



## Hazleton Area Cyber Academy NEWSLETTER March 10, 2023

### MARCH IS ART IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH

The arts are an important part of a well-rounded education for all students. The arts benefit students in and outside of the classroom. This month the Cyber Academy will be hosting different art events at the Laurel Mall, a variety of theme days and the grand finale, The Gallery pARTy on March 30<sup>th</sup>. See the full calendar of events below.

### **KNOCK KNOCK. WHO'S THERE?**

The knock-knock joke has been a staple of American humor since the early 20th century. Before there were knock-knock jokes there were "Do You Know" jokes. Before there were knock-knock jokes — as we know them — there were "Do You Know" jokes around 1900. For example: "Do you know Arthur?" "Arthur who?" "Arthurmometer!" (thermometer).

But the mania only morphed into an even more popular form: the knock-knock joke. By the mid 1930s, knock-knock jokes were to be heard everywhere. Strangers told them on the streets. Businesses staged knock-knock contests.

Knock Knock? Who's There? Nobel.  
Nobel who? No bell. That's why I knocked.



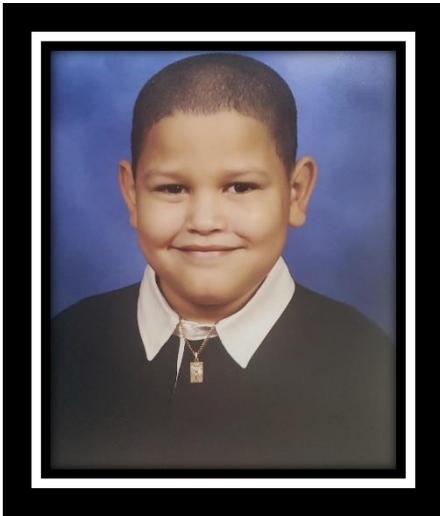
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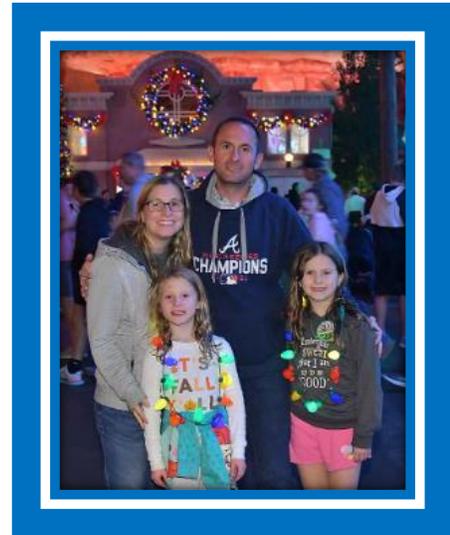


## STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Andres Ortiz



Andres is a kind student with a great personality!! He completes his work on time & loves to volunteer and answer questions. He is very thoughtful & caring towards his classmates & Mrs. Horvath. He is always concerned that everyone is paying attention & following along. He takes pride in his work that he completes as well.



My name is Melanie Cunningham. I teach Art K-8. I have been teaching for 16 years. I love teaching online because I love how I can combine videos and music into lessons I have taught for years.

In my free time, I like to paint, and hang out with my family. I am currently in the middle of reading Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets with my oldest daughter Riley. I have a dog named Lyla.

My favorite band is the Beatles. Love them! If I could have dinner with one person, it would be Paul McCartney of the Beatles.

My favorite visual artist is Vincent Van Gogh. (Starry Night)

My favorite food is Mashed Tators.

The last show I binge watched was Cobra Kai.

My family is everything to me, (Kenny, Riley, Piper and my Mom) and then it is art. I love to create and want to pass that on to anyone who will let me. I am also kind of shy, and do not like my picture taken.



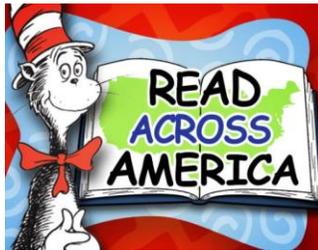
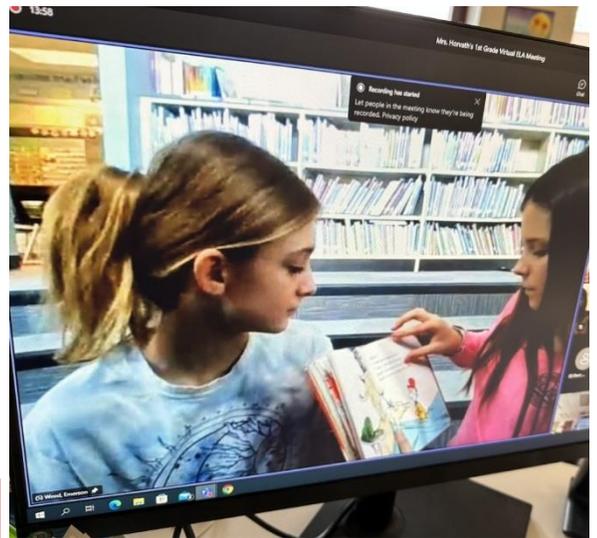


# GOOD NEWS

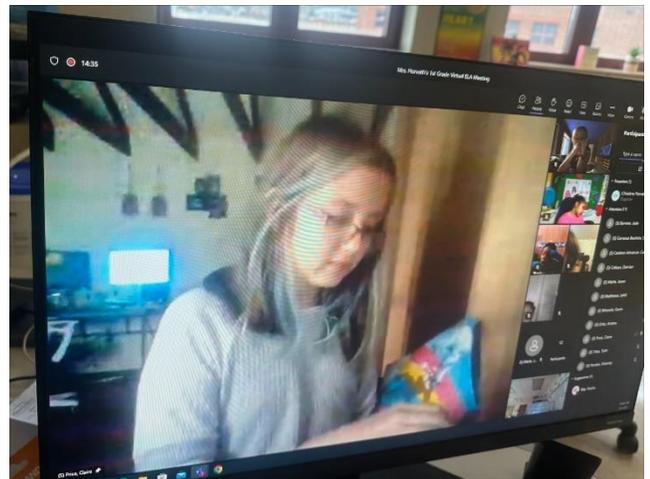
## Read **Across** America **Guest** Readers



Emerson & Stella



Claire

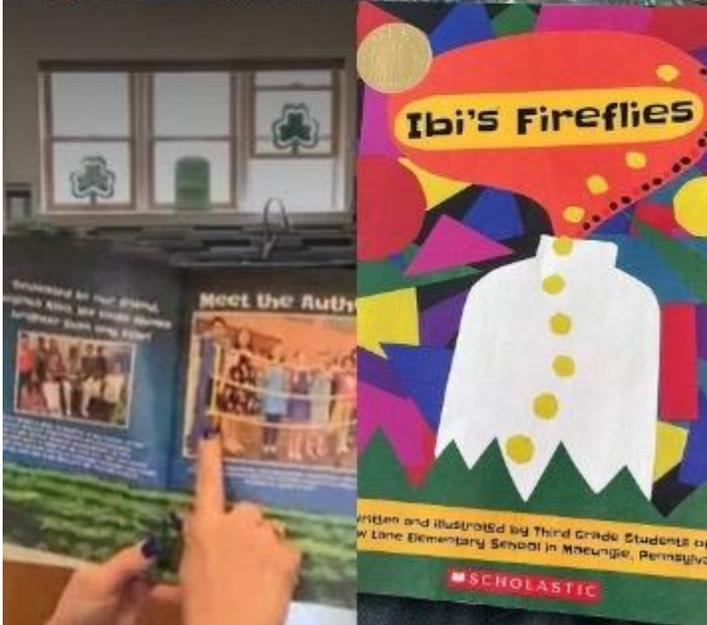




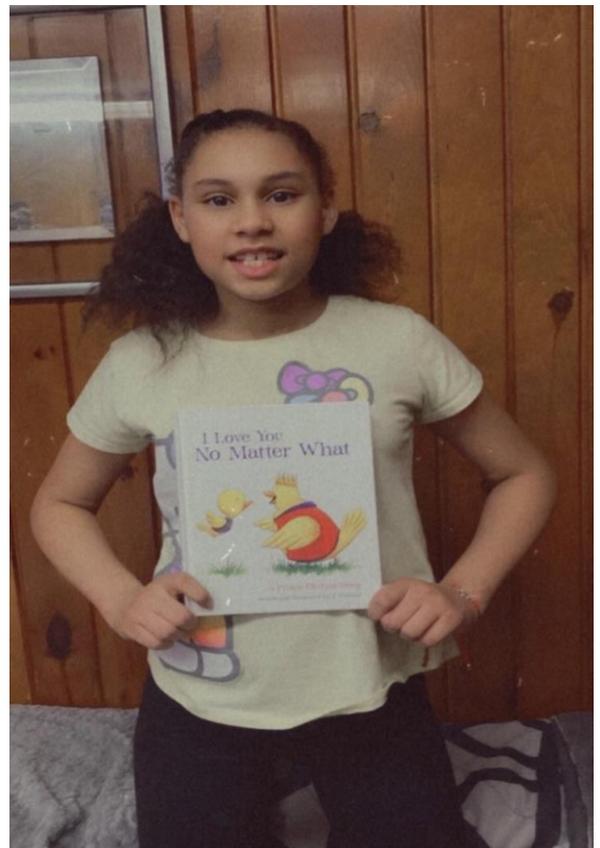
## Read **Across** America **Guest** Readers



Mrs. Sherri O'Donnell came to read to Miss Ednie's 3<sup>rd</sup> grade class for Read Across America week. Mrs. O'Donnell owns All That Dance Company in Hazleton and is good friends with the author of the book she read titled *Ibi's Fireflies*. This book was special because it was illustrated by third graders from a school in Pennsylvania. The reading was recorded so that the author could watch third graders enjoy his book that showcases the message to believe in yourself and chase your dreams.



Her teacher Miss Anderson chose fourth grader, Evangeline Rivera to read to the third graders last week. She chose to read the book *I Love You No Matter What*. She did a great job and was a great role model to the third graders!



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

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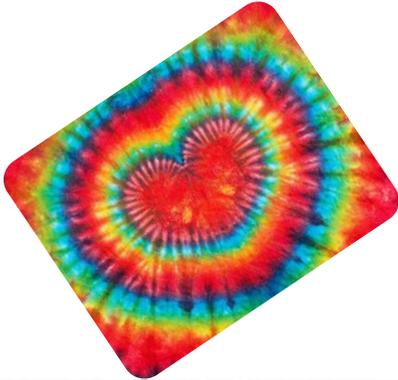
March is Art In Our Schools Month. We will be celebrating with fun dress up days and exciting events planned for all grades. We will end the month with a pARTy honoring Vincent Van Gogh's birthday and a Gallery Night on March 30<sup>th</sup>.

Show your Art Spirit all Month

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	01	02	03	04
05 	06 Take a picture of yourself with a mustache like Salvador Dali!	07	08 Wear secondary colors of Purple green and orange Take a picture!	09 7 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Tie Dye Day or Water Marbling Workshop	10 Dr Seuss Day! Wear a crazy hat like the Cat in a hat! Take a picture	11 
12	13 Dress like an Artist or what you think an artist looks like (take a picture)	14 	15 Wear different wacky patterns 6 <sup>th</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> Canvas Paint Part workshop	16 Wear green take a picture!	17 Act 80 Day! Relax and sketch!	18 
19	20 	21 Wear Primary Colors! Red Blue and Yellow Take a picture!	22 K-2 Coil Pots with model magic	23 Face painting day! Paint your face to celebrate art! Take a picture and send it in!!	24 Wear a tie dye. Take a picture!	25 
26	27	28	29	30 Gallery night and Van Gogh's Birthday! It's a pARTy!		01
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March  
National Arts Month  
2023

# Tie & Dye

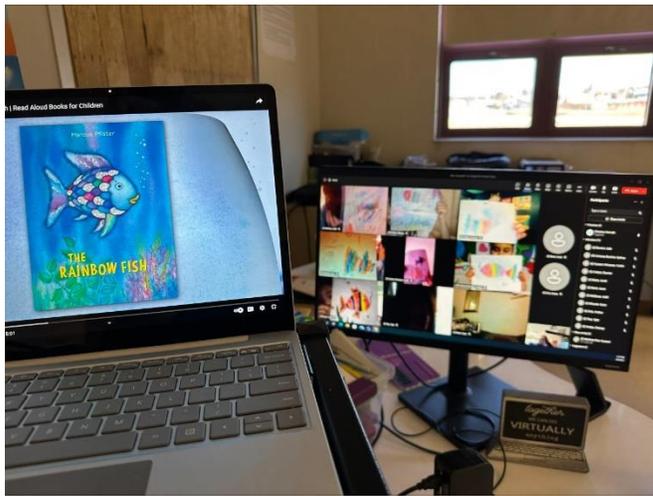




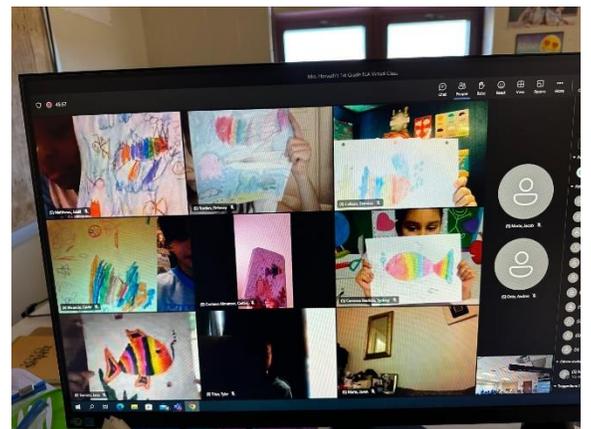
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Salvador Dali Mustache Pic



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## HAZLETON AREA CYBER ACADEMY PTA

The Hazleton Area Cyber Academy is excited to announce the new Hazleton Area Cyber Academy Parent Teacher Association. If you are interested in joining the PTA, please send an email to Amanda Kinney at [kinneya@hasdk12.org](mailto:kinneya@hasdk12.org).

HAZLETON AREA CYBER ACADEMY



PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION



If you are interested in purchasing an Autism Awareness shirt you can contact Mrs. Ramos at [ramosc@hasdk12.org](mailto:ramosc@hasdk12.org). Orders will be taking place through 3/24. \$12 for youth sizes and \$15 for adults. The proceeds are once again benefiting our very own students and will be used to provide them with more social interaction activities/workshops.

## ACT 158

There are still students who have not completed the ACT 158 requirement for graduation. Remember, you will not receive your diploma until you satisfy credit requirements and Act 158 state requirement. See guidance to assist you.

## LCCC INSTANT DECISION DAY

**Luzerne County Community College** will be holding a Spring visit at our school and Instant Admissions Day for any undecided seniors who would still like to apply on April 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am in the HAHS Library. Please e-mail your Guidance counselor to sign up. You can use this towards one of your artifacts.

- Mr. Corrado, **Letters A-B**
- Mrs. Chegwidden, **Letters K-Me**
- Mr. Teter, **Letters C-Co**
- Mrs. Hopkins, **Letters Mi-Pe**
- Ms. Hyduk, **Letters Cr-F**
- Mrs. Davis, **Letters Pf-Sa**
- Mrs. Papa, **Letters G-J**
- Mrs. Turse, **Letters Sc-Z**

## ATTENTION SENIORS



The link to order your cap and gowns are now on the Class of 2023 Team. There is a deadline to order so please order as soon as possible. If you do not have access to the team please contact Mrs. Medek at [medekm@hasdk12.org](mailto:medekm@hasdk12.org)



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## FERRWOOD MUSIC CAMP 2023

If you are in **grades 4-12** during the 2022 -2023 school year and you play an instrument, sing, can draw, or just love music and art !

**FERRWOOD MUSIC CAMP**  
is the place for you this summer!



🎵 **2023 Camp Dates** 🎵  
(Week 1 July 9<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>) (Week 2 July 16<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup>)

### Attending Ferrwood Music Camp you will

- 🎵 Meet new friends, have fun, participate in activities
- 🎵 Play in a variety of ensembles regardless of your ability level
- 🎵 Learn music from the best and brightest instructors
- 🎵 Learn to create visual art from a professional artist !

### Weeks 1 and 2

**Grades 4-12 Day Camp** 9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. Includes lunch, dinner, snack recreation and activities (**\$275 per week**)  
**Grades 5-12 Resident Camp** Includes breakfast, lunch, dinner, snack recreation and activities (**\$310 per week**)

### **Newcomers Nights Free Orientation for People New to Ferrwood!**

**Bring the family, see the camp, ask questions! Join Us for Newcomers Nights**

- 🎵 June 20th 6:00 PM at Camp
- 🎵 June 24th 6:00 PM at Camp
- 🎵 June 26th 6:00 PM at Camp
- 🎵 June 29th 6:00 PM at Camp
- 🎵 July 3rd 6:00 PM at Camp

*There will also be Virtual Zoom Tours for out-of-town students; dates and times TBA.  
Email [latella@ptd.net](mailto:latella@ptd.net) for more information on the virtual session*

We will meet in the kitchen and you can tour the facility, meet the administration, and ask any questions at this time.  
Please call or email to reserve your seat. **GPS ADDRESS 257 Middle Road 18224**

**Check us out: [www.ferrwood.org](http://www.ferrwood.org)**

**Questions Call - (570) 535-0633 Email- [latella@ptd.net](mailto:latella@ptd.net)**



Hazleton Area School District  
Vocal Music Department Presents



# Chorus Concert

Featuring the HAHS Cougar Chorus, HASD Silver Choir  
and HASD Crimson Choir

HAHS Auditorium

Thursday March 16, 2023 7:00PM

Admission: \$6 for Adults \$5 for students

(\$1 from each ticket goes to the Haraschak Memorial Scholarship)

