistic, friendly (when he wants to be), and chill. “He is also kind of nice”, says Georgie (age 5).

Ten years from now, Ethan thinks he will be on the run in Mexico selling Italian meatballs (with special sauce) and performing in small comedy clubs. If he was in charge of the school, he would bring Elon Musk in. Ethan’s greatest accomplishment is reaching level 60 in World of Warcraft.

Ethan enjoys making others laugh. He is quick and witty. He claims to be 7 foot 5 inches tall. If he were President for one day, he would try to stop the war between Ukraine and Russia. On any given day you can find Ethan sipping on chocolate muscle milk and sketching unique and slightly scary characters. Ethan is looking forward to his thirteen birthday this April. He’d like everyone to know that he is indeed older than Ria by three hours, thus the elevated maturity.





Most of the older students saw the play “To Kill a Mockingbird” and thought it was great. We had just finished the book so everything was fresh.

Here are some quotes: “I liked how the actors performed. They were really good.” “The play was written so sometimes Jem & Scout explained things kind of outside the play”. “The set was really good.” “Calpurnia was good and said a lot of funny things.” “Dill was the funniest character.” “Mayella’s actor was good; she was slumped over a chair when she wasn’t testifying.” “I like that they said “he fell on his knife” right at the beginning and kept repeating it.” “Somebody who hadn’t read the book would probably get it.”

We missed: 1) the air rifles when Atticus first said “it’s a sin to kill a Mockingbird” 2) Calpurnia & Atticus going to Mrs. Robinson. 3) Mrs. Dubose’s addition and Jem reading to help her stretch times between morphine doses 4) the scene with Jem & Scout going to the Black church with Calpurnia 5) the big fire when Boo left a blanket around Scout. 6) Atticus shooting the rabid dog.

Announcements

👉 All unclaimed shoes & clothes will be donated next Friday, April 8th. Please take a look in the garage and school for missing items.

🐛 Early bird gets the worm Summer camp is sold out!

😷 Masks will no longer be required although they are recommended!



Finn working on his family history map

"My whale is a baleen whale. They have no teeth. It's like a comb. My whale eats krill. My whale is the gray whale." -Georgie

Frankie's and Inti's whale eats krill, too. They also eat small fish. It's the Minke! It is a baleen whale. The killer whale eats the minke.

Mom whales are called cows. Babies are called calves. Whales breathe through their lungs and blowhole.

By the kindergarteners:
Georgie, Inti, and Frankie



🥨 making pretzels 🥨



Amelia, Ella, & Katie in productivity

Today Hiran & Rashmi visited our school, Ria and Sachin's grandparents. They lived in India and lived in Ethiopia. There were a lot of people in India.

We mostly heard about Ethiopia. It a mountainous country. Coffee was discovered there. There are jungles there with giraffes and monkeys.

They eat dinner at a big round table with the whole extended family and eat with their hands. An example of an Ethiopian meal, that we tried today, was Injera (pictured above).