



From the Oval Office

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From the News Desk of Students in Room 313

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HEADLINE NEWS



Books Galore!

Breaking news from our regular standard program. This week in Memorial School we've caught third graders on live TV.

From Judge Moody to Sophie the Awesome, and from Abe Lincoln at Last to the Gadget War, the book commercials had it all! I wonder who the winner will be.

Reported By: Emma Ballard
and Ryan Zani



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Do You like to Write?

UP, down, UP, down. This week in daily 5 we did a Pilgrim Acrostic Poem based on what we learned about Pilgrims. Step 1: first write the word P-I-L-G-R-I-M-S down the page and skip two lines between the letter. Step 2: Now write something for each letter in Pilgrims. Step 3 then we get a small copy paper and write the something. Then Mrs. W checks it. Step 4 color the Pilgrims on the side of the paper. Step 5 Now outline it in sharpie. Next we put it up in the hall. Those are the 6 steps to writing an acrostic poem.

Reported By: Gabe Bean and Sean Trimble



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ABC Your Way Through History

Abcdefg come learn about pilgrims from me. Mrs. Webster's 3rd grade class is writing their first pilgrim ABC book. Some people are writing about, Arrows, Bark, Corn, Deer Skin, Eel catcher, fort and Governor Bradford. After we wrote a paragraph ON our topic we got to illustrate our topic. We used black crayon and paint. water color. That's our headline news for today.

Reported by:
Christina and Aidan



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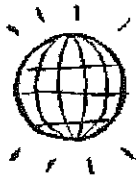
Mayflower Compact

"Finally we're here! I think we should write some rules" said Governor William Bradford. Back in 1620 the Pilgrims wrote the Mayflower Compact, all 41 men signed it. Women could not sign the

Mayflower Compact because they didn't have the same rights as the men. The Mayflower Compact is a piece of paper that had laws and rules on it. At last a nice new comfortable home in America.

Reported by
Kelli Koniczny
&

Rosie Todd



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Weather Report

"Brrrr!" This year it showed for the 1st time. Even though it didn't snow that much, we were all still excited. The snow lasted about three days. Good luck not getting a cold from it. If you want to learn more get the weather app on your phone.

Hurricane swoosh, CRASH! Last week we had a hurricane called Sandy. Half of Upton lost power. Oh Monday and Tuesday we did not have school. In some neighborhoods they did not have Halloween.

Now back to our regular program.

By Ben S. and Aden P



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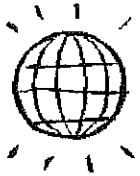
I Excel, Do You?

On IXL you could get better at math and money while winning prizes! At first you have to put in your first and last name and 590 then memorial 22. You should try not to take too long on a question because the skill is timed. Practicing math on IXL is easy!

Reported by,

Quinn Henderson

Pearson Successnet is another math website. The test on Pearson is 30 questions long. Also on Pearson you can do all sorts of math. You will have success on Pearson Successnet. Reported By: Nathan Jokela



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RUN FOR YOUR LIFE!!

AHH! This week in PE we played Zombie tag. How to play: There is a people in the middle 'dead, and we say Mr 'OR' Mrs Zowie come alive. by the time we count to 5 1.2.3.4.5. Next everyone runs as fast as they can. Then if you got tagged, you had to go back to the grave yard. If the taggers didn't get a lot of people, Mrs. Horn would join in. The last two kids who were left standing got to be the Zombies in the 2nd round. It is time to go kids, Mrs. Wester is here. "Thank you Mrs. Horn." we shouted.

Reported by: Andrew Kampf
and Ben Lee

PS: Do you want to play Zombie tag now?



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Name Patterns

"Okay, kids time to go back to your tables, remember to copy your patterns!" Said Miss. Grady at art. In art we are working on name patterns and copying them like Andy Warhol. We are going to write our names on four different pieces of paper then we are going to draw a different pattern in each space. Later we will color them in complementary colors. When we are done Miss. Grady will display them in two rows. "Kids line up, your teachers are here!" "Oh look time to go!"

Reported by:

Cameron Leary and Emily Kirby



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Hundred Dresses

Man thats a lot of dresses. In Hundred Dresses the main charecter is Wanda Petronski. Wanda Petronski is very shy. The kids in her class think her name is too hard to say and too long. She lives far away in the book she lives at Boggin's Hights. She is so shy she sits in the back of the room where the rough boys sit. Nobody knows why she sits in the back of the room. Wanda thinks its because she lives far away and gets mad on her shoes. When one of the cool girls asks her "how many dresses do you have?" Wanda says "100". "100" says the cool girl. "What color are they?" "all colors lined up in my closet." If you want to know more, our avle office will tell you more in next weeks Headline news!

Reported by: Hollie and Lucy



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We Got Smart with the Smart Board.

Mrs. Webster's class is up and running with Smart Notebook. We start our day with Every Day Counts on it. There is tools which are color pens, mouse and eraser. We also use it for lunch and attendance. We use it for math too. There is two pens so we can write at the same time, no more waiting in long lines. This Smart Board is smarter than us, but we're catching up.

Reported by
Isaac Borst



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Rachel's Challenge / Collecting Change

One two three. This week in Rachel's challenge, the Memorial School was collecting change for the Upton food pantry. Mr. Antonelli came in and explained how to do it. He said "Get any change and bring it to school, you can bring a penny in to school. After he said that the school cheered. Day after day the whole school kept bring in change for the food pantry.

On Friday, the fourth grade collected the cups of change and brought them to the front office of the school.

On Friday afternoon, the principal announced how much change we raised for the Upton food pantry. This is our headline news.

Reported by Aly and Casey



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Election Day

Extras, Extras Read all about it! Who won the 2012 election? Mitt Romney or Barack Obama? Read on if you'd like to know. Are you a Republican or a Democrat? The first thing that happens is the 2 nominees go around the USA. They try to get more of all the states to want them to be the next president because next they vote. After that the electoral college announces the winner but they only do it every 4 years. In the end Barack Obama.

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and Jason Fiorandino (5)