

BULLPUPS SPOTLIGHT

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NEWSLETTER

Marvin E. Lewis Sr. Elementary School

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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL



To: The M. E. Lewis Sr., Elementary School Family,

Indeed we have had a very productive year thus far both academically and socially. We are looking forward to continuing this trend. I would like to thank parents, community, businesses, and all stakeholders for their continued support of The M. E. Lewis Sr., Elementary School. Our teachers are meeting our students with new challenges and learning goals to prepare our students for the 21st Century Global Market Place.

Once again, I want to personally thank you for your support and loyalty towards our students at The M. E. Lewis Sr., Elementary School. Our faculty and staff look forward to the 2015-2016 school year as our students continue to believe at The M. E. Lewis Sr., Elementary School "Excellence is the Standard."

Sincerely,
Dr. Norman Hart, III
Principal



Upcoming Events

- **1st - 9 Wks Exams**
Oct. 1 & 2
- **Parent/Teacher Conferences**
Oct. 15 - 3:30 - 7pm
Oct. 16 - 8:00 - 11:30am/
HCHS Homecoming
10/16/15
- **Fall Break**
Oct. 19 - 23

First PTSO Meeting

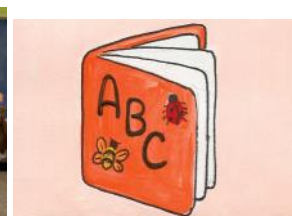


A very successful PTSO meeting was held on Sept. 15th. A special thanks is extended to all parents, teachers and students who were in attendance.



CIS Donates Books

The success of a school depends a great deal on the community. Our Communities In School (CIS) organization donated books to the students of M.E. Lewis, Sr. Elementary. The first book is entitled, No Thanks, but I'd Love to Dance Choosing to Live Smoke Free, was given to students in grades K-4. Healthy Me is a coloring and activity book, was given to students in grades K-5. Site Coordinator, Mr. Terrell Reid said, "We will continue to look for ways to make a difference in the lives of children in Hancock County."



M. E. Lewis Celebrates Constitution Day

On September 17, 2015 we celebrated United States of America Constitution Day. The faculty and staff wore red, white and blue attire. We were served white whipped cream topped with strawberries and blueberries. This was a nutritious and delicious red, white and blue dessert. Students were taught several lessons about the U.S. Constitution and made models of the American Flag. These activities are aligned with the Core Curriculum Georgia Performance Standards (CCGPS).



Building Foundational Skills



The kindergarten and first grade classes are working on building foundational skills. From reviewing phonemes, number recognition, basic addition and subtraction to writing and retelling stories with key details. Each day we are practicing appropriate socialization skills. Mrs. Holsey's first graders enjoyed listening to and discussing the novel Captain Underpants, which is a superhero series of books. This activity was done to promote the love of reading for pleasure. The bullpups are moving forward.

KID'S CORNER

Please unscramble the following fall terms and use them in a short story with a clear beginning, middle and ending. You may choose to use the terms in a poem instead of a short story.

1. mntauu _____
2. eeavsl _____
3. aoenhlelw _____
4. thsvrea _____
5. nppmiuk _____
6. ggshkTnnvaii _____
7. cccrrwsaoe _____
8. nssoae _____
9. beeeSrtmp _____
10. pelpa _____
11. cnroa _____
12. lbfltoao _____
13. olco _____
14. orbtcOe _____
15. kaer _____

Note: The first student who correctly unscrambles the above terms and use them in a short story or poem will receive a bucket of goodies. Please bring your short story or poem to Mrs. A. Lawson in the media center.

