

# Paw Prints Fairview Elementary

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# Welcome Back!!

## Open Houses

1st-5th grade: Thursday, August 21, from 4:00-6:00 PM

Kindergarten: Friday, August 29, from 4:00-6:00 PM

Please join us as we kick off the new school year! Class lists will be posted and parents and students will be able to meet/greet their teachers.

We can't wait to see you!



We would like to extend a special welcome to the students and parents from Stallings Elementary!

This is going to be one of Fairview's best years yet and are so happy for you to join us!



# From the desk of Principal Thomas

I hope that each of you had a wonderful summer filled with lots of fun adventures! We have been working very hard over the summer to ensure that our school will be the best elementary school in Union County!

I'm looking forward to getting to know all of our new students and their parents as we begin school next week. We always have many opportunities for volunteers so please sign up if you are able to! We appreciate everyone's help in making Fairview the incredible school that it is. We couldn't do it without your help!

Looking forward to a fabulous 2014-2015 school year!





## Summer Reading



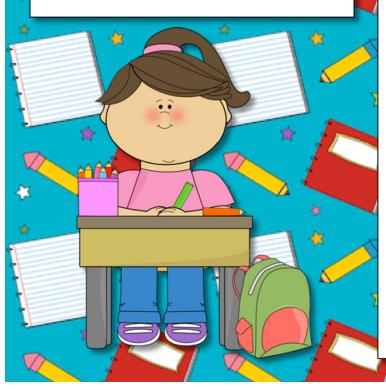
Returning students, don't forget to complete your summer reading lists so you can be recognized for your achievement and dedication to learning!

## Thank you!!!

We'd like to give a special thank you to Madison's Coffee in Indian Trail for providing coffee and muffins at our staff's 'Welcome Back' breakfast!







# **Upcoming Events**

#### 8/21

1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Open House 4-6pm



#### 8/25

First Day of School!

#### 8/29

Kindergarten Open House 4-6pm

## 9/1

Labor Day - No School

#### 9/8 - 9/12

PTO Membership Drive



#### 9/9

Room Parent Meeting 8am (in cafeteria)

## 9/12

Movie Night - details to follow

# Spirit Rock!

If you would like to celebrate your child's birthday or give a positive shout out, you may now reserve a spot through our Sign-up Genius link.

Spirit Rock Guidelines and Helpful Tips Spirit Rock Signup Link

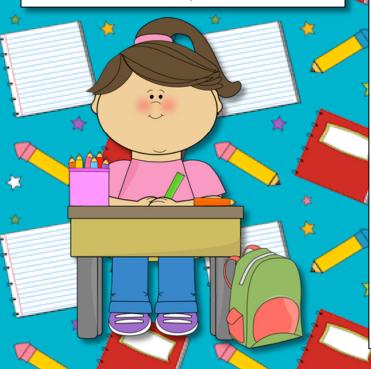


## Flip Flops Needed!

Once school begins, students will likely be wearing sandals/flip flops that occasionally break at school. It is easier to give them a pair of flip flops instead of calling a parent to bring a pair of shoes.

Please help the Wildcat Wardrobe closet by donating flip flops (especially adult sizes for the older students).

Thank you!!!



# **Fundraising Opportunities**

Here are some easy ways to help raise money for the school:



Labels are collected year round! Please keep sending in your Box Tops, Tyson labels, and Campbell's UPCs to your



Keep sending your used printer cartridges for recycling.



Harris Teeter - link your VIC card to our school. You can send in your name and VIC card number to the PTO, or go to www.harristeeter.com. You must relink your card each year. Our school code is 3010



Target Red Card - you can link your Red Card "Take Charge of Education" through

www.target.com.

## PTO Membership Drive

This year, the members of the PTO will receive a lunch bag, courtesy of Forrest and Forrest Dentistry. Stay tuned for more information on how to join!



## Fairview Spirit Wear!

T-shirts will be available to order until September 19th. There will be a limited amount available at Open House for \$12 and will be taking additional orders. You can buy these using cash, checks or credit cards.





# Support Fairview's Community



Do you have a business you'd like to promote?

For \$20/month, your company name, logo and contact information will be listed. All advertising proceeds will support Fairview Elementary School.

Contact Erin Zelch for more information.

erinzelch@gmail.com



#### Welcome New Staff!



Ashley Melton - Assistant Principal

Mindi Gerrard - Kindergarten

Betsy Wallace - 1st grade

Susan Smith - 4th grade

Ashley Brooks - 4th grade

Lauren Adams - 4th grade

Leah Swanson - 4th grade

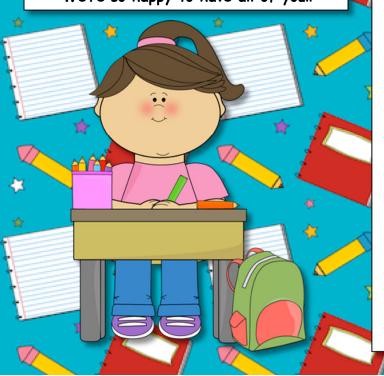
Kelly Rayfield - 5th grade

Jennifer Dockery - Nurse

Christy Hough - Afterschool Director

Sharon Sandifer - EC

We're so happy to have all of you!!



# A Message from PTO

We are so excited for the upcoming school year!

You can contact us with questions/concerns or to inquire about volunteer opportunities via email. We also have a new website that has all of our important information listed as well as an opportunity to sign up for email updates throughout the year. Please also be sure to 'like' our Fairview PTO Facebook page. We want to keep everyone very informed all year long!



Proceeds from Boosterthon are underway! Equipment will be added during the first few weeks of school. New additions include 2 soccer goals, 2 basketball goals, 4 benches, and 2 spin cups. Our hopscotch and four square boards have been repainted. We are looking forward to watching the students enjoy the new equipment!



Fairview now has a clothes washer and dryer! We've been looking forward to the opportunity to obtain these and know they'll come in handy going forward! Thank you to the Lowe's in Monroe for helping us!

#### Honor Roll - 5th 6 weeks from 2013/2014 School Year

#### A Honor Roll

Rising 4<sup>th</sup> graders: Alison Austin, Abby Boergert, Braden Collins, Samuel Hartig, Ethan Horne, Madison Miracle, Jessica Ralda, Noah Brown, Anslea Church, Junah Jeong, Grace Ashton, Annabella Berry, Sydney Pugh

Rising 5<sup>th</sup> graders: Caleb Adkins, Allison Craig, Sophia Arndt, Eliza Solomon, Harrison Loucks, Ally Nielsen, Phoebe Waldrop, James Willing, Jazmine Rascoe

#### A/B Honor Roll

Rising 4<sup>th</sup> graders: Caitlin Bain, Noelle Gsell, Joshua Hughes, Magali Martinez-Loredo, Cayden Thomas, Andrew Craig, Karoline Duncan, Katherine Duncan, Ethan McDonald, Dane McNulty, Claira Seighman, Deja Watson-White, Daniel Jimenez, Noah Mclaughlin, Shirley Morris, Cheyenne Rowell, Shaylee Smith, Nicholas Fuller

Rising 5<sup>th</sup> graders: Ben Dulin, Adriana Lanham, Sidney Lynch, Kathrine McDermott, Kendall Pixley, Aiden Price, Renee Rodriguez, Lee Taylor, Mallory Carroll, David Cox, Owen Doejaaren, Mickey Duda, Jackson Hartig, Reagan O'Quinn, Sara Danison, Gunnar Diedrick, Grier Donaldson, Aydan Drake, Emily Holliday, Chloe Little, Sydney Rutledge, Holland Stanley, Caden Tull, Sydney Williams, Catherine Andrews, Brooke Hilton, Sarah Kusnitz, Gavin Lincoln, Robert Plyler, Tyler Sprowles, Lanie Starnes

#### Honor Roll - 6th 6 weeks from 2013/2014 School Year

#### A Honor Roll

Rising 4<sup>th</sup> graders: Junah Jeong, Lucas Shaver, Noah Brown, Dane McNulty, Alison Austin, Abby Boegert, Braden Collins, Samuel Hartig, Ethan Horne, Joshua Hughes, Madison Miracle, Jessica Ralda, Grace Ashton, Annabella Berry, Sydney Pugh, Cheyenne Rowell, Nicholas Fuller

Rising 5<sup>th</sup> graders: Kendall Pixley, Sophia Arndt, Allison Craig, Eliza Solomon, Chloe Little, Harrison Loucks, Ally Nielsen, James Willing, Jazmine Racscoe

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Rising 4<sup>th</sup> graders: Andrew Craig, Anslea Church, Claira Seighman, Deja Watson-White, Karoline Duncan, Katherine Duncan, Natalie Vimislik, Ashu Lala, Caitlin Bain, Chase Fesmire, Alex Herasme, Magali Martinez Loredo, Brayden Shepherd, Abigail De Los Santos, Christian Gonzalez, Noah Mclaughlin, Shirley Morris, Will Purser, Shaylee Smith,

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# Staff Spotlight for August

Mrs. Rowell - Kindergarten

Hometown: Mint Hill, North Carolina

Name of your Kindergarten teacher: Mrs. Cook

College: UNC-Charlotte

Years at Fairview: 11

If you could travel to any city, where would it be?: Venice, Italy

Why you became a teacher: One of my first memories was lining up my baby dolls along the wall in my bedroom. I would read to them and play school for hours. It's what I've always wanted to be!

<u>Favorite thing to do when not at school</u>: I love hanging out with my family at the beach. My children are 7 and 4 and there is nothing that makes me happier than watching them play together.

<u>Most rewarding part about teaching</u>: I absolutely love the fact that I get to teach children how to read. Nothing makes me feel better than watching kids grow as readers! It's my favorite thing to teach!

Which staff member would you like to spotlight next month? Send your vote via <a href="mailto:emailto:



