6TH GRADE PAWPRINT

Written by 6th Grade Reporters

October News

Interview with our School Principal

by Sadie

I recently sat down with our principal, Mr. Les Davis, and asked him a few questions. My first question was, “What is your hobby or what do you do in your spare time?” He said, “In my spare time I do wildlife photography.” The next question was, “What is something most people don’t know about you?” He answered, “I had the world’s record in 7th grade in a video game called Kaboom.” My last question for Mr.Davis was, “What grades did you teach when you were a teacher?” He told me that he taught every grade 6th-12th. So that's how my interview went with our school principal, Mr.Davis. I found the interview fun, because it was nice learning about him, interesting because I didn't know that he likes wildlife, has a world record, and taught every grade 6th-12th.

WHMS Little Free Library

By Susan

The WHMS Little Free Library is a mini library outside the White Hall Middle School in the front. You either leave a book, or you take a book home, read it, and then bring it back for others to read! It is located in the WHMS front parking lot in front of the office. Make sure to stop by it!



Choir

By Brianna

Interested in choir? Great! The White Hall Middle School choir is directed by Kyleigh Garrison. There are so many fun opportunities in choir such as a fun popcorn fundraiser, a year-end trip to Magic Springs located in Hot Springs, Arkansas, a trip to the Arkansas State Capitol, fun concerts, and, best of all, you can sing!

Seventh and eighth graders have the opportunity to audition for All Region Choir! All-Region Choir students come from all around Arkansas who come together to form a concert.

In choir you get divided up in a few parts of Sopranos and Altos. Sopranos sing higher and Altos sing lower. Over time you will learn more about music and solfege. And best of all, you can make lots of friends!

The Courtyard

By Anna

The courtyard is the place to be for kids to be around their friends and new people. In the mornings and during lunch, you have to stay in the courtyard or the cafeteria. Most people eat outside, because it is fun and you can talk as loud as you want.The most perfect thing is that it has benches, so you can sit down and hang out.

FUN FACTS! The courtyard used to not have benches like we do now, and the courtyard used to be dirt in the 70’s and 80’s, and it’s not like that anymore. My favorite part is that you can walk around without being told to sit back down and to be quiet, but there are always teachers outside watching to make sure students are safe and being good.

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FCA CLUB

By Alayna

The FCA is a club for athletes who believe in Jesus Christ. FCA stands for Fellowship of Christian Athletes. This club is run by Coach Brown and meets every Wednesday at 7:55 a.m. During the meetings, Coach Brown talks about stories from The Bible or talks about his relationship with Jesus. The fun part about this club is that…It's open to everyone! This club provides ministry, mentorship, and small-group huddles. The “small-group Bible studies and devotions” are designed to foster an identity based on faith rather than just athletic performance. FCA was founded in 1954 by Don McClanen. The club grew from just 15 people, and today it has over 2,000 staff members. This club is open to all students (6th-8th)! I hope to see yall there!💕🐶



Good Behavior

by Emma

WHMS hosted a good behavior party for students that had awesome behavior for the first quarter of school. Students were invited to go out in the courtyard and eat a snack with their friends and have fun, if they had not gotten detention, ISS, suspension, ETC. But in order for the school to do it again, students must follow the rules and give them multiple reasons to do it again. So students, be on your best behavior, so you can get a really good snack and have a fun time!

Interview with Principal Hunter Davis

By Sadie

I recently interviewed Mr. Hunter Davis and asked him a few questions. My first question was, “What is your hobby or what do you do in your spare time?” His answer was, “I love to golf and hunt.” Another question I asked him was, “What is something most people don’t know about you?” He said,”I'm 53 years old with two kids, one kid is five, and the other one is two.” My third question was,”How long have you been in education?” He said he’s been in education for 15 years! Lastly I asked him, “What grades did you teach when you were a teacher?” He said that he’s taught all grades Kindergarten-12th. My interview with Mr. Hunter Davis was fun, because I found out some pretty interesting facts about him that I didn’t know.

It’s Fall Y'all!

By Annabelle

Wow! It’s already Fall, can you believe it? Fall Break happened so quickly and lasted for two days from Oct 19-20th. Fall Break didn’t seem long, but it was a 4 day weekend! Fall Break is a ‘holiday’ for the beginning of fall. I don’t know about you, but I love Fall Break mostly because you spend time with your family and best of all … get to sleep in! You may not like to sleep in, because you might like to get things done in the morning but not me! I hope you had a wonderful Fall Break!



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Coach Luster

By Khasyn

I interviewed Coach Antoine Luster. His hobbies are bowling, cooking, working out, and shopping. In his free time, he likes to spend time with his family and friends. Most people don't know that he has an older brother and a younger sister. He has been in education for 6 years and started coaching sports in the 2021-2022 school year. I enjoyed learning new things about Coach Luster, because he helps people, and he always has a smile on his face!

What's RTI?

By: Olivia

RTI is a 5th period class where students are selected by teachers to get extra help or enrichment on a specific topic. You can have one of three types of RTI. One type is your normal classes like math, science, social studies, or English. Another type can be study periods. The final one is your elective, like EAST, Band, or Choir. You can find your schedule in the cafeteria, in gmail, or RTI scheduler. These sites show you:

- *What the class is*
- *Who the teacher is*
- *What day you have them*

Yes, these sites show you the whole week, which is helpful. Students don't have to stress about who they have all week. Students can plan ahead and get ready to learn in RTI!



Snack Shack

By Annabelle

You may be asking, "Where are these people getting snacks?" Well, the snacks are from the Snack Shack. To pay for the snacks you need to have money on your ID card. The Snack Shack opens about 10 minutes after lunch begins and closes about 5 minutes before lunch ends. The Snack Shack has different types of snacks like oven-baked chips, ice cream, cookies, drinks, and more! My personal favorite is ice cream. You may be wondering what type of prices they have- $0.75-$3.00. The Snack Shack is located in the lunch room, and when you walk in you will see it!

Have fun snacking!

Pep Assemblies

By: Skiler

About four times a year, White Hall Middle School has pep assemblies, where the entire school gets together in the gym to have fun and celebrate school spirit. There are dancers, cheerleaders, and the 7th-8th grade bands performing. We've had 2 pep assemblies this year already. The first one was on September 17, ***and our second one was on*** October 8. ***We wore pink for Breast Cancer Awareness during our most recent assembly. They also picked some students to play in a game. I was in a game called "Snatch the Wigs"! From personal experience, it was really fun! Come and celebrate School Spirit at our pep-assemblies.***

GO BULLDOGS!

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Interview with Mrs. Moseley

By Nathan

Mrs. Moseley enjoys cooking, spending time with family, fishing, and writing short stories. An interesting fact that most people don't know about her is that she is the youngest of ten children and was raised on a farm. She has been teaching in White Hall School District for 38 years: 1) Gandy Elementary; 2) Hardin Elementary; 3) Redfield Jr. High; and 4) White Hall Middle School.





WHMS News

By Shelby

WHMS news is written by students to update you on things that are happening. The Scholastic Book Fair has ended, and there will be another later on in the school year. Please remember that if you don't have your ID on and around your neck, you will get a write up. **Students please remember!!** At your lunch time you may line up outside the snack bar. You will wait for the snack bar to open. Once it opens there are only three people allowed inside at a time. **No eating in the snack line!!** Also, please remember when eating lunch in the courtyard, no standing on the walls or walking on the grass. Fall break was Oct. 19th and 20th, and I hope you enjoyed your break! Also, there is a Veterans' Day paper that you may fill out if you have a Veteran in the family for the Memorial Wall. It needs to be turned in by November 8th. Have a great day, WHMS students!

Interview with Mrs. Camp

Mrs. Camp is a fun and loving social studies teacher. She has taught for 6 years. Her favorite color is emerald green, she loves Chinese food, and her favorite thing to do outside of school is read sci- fi books! When Mrs.Camp was younger, she was a background singer for a Christian album. Today, Mrs. Camp is currently a singer for the choir at White Hall First Baptist Church.

-Valynn

Wheel Classes

By Emma

It is new to most of us that we switch wheel classes each 9 weeks. In 6th grade, our wheel class options are P.E., music, reading, and keyboarding. In P.E., there is Marathon Monday, while in music you learn about music and the history of music. In keyboarding, you learn to type. While some do not like it, others think it's awesome!

Alayna's Interview with Mr. Godfrey

1. What do you do in your free time?
"I play games on my phone."
2. What is something most people don't know about you?
"I used to be a certified bridal consultant."
3. How long have you been in education?
"I have been in education for 3 years."
4. What is your favorite drink or snack?
"My favorite drink is Dr. Pepper, and my favorite snack is Cheetos."
5. Who is your favorite person?
"My favorite person is my wife." (Heather)
6. Where is your favorite place?
"My favorite place is Beaufort, North Carolina."
7. What are your plans for the future?
"My plan is to travel to a bunch of places."