

White Oak Elementary



Inspiring Within Each Child the Confidence to Become a Lifelong Learner

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A kindergarten class at White Oak enjoys the maze of tunnels as they work their way through the various pathways. They must pass safely, and cannot exit until they find an opening.

(right) Former-CIA agent Andy Anderson dramatizes the storyline of a spy novel for listeners during our school-wide celebration of reading adventures.

(below) President George W. Bush visited Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune on April 3, 2003, giving Alex Kenneke and his mom,Kathy, the chance to snap this once-in-a-lifetime shot!







(right) Students lined Hwy. 24 to show support for local military troops who were deployed to the Middle East. Many children at White Oak had parents called overseas.



Growing Strongs Mind,

Nestled under
100-year-old oak trees
and surrounded by
wetlands, White Oak
Elementary has been a
part of the Cape
Carteret community

Since 1964. Currently 555 K-5 students attend daily.

What makes this tiny school special is the people inside. From the students to the staff and administration, WOES boasts a warm and caring spirit reflective of the tight-knit community where it makes its home. A Rare Gem of the Crystal Coast.

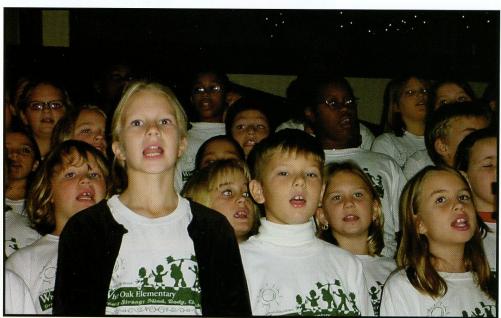


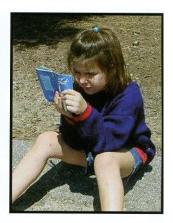
(left)Never underestimate the power of play! Recess provides students with necessary "down time" from their busy academic schedules.



(left) Whether it's in the Mousepad, the CCC lab or in the classroom, computers are integrated into learning throughout each school day.

(below) A Guided Reading Program is in place at WOES and reading is celebrated openly. Below a student enjoys the sunshine and a good book.





(left) Third, fourth and fifth grade Camerata members performed at the Festival of Trees in Morehead City. They sang holiday and patriotic favorites.

Body, Character

White Oak Celebrates the Spirit Within Each Child

The school's philosophy encourages every child to reach his fullest potential. Staff members teach the NC Standard Course of Study, integrating the

arts and focusing on an understanding of the mul-tiple intelligences. The individuality and spirit of each child is celebrated and nourished.

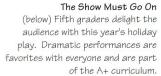
Growing Strong: Mind, Body, Character.

"I like to work hard because I love to learn, and because this school is the BEST!"-Hunter Henry, 2nd grade



It's Time to Celebrate

(right) Kelsey Whaley shows off her Worthy is the Lamb costume. (below) The PTO-sponsored Fall Festival provides the community with a great family night out.

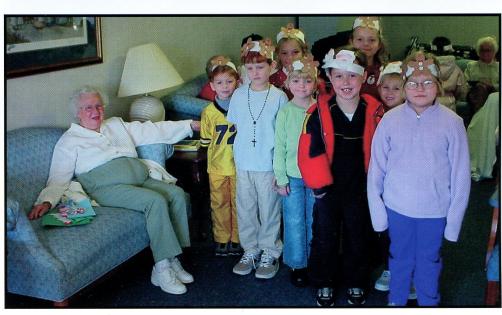












Out and About

(middle) Field trips like the one second grade took to Raleigh museums give students hands-on learning experiences. (above) The Annual Book Fair provides financial resources for the Media Center.

It Takes a Community

(right) Children at White Oak learn about the importance of a community. The first grade visited with local seniors to share songs and holiday cheer.

It Was a Worderful Years

Education... and so much more!!!

First Day of School...Fall
Festival...Open House...Red
Ribbon Week...Poetry Alive...Phil
Kirk Presentation, WOES School
of Excellence Award...Storybook
Character Parade...Festival of
Trees...Toys for Tots...Holiday
Sing...PTO Fundraisers... 4th
Grade Mystery Tour...Risk

Watch...Jump Rope for Heart...Pajama Day...Saluting the Troops... Ronald McDonald Program on Reading...Character Ed...Feed the Need Food Challenge... DARE graduation ...Breakfast with Books ...4th & 5th Grade Dance Recital... Arts in Motion... A+ Attitudes...

Honor Assemblies ...2nd Grade
Arts Night ...1st Grade Math
Night ...Read In ...Guitarist David
Burgess,...4th Grade Writing
Test ...ACC Fan Friday...
Camerata...Arts in Motion
...Spring Showcase ...EOG's
...Literature on the Lawn...AR
Celebration...Summer Vacation!



(left) On Valentine's Day White Oak students and staff took part in Jump Rope for Heart and raised almost \$10,000 for the American Heart Association.

(below) It's a sight we all love to see at White Oak...first graders dressed in PJ's and hugging a favorite stuffed animal for Pajama Day.





(left) Geared up and ready to go! Fourth grade students visit local Bear Island to learn more about Coastal North Carolina history.

"I really like art and music.

I like music because I always feel the tune. I like art because I can use my imagination."

-Jannessa Rathburn, 2nd

"I like rest time because I get to sleep with my Beanie Baby. I like going to centers because they have toys. I like my friends and I learn fun things from my teachers."-Kyle Sawyers, K

"I like reading."-Caleb S.,1st

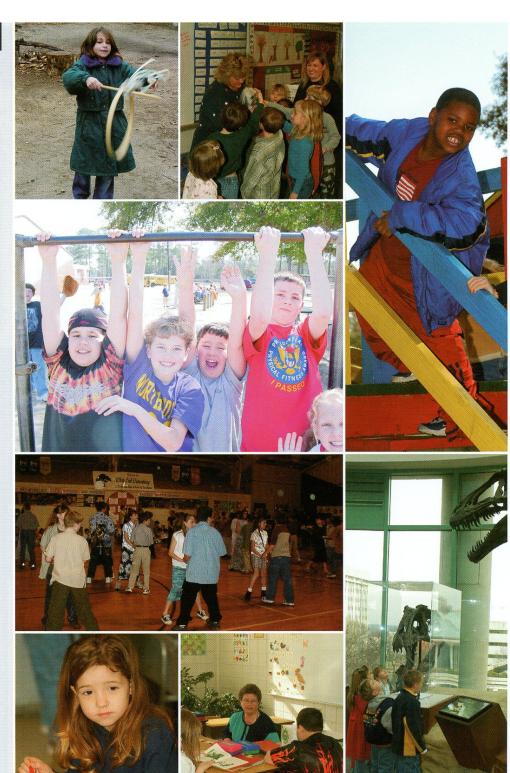
"I like the teachers and principals and kids." -Mary Leonard, 1st

"I like the volunteers like Mr. Klein. I like him becuase he is nice. He is really helpful. He makes me feel good when I am sad." -Josh Wells,3rd

"I most enjoy recess, my friends, lunch and science." - Adam Grafton, 4th

"What I enjoy most about attending school at White Oak is how kind the people are."-Molly O'Brien, 4th

"I loved 5th grade because changing classes and Camerata were awesome. We had great fun and got to travel and perform. Spring Showcase was the best." - Paxton Wood, 5th



















"I have a great teacher and classmates. I enjoy doing my work nice and neat."-Kevin Parker, K

"I really like center time, CCC, and Art. School is cool -most of the time."-Emily Stevens, 1st

"I enjoyed our field trip to the museum."-Emily Metts, 2nd

"I enjoy math because I like to do subtraction problems. I'm on the RED Critter Test."-Zachary Driver, 2nd

"I like this school because the lunch ladies serve good food and you can get ice cream. We earn extra recess sometimes!" -Kelsey Whaley, 3rd

"I like that we learn different things every year. I enjoy math this year because it is my good thing."-Sergio Vazquez,4th

"What I like about WOES is that I can talk to my teacher about anything." -Celeste Taitague,5th

"I like WOES because of the Computer Lab. Mrs. DeBurkarte is a very patient teacher, and very tall! We do fun activities with the computers." -Cassidy Collins, 3rd

Administrative Team

The WOES administration, faculty and staff hold high expectations for students in academics and behavior. Incentive programs are in place to encourage students to do well. Additionally, the principal and assistant

principal want students to balance all that hard work with having fun. This year a challenge was issued for the spring AR celebration. If students read at least 5,000 books, Mrs. Fowler and Superintendent Lenker

must kiss a pig!! White Oak's
administrative team is
extended to the school
guidance counselor, the front
office personnel, the school
Leadership Team, the Parent
Advisory Council and PTO
Board of Directors.

High expectations are balanced with showing children they are respected & cared about.

(right)
Principal Wanda Nelson Fowler
congratulates Deanna Bottomly
for winning the
5th Grade Geography Bee.

(below)
SIMS Manager Charlene Barnes
is responsible for all student
information records; she, along
with Miss Donna, keeps the
front office running smoothly.



(right)Kyle Sawyers is shown cashing in as the winner of the PTO fundraiser, Lunch-with-the-Principal.







(left) Asst. Principal Rita Mullins has direct responsibilities for student discipline and buses. She also spends positive time with children coaching in LifeTime Skills.









(above) Parent Advisory (L-R) seated: Lynne Dweikat & Toni Winchester. Standing: Becky Lynch, Jimmy Farrington, Pete & Suzanne Cochran. Not pictured: Ginny Grafton, Mike Lynch, Judy Redfearn, Ed Sowell & Vivianne Wersel.

(far left)Counselor Jo Ann Norman is responsible for guidance and EOG test coordination.
(left)Secretary/bookeeper Donna Allen is the heart and soul of the front office operations as well as our in-house interior decorator.

Meeting the Needs of Each Child



Kathy Eatmon E.C. Teachr



Anne Hume E.C. Teacher



Lisa Pike E.C. Teacher



Luretha Stone Teacher Assistant





(middle picture) Title I Reading Teacher, Nancy Duddy (left) is in charge of the School-Wide Read-In. (above) William Scott joined the staff late in the year as a Teacher Assistant



(above) Misty Jolly, Title One, shares her unique personality with 1st grade students. (right) Speech Teacher Leslie Woolard's students play Go Fish to reinforce letter sounds.



(below) Debbie Baker, CCC coordinator, oversees CCC, AR, and technology trouble shooting.

(below) In Art students learn that primary colors are the basis of painting skills.





(left) Integrating technology and music--Carteret Co's only MIDI Lab.

(below) Pat Godwin, Media Center Assistant, helps teach library skills.









(above) Cheryl DeBurkarte, Technology Facilitator, teaches children computer skills.





(above) Music and P.E. combines to teach social dance, a new experience for many students.

(left) Ms. Turner, Media Center, teaches students library and research skills-important for success in school.

Encore Teachers Have an A+ Attitude



Kathy Hines

Physical Education



Sharon Martin

Physical Education



Kristen Viszneki

Music Camerata

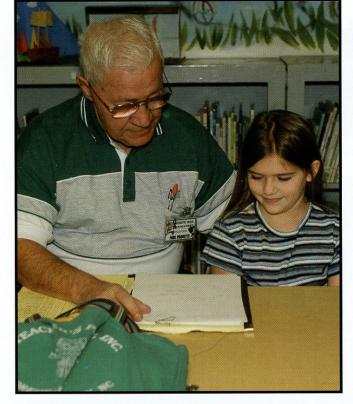


Susan Wallace

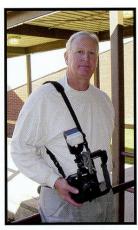
Visual Arts

Support

P.T.O., Volunteers, Boys and Girls Club and Officer Friendly Lend a Hand







White Oak had strong community support this school year. The PTO, guided by President Vivianne Wersel, provided family centered activites that proved to be successful fund-raisers for the school. A record number of volunteers worked with individual students and classroom teachers. Officer Friendly, Lt. Ron Carter, shared Risk Watch topics with K-2 students.







County School System Provides Specialists



School Nurse Yonda Godette visits the school twice a week to provide health services for all students.



(left) Amy Radford, Audiologist; (right) Lynn Hallman, Teacher for the Hearing Impaired, Carteret County Schools.



Academically and Intellectually Gifted Teacher, Chrissy Brooks, works with students once a week.

Team











Custodial and Food Service Staff Play Important Roles

Keeping the school clean is a difficult job, but important to the safety and well-being of the students and staff.

The Food Service Staff provides students with a balanced menu, helping them make better food choices for a healthier lifestyle.

(top R) Head Custodian Annie Henderson, (top L) Custodians, Florence Lester & Vernon Harvey. Food Service: (bottom L-R) Charlene Rhue, Donna Dowdy, Nannette Page, Jackie Brown, Debbie Russell, Cafeteria Manager Lois Waters (seated)

To Help Meet the Needs of WOES Students

(right) Cynthia Downum, Helping Teacher leads one of many Parent Night meetings at WOES.



(right) Jeff Stone
Occupational
Therapist,
Carteret
County Schools

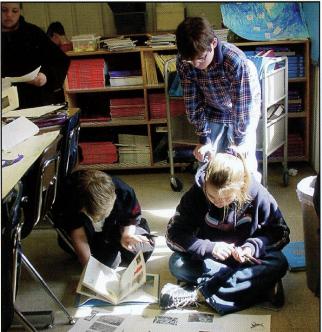


(right) Becky Juhl, School Psychologist, Carteret County Schools

































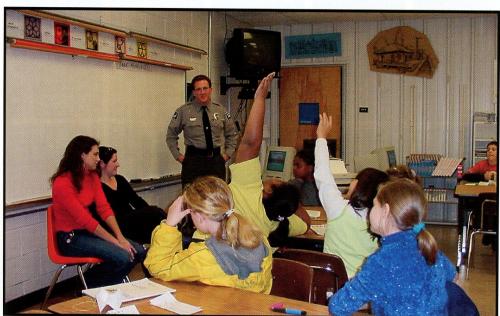


(left) Madeline and Zack use compasses and protractors in Mrs. Barbre's math class to find the radius of a circle and angles of lines.



(left) Fifth grade took a field trip to Emerald Isle during Beach Clean-Up Day to help keep our local beaches litter-free.

(below)The 5th grade helped plant Azaleas to make our school look great. The Azaleas were provided to the school as part of a grant-fundea beautification project.





(left) Officer Waters, the Fifth Grade D.A.R.E Teacher teaches Mr. Fed's class. The D.A.R.E Program teaches students about drugs and violence and how to stay drug free.

Fifth Grade

We're the Leaders of the School and WE Rule

Fifth grade, our final year at White Oak, was really fun. We had good times and good laughs.

We loved...
recess, biome projects,
DARE, Miss Nibbles, A+
Outings, Beach Sweep,
straw geometry,
Christmas parties,
fifth grade

dance, Mr. Fed's jokes, the Christmas play, roller coasters, Indian projects, working on the yearbook, doing the news, and switching classes.

Mrs. Barbre's Class

Jo Ann Barbree, Teacher Kenny Barton Kena Bottomly Jolean Brann Jonathan Cowart











Jillian Farrington Jon Hannah Brooke Kefner Helen Holt Andrew Kofink











Brian Little, Jr. Christopher Meadows Kurt Mentnech Ar'neka Montford Josh Moyer











Caitlyn Redfearn
Daniel Scott
Rush Spence
Jessie Stoltz
Katie Wersel











Jade Winberry Paxton Wood Peter Yutrzenka







One word to describe Mrs. Barbre's homeroom would be diverse. We had all different levels of academic structure and popularity. We had compassion for each other and helped each other, but our diversity forced us to get into small arguments and form tight groups. The groups loosened as the year progressed. Mrs. Barbre and our other very informative teachers helped us realize our individual qualities. DARE affected us like nothing else. Boy did we have fun this year! Remember: working together builds, focusing on differences destroys.





Mrs. Brown os Class











Jeanne Brown, Teacher Amber Brinkley Courtney Burch Cade Cleckner Lisa Collins











Jessica Coltabaugh Steven Copley Jessi DAy Alexander Dweikat Max Harlacher











Samantha Harris Kevin Jones Mariah Judon Amanda Konicki Nicholas Lini











David Morehead Michelle O'Connor Cameron Willis Gordon Winchester Chris Woodside













We are the leaders of this school. W have fun switching classes. Mrs. Brown i awesome and does give a lot c homework! Our class is great at workin together. Most of all, all of us agree, ou favorite subject is RECESS!!!

Mr. Fedorowicz's Class

Jerry Fedorowicz, Teacher Jamie Chadwick Daniel D'Amato Madeline Hogan John Hyler



















Lauren O'Conner Nirali Patel TJ Ross Chelsea Sanderson Timothy Shoaf











Zachary Sowell Tyler Sowers Alisha Starr Dare Talley Ryan Willis











Mallory Winters Matthew Wright





This year has been a blast! Food fights at the lunch table and Roller Coaster Mania. Some of us are realizing that this year is almost up and we won't be here next year. Through good times and bad, we will always remember White Oak.





Mrs. Brieger's Class











Sue Krieger, Teacher Justin Ablan Rachel Bryant David Defeo Henley Denning









Jessica Edwards Danielle Hill Shaquala Hill-Coleman Brewer Hughes Bailey Jones









Morgan McGowen Ashely Morris Andrea Nelson William Parker Madelyn Putney











Cristopher Reese Chelsea Sanderson Katie Sears Cody Smith Shena Stroman







Ian Aeschbacher Bruce Anderson Aly Wolcott





HIP HOP ROCK!!!

We're Krieger's class and we're jammin' witl the grades. We're cute and we're loud and we' got it made.

Mrs. Tribb's Class

Rachel Tritt, Teacher Tim Ansel Alex Canby Patrick Conneely Travis Cook























Trevor Harris Katie Lynch Meagan Manning Christian Naiman Jackson O'Berry











Matthew Puff Jasmine Russell Robin Seelmann Branden Sewell Celeste Taitague











Our class had many lessons in friendship this year. We enjoyed working together on the beach sweep, planting bushes and trees on our campus and learning to work better in cooperative groups. Most of all we have enjoyed our class pet, Nibbles!!





5th Grade Teams Up With Technology to Bring Us the Daily News



Good Morning, White Oak...

Each morning at 8:10 the student-produce morning news is broadcast all around WOE: providing the school with the latest news and weather.

Behind the Scenes.

Learning to work the cameras takes skill and practice. Producing the news is hard work, whether you're in front of, or behind, the cameras.







Practice, Practice, Practice

Mr. Fed oversees the preparation of the news. Writing, studying scripts, conducting interviews, practicing and being on time takes a lot of work.

The WOES News Team

Fifth grade news anchors, special reporters, and camera people make up the news team.





Having fun on the slide!



It's a long and winding road to Bear Island!





(above) Hangin'Out!

(left)Black Beard really does live (at the fourth grade Mystery Tour)!

Fourth Grade

Fourth Grade Is...

A labyrinth, hard, cool, elaborating, confusing sometimes, strict, the hardest yet, awesome, fun, easy, a knockout, super, an adventure, simple, new friends, interesting, exciting,

great teachers, mathematical, extra recess, fast, the bomb, sweet, extreme, sometimes boring, a learning time, not too hard, noisy, writing,

a lot of homework, field trips, being prepared, poetry, paying attention, respect, lots of tests, nice teachers, challenging, wonderful, getting organized, unbelievable!

Mrs. Garner s Class

Cynthia Garner, Teacher Kelsea Blais Trevor Brownlow Scott Covington Tori Duff











Joseph Fowler Zack Hughes Spencer Lacy Clay Lilley Megan Lini











Josh Matthews Logan Nutter Christopher Pant Anthony Petrilli Heather Russell











Kristen Seeker Robert Simon Michael Springfield Jesse Todd Corrie Wall











Garner's Gators

We searched for Christmas! ...built simple machines... and made connections!





Mrs. Joyes? Class







Rayne Jones, Teacher

Glenn Comer Dominique Dillahunt



Tyler Libby Ashley Mather Summer Mathis Star Montford Heidi Pearce



Tim Saenger Taylor Watts Kati Major





The Mystery of Tom Dula lives on. We worked hard and had fun We survived the vicious 4TH GRADE WRITING TEST! Look out 5th grade, here we come!

Mrs. Morton's Class

Crystal Morton, Teacher Lana Adams Jake Barrow Tessa Blankenship Johnise Brimmer











Dillon Cochran Hannah Dweikat Robert Gladwell Dana Guthrie Wyatt Hume











Brian Kaffenbarger Katie Lesko Sheila Littleton Molly O'Brien Geoffrey Pruitt











William Ribar Daniel Roberts Joey Spencer Kaylin Starnes Isaac Toler











Brantlee Barwick Garrett Wilson





Making new friends ... accepting responsibilities ... learning long division ... changing classes ...

--We did all this and more in Mrs. Morton's class.





Mrs. Partos Class





Stacy Pant, Teacher Kristina Barton Shaylyn Caldwell Tyquon Davis Sabrina Gibble



Adam Grafton Stephan Hegarty Kenny Hill Danny Krieger Austin Mackey



Gabby Marello Kevin Morris Blake Perkins Heather Phillips Justin Poe







Victoria Richards Sergio Vazquez Allison Dominguez Samantha Powell





Pant's Pirates!

Ms. Venning's Class

Stephanie Venning, Teacher Sean Ast Sean Butler Todd Cook Joshua Fulp











Patrick Hernandez Dominic Linares Brandon McLeod Sam McCauley Venessa Meaney











Jacob Oehl Brianna Padgett Courtney Pant Shaquille Ray Kody Rhodes











Brooke Ross Ashley Sewell Louie Sinning







Go Tar Heels!
We made a "Promise To Amy" and
learned how to live without an
assistant. We had a real Christmas tree
and so many things to celebrate...
We're ready for the fifth grade!!





White Oak's Camerata Sings

Great American Music

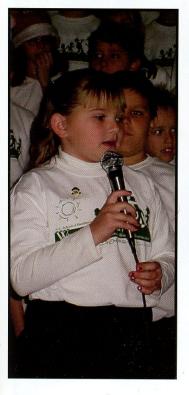


Let Freedom Sing...

The group's focus this year was to celebrate with America's songs. Favorites included "God Bless the U.S.A." and "Fifty Nifty United States." Students enjoyed honoring our great nation with these timeless classics.

Spring Showcase TraditionOur season finale is the Spring Showcase, where students get a taste of Broadway by preparing a first-class musical revue for the local community.





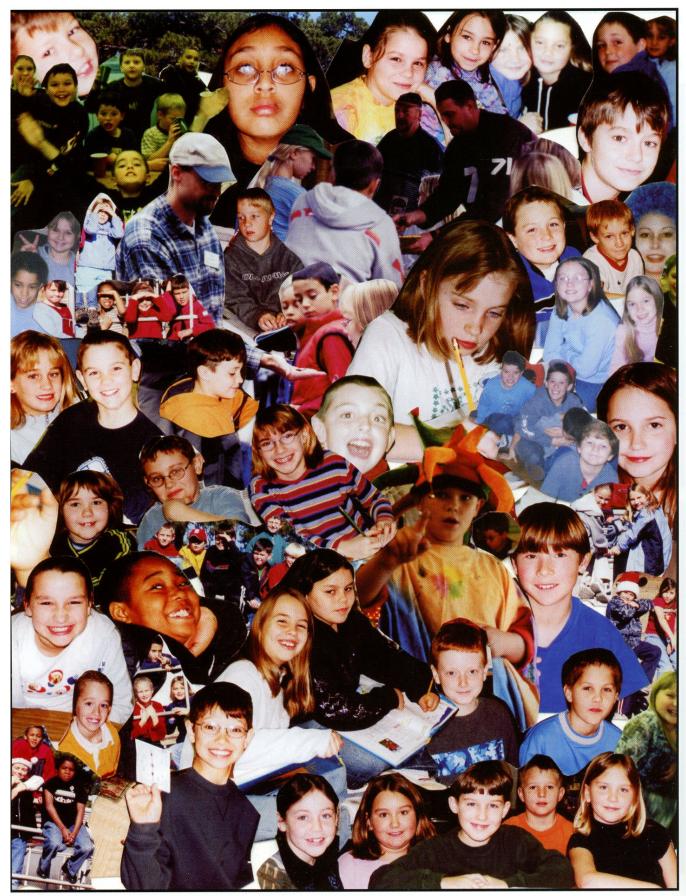


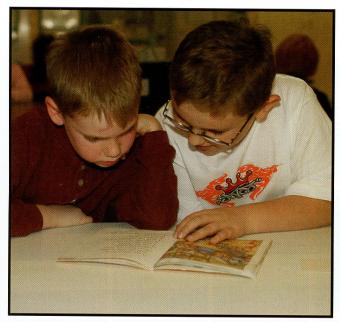
Going Solo

Many students had the opportunity to perform solos. The voices of these brave souls delighted the audience. Kristen Viszneki, Music teacher, set high standards for the Camerata performers.

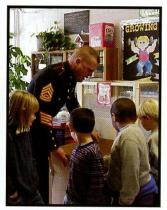
Rehearsals at 7:30A.M.!

An integral part of a successful performing group is th routine of rehearsing. Working together two mornings : week helped create a unique and amazing ensemble.





(left) Corey Phillips works with his reading buddy, Hunter Chappel.
Many classes at White Oak team up with students from different grade levels to practice and build their reading skills.



(left)Pam Benson's class started the wheels turning for the school-wide Toys-for-Tots drive at Christmas. The students donated new toys to help children in the loca community have a nicer holiday.

(below) Boys just gotta have fun! Wi Holloway demonstrates the proper technique for having fun at recess, ¿ valuable part of any third grader's day.





(left) Natalie Petrilli questions students about how a display at Imagination Station might work. The third graders spent the day learning about science at the hands-on, interactive museum in Wilson, N.C.

Third Grade

You are now in the presence of greatness!

The 2002-2003 third graders at WOES have had a fun-filled year thinking, reasoning and exploring with a variety of hands-on lessons and activities to prepare them to be successful in 4th grade. We enhanced our

curriculum through field studies to Cool Springs Environmental Ed. Center, Imagination Station and Camp Don Lee. At Tryon Palace we compared Colonial life to life today. The three R's filled our classrooms.

and the traditional third grade multiplication tables and cursive writing rounded out the year. Each child realized their own potential greatness during this truly memorable school year. Salute!

Mrs. Benson's Class

Pam Benson, Teacher Cathy Testerman, Assistant Stevie Brinson Lenny Butta Alex Coltabaugh











Morgan Comer Jazmine Cooper Emily Farrington Tyler Greene Nicole Hebert











Casey King Jordan Konicki Victoria Kroll Erik Manning Mitchell Meadows











Montana Moore Rachel O'Connor Anthony Perkins Brittany Riggs Ron Schirmer,III











Samantha Sutzko Joshua Tobin Luis Vazquez Jordan White Benjamin Woolard











(near right) Luis Vazquez races simulated wild animals at Imagination Station. (far right) The Eagles enjoyed studying how different cultures celebrate with Holidays Around-the-World.





Miss Davis' Class











Leslyn Davis, Teacher Seth Becker Kaitlyn Blakenship Jarrod Ewing Savanah Fletcher











Morgan Flythe Kelsey Hernandez Conor Hopewell Millicent Jones Grayson Ketterer











Jamie Lewis Adam Littleton Darby Oehl Erica Pekkela Corey Phillips











April Russell Julie Sanchez Morgan Smith Jake Sowell Maggie Sowell













According to fairy tale legend, if you kiss a frog it turns into a prince! Have Miss Davis Frogs turned into princes and princesses? (left) The Frogs pose in front of Tryon Palac after learning about Colonial Times. (right) small group works to prepare for this year's End-of-Grade testing.

Mrs. Himes' Class

Barrie Himes, Teacher Jo Sutzko, Assistant Justin Brann John Cooke Lucas Frye











Donavone Henry Will Holloway Briana Johnson Timmy Jones Alex Kenneke











Austin Long Jon Mancini Derek Manning Vance Miller Drew Murray











Adrienne Norman Josh Nutter Trishna Patel Diamond Pelton Kasey Rivera











Leah Sawyers Christopher Speciale Jake Stevens Jordan Watson Kelsey Whaley

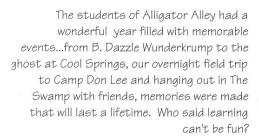
















Mrs. Simmons' Class











Sherry Simmons, Teacher Becky Johnson, Assistant Kevin Baggs Morgan Bourquin Alexandria Brimmer











Caleb Carpenter Amber Clarke Cassidy Collins Allison Conner Claire Ferebee











Kristyn Godwin Ryan Hogan Dwayne Jackson Aileach Kelly Brittany Little











David Lynch Joshua Marks Matthew Michael Courtney Partington Gianno Petrilli











Jason Rathburn Erik Riggs Braxton Spence Joshua Wells Haley Wester





(left)Our dynamite Dolphins spent the year learning how to work cooperatively with one another in an academic environment, and how to apply newly acquired knowledge in meaningful ways.

(far left)Camp Don Lee provided students with an unforgettable opportunity to camp overnight while they participated in super hands-on science exercises. From star studies to smores by the campfire, students had a wonderful time.





(left) Parents and their children dance merrily around the Maypole at Second Grade Arts Night.



(left) It's hard to imagine any living thing can have a mouth as large as this! Second graders took a field trip to NC Museums in Raleigh to wrap up their unit on dinosaurs.

(below) Observing a future butterfly...students learn about life cycles by studying the metamorphosis of this beautiful creature.





(left) The Octogon House--history and math united. Students visit the Otway Burn's historical site, a recently restored community landmark.

Second Grade

From Critters to Dinosaurs, Second Grade Keeps Its Hands On Learning Our focus in second grade is upon the community and how we can enrich and enhance our neighborhoods. Second graders grow from being dependent on the family to becoming contributing citizens in their community. This metamorphosis is amazing to watch, guide and participate in during one short year.

The activities at this grade level are varied and multi-faceted. They range from food drives and decorating trees for the Festival of Trees to improving our school environment with plants and animals. One of the highlights of the year is our Second Grade Arts Night. We get to show off what

we have learned to our parents.

Children develop a love for learning and leave second grade with a sound knowledge of the Standard Course of Study. They enjoy the year and, more importantly, "learn" how to be lifelong learners. They are on the road to third grade.

Mrs. Blais' Class

Judy Blais, Teacher Martha Walston, Assistant Serenia Barnes, Assistant Katie Ansel Maegan Broughman























Steven Hodges Marshall Judon Yasmen McMillian Kenny Morris Madison Pake











Josh Peterson Toni Pruitt Morgan Register Brittany Russ Jesse Wagstaff











Morgan Willis



Welcome to our Second Grade Class Family. We work together using our LifeTime Skills. We like to read AR Books and do Math Critters. We enjoy our class guinea pig named Dezey. We believe we are the best Second Grade Class in our school!





Mrs. Brinson's Class











Tammi Brinson, Teacher Sue Babulski, Assistant Emily Abshear Hannah Chandarana Alyssa Claunch









Ryan Dail Tiffani Day Brianna Jenkins Christopher Jones Ryan Jones









Denise Lee Fred Mathers Caleb Meadows Chase Pake Jannessa Rathburn











Wesley Redfearn Taylor Ruby Tierney Sanders Kyle Snyder Hannah Toler







Summer Vinson Zachary Lilley Brianna Jenkins David Griffin





Our school year started off by voting on a class name. The students voted and we became known as the "Dolphins". We have been very busy this year on becoming better readers, mathematicians scientists, and historians. We have had lots of fun studying bats, dinosaurs, penguins, owls, and raising our own butterflies. The "Dolphins" have had a very successful and fun year!

Mrs. Cook's Class

Jeannie Cooke, Teacher Jami Ansel, Assistant Brandon Ast Mikala Bottomly Hampton Denning





















Desiree Riley Justin Rubiski Jacob Spell Madalynn Varner Logan Watson











Ashli Whaley



(right) Students sing dinosaur songs before sharing their dinosaur projects with the class.

(far right) Second Grade Arts Night was loads of fun for everyone. Even the parents had fun weaving the muli-colored ribbons around the May Pole.





Mrs. Martin's Class











Ann Martin, Teacher Janet Payne, Assistant Mary Barrow Alex Broughman Sierra Coons











Jazmyne Darnell Zachary Driver Madison Ervin Zac Grafton Tyler Gurganus











Hunter Henry Kristen Kaffenbarger Mary Lang Justin Lewis Emily Metts











Summer Moritz Summer Munson Shelby Nuckols Tristan Nutter Mystic Pelton







Casey Potter
Dakota Smith
Hunter Woodside





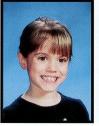
Mrs.Martin's and Mrs Payne's Second Grad class had a great time this year! The students have worked hard on reading, math science, social studies and writing. The field trips, projects and activities kept everyone busy as beavers all year. Hopefully, all are ready for third grade.

Mrs. Wagner-Brown's Class

Sherry Wagner-Brown, Teacher Michelle Meadows, Assistant Alyssa Ackerman Shelby Barrow Dylan Christensen











Callie Cleckner Hannah Cochran Jessica Darnell Jaakan Dillahunt Scarlett Dowdy











Cody Gardner Vicky Garner-McGraw Jaimz Heflin Caitlin Hood Kyle Hopewell











Katherine Lazaro Chase Riggs Becca Rowland Tanner Simon Savannah Stumbo











Jimmy Sullivan Jackson Turney Nathan Wall Dezeray Yitchinski









Super Excellent Concentration Octagon House Nature

Disastrous (teacher's desk) Good

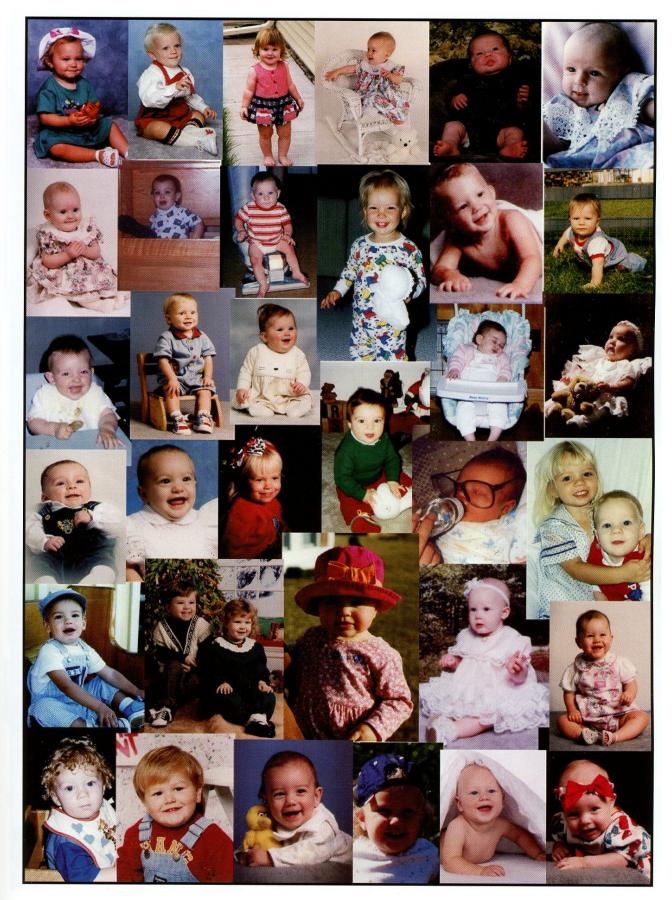
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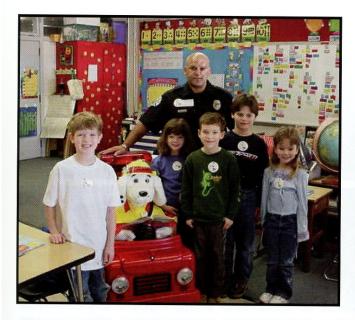
Dinosaurs











(left) In celebration of Dr. Seuss's birthday, Sparky and the firefighters from Cape Carteret Fire Dept. read with us.



(left) We visited the Somerset Assisted Living Center and sang Christmas Carols to the residents.

(below) Like all first graders, John works hard!





(left) In February, we had our annual Teddy Bear/Pajama Day, a beloved White Oak tradition.

First Grade

First Grade has learned soooooo many things...

Reading Is Fun ... Numbers Are Cool... First Grade Rules!

Mrs. Hatfield's Class

Janet Hatfield, Teacher Maria Gibson, Assistant Dylan Alexander Charlie Allen Matthew Baker









Andy Beaujean Matthew Butta Nathan Mejia John Morris Bailey Page











Hannah Pritchett Gabbie Putney Alex Saywer James Speciale Halie Terry











Nicholas Touchton Kijana Williams Zoie Williams Kristen Willis









(right) The Wearin' o' the Green relay.

Students used teamwork to
successfully complete each St.
Patrick's Day competition.
(far right) Ms. Hatfield found her own
"pot of gold" in this year's first grade
class.





Mrs. Howard's Class











Laura Howard, Teacher Connie Garcia, Assistant Raymond Adams J.R. Broadus A.J. Carpenter











Joshua Ellis McKenzie Gates Raif Hartman Justyn Hogan Jessica LaCroix











Mary Leonard Conor O'Brien Carissa Poole Dylan Quick Brooke Reese











Caleb Smith Emi Stevens Chandler Waters Eason White Emily Wood





We've worked hard this year but we've also had lots of fun. Our Teddy Bear/Pajama Day in February was a highlight of the year. We've learned so much about ourselves, each other, reading and numbers. The most important thing we've learned is that learning is FUN!

Mrs. Hughes' Class

Kimberly Hughes, Teacher Becki Newsome, Assistant Shane Becker Michael Colwell Kyla Henderson























Garrett Ketchum Wyatt Ketchum Richard Kulberg Ryan Staebler Krystal Stanley











Kelsey Yutrzenka Hayden Owens Caitlin Sellers







First grade has been terrific! We have learned so much and had a lot of fun along the way.





Mrs. James' Class











Jennifer James, Teacher Cameron Almany, Assistant Hunter Chappell Will Gardner Alisha Garner-Mograw











Jazmyn Hall Chase Henderson Trai'shawn Holmes Erinn Howard Matthew Lewis











Lindsay Peterson Patrick Romo Ryan Ryden Dylan Smith Alex Tootle











Brandon Trott Caroline Velthoven Briana Wallace Kaitlyn Watts Chelsea Wolf

Olivia Warro









We are very busy in first grade. We never give up. In fact, we have been such good workers this year that our teachers call us the "Can Do It Kids." We think first grade is really fun!!!

Mrs. Sawyers' Class

Sue Sawyers, Teacher Maureen Chase, Àssistant Hayden Bardorf Paige Conner Brianna Dastous









Caleb Fulp Hans Harlacher Sydney Harris Marinah Johnson Chandler Jones











Brandon Klingele Niecee Page Aleena Patel Matthew Plourde Nickolas Ruiz











Colin Satterwhite Joy Taylor Tyler Wilkinson Tommy Williamson Amber Yitchinski











First grade is GREAT! We worked hard, made new friends, learned to read, played games, learned lots of math, went on field trips and lots, lots more. WE LOVE FIRST GRADE!!





Alex Kenneke

Thanks for an exciting hockey season. You even got 2 minutes in the "sin bin!" We love you.

Jake & Mommy

XXOO



Glenn Comer

I love you, Son. Beyond all words, I can't begin to explain to you what you mean to me. I am so proud of you and thankful for the years that the Lord has given me so much. If I were given a chance to be anything I wanted to become, there's nothing I would rather be...than your parent. And there is no one I would rather have...as my son. Love, Mommy and Daddy Danny



Morgan Comer

I hope my daughter looks back upon today and sees a mother who had time to play. Whether the work was done, or not...who realized chores are sometimes best forgot. There will be years for cleaning house and cooking, but little girls grow up when we're not looking. We're so glad you are happy..YOU GO GIRL! Love, Mommy and Daddy Danny



Patrick Hernandez

What a great year you have had! We are so proud of your hard work and accomplishments.

We love you!

Mom and Dad



Kelsey Hernandez

We are so proud of you this year! Congratulations on your hard work! Love, Mom and Dad



Thank you, Mr. Brownlow

We want to tell you how much we appreciate your help and hard work on the yearbook. We couldn't have done it without you. The 4th Grade Teachers



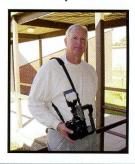
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The yearbook staff
extends its
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hard work and
assistance on the
2003 yearbook.

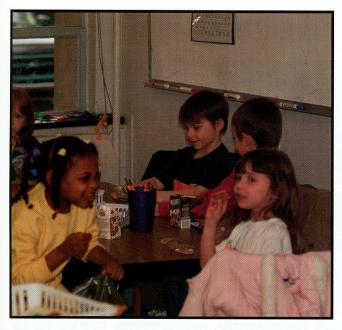


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Mrs. Hardy's Class

Audrey Hardy, Teacher Cathey Blackburn, Assistant Cindy Ebert, Assistant Lauryn Ballard Hamilton Barnhill























Drew Guthrie Molly Hayun Anna Kirk Noelle Lightbody Zachary Long











Tailor Lynch Scott Mancini Junior Montford Jacob Neal Stevie Rae Pelton











Skylar Spell Daniel Swain Taylor Waters Joseph Wiggins Hillary Williams











Mrs Hardy's Class works and plays together.





Ms. Martha's Class











Martha Harrelson, Teacher Cindy McCluskey, Assistant Zachary Baker Trey Bond Shelby Bridges









Brianna Bushman Sara DeFeo Dylan Dixon Sadie Ferrell Marcus Gariba



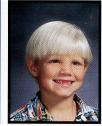






Brooke Johnson Raven Joiner Shawn Jones Nathan Marks Makila Meadows











Dillon McCullen Tray Moritz James Norman Christian Norris Isabella Nutter











Morgan Riley Alex Ruby Caroline Traflet Jacob Watson Tony Yitchenski





We are the CHIPMUNKS! We are the best!! We are smarter than all the rest!!! Yeah, CHIPMUNKS!!!!

Mrs. Long's Class

Debbie Long, Teacher Jeri Rodgers, Assistant Johnny Barnes Macy Brinson Kala Broughman























Sean Patrick O'Connor Cristine Payne Cassiday Pruiett Jordan Russ Shea Russell











Victoria Ryden Brandon Smith Calvin Smith Brittany Suprenard Dustyn Taylor











Shane Weston Summer Young





We made new friends, we learned new words, we made stuffed bears, we went on field trips, we read books, we had lots of fun and we became a family.





Mrs. Wooten's Class











Brenda Wooten, Teacher Marie Rasket, Assistant Melissa Anderson Lauren Bright Haley Bunn









Killian Cochran Julius Davis Gavin Ervin Dale Johnston Alec Lesko









Austin Luhmann Grant Miller Peter Murray Kevin Parker Taj Petrilli











Kyle Sawyers Christina Stanbridge Brianna Tobin Kylie Trofatter Riley Wagner









Jeremy White Emma Wimberly Jackson Winchester Jonathon Agee





We are learning and growing...inside and out!

Lucas Frye

NC State vs Duke Ballboy-2002 Go Wolfpack!



Dare Tally

Dare, I know that God up above picked YOU out for me to love. He picked you out from all the rest, because He knew I'd love you best! Love, Me-Maw



Morgan Smith

What lies ahead of you and what lies behind you are nothing compared to what lies within you!

> We love you, Mom & Dad



Erik Riggs

Erik, We are so very, very proud of you. Keep up the good work at school and shoot for the stars in everything you do.

> Love, Dad & Mom



Hunter Dillon Henry

Hunter, We are so proud of you this year. You have done a wonderful job! Keep up the good work.

Love, Mom, Dad, Erica, Paw Paw, and Grandma Cindy



Adam Grafton

We are so proud of you! You keep being that great, unique person that you are! Lots of love. Mom, Dad, & Courtney



Kristen Willis

Kristen, I have watched you grow so much this year. You make me very proud. You truly are the love of my life.

> I love you so much, Daddy



Trevor Brownlow

We are so proud of you! You are such an awesome little boy in every single way! You never cease to amaze us! God really shined his light on us when you came along. You are a treasure!!!

Love, Dad, Mom, Tyler, & Angel Always Remember W.W.J.D.



"I have learned a lot and We Love White Oak! White Oak Elem. as a made a lot of friends." Trey Bond, K.

"I like rainy day activities. We do puzzles, geoboards, blocks, cards, coloring and a lot more! It's fun."

Sydney Harris, 1st

"It is fun. It is the best school around. We get good grades."

Desiree Riley, 2nd

"The thing I like about White Oak is the teachers. Hike the teachers because they are nice and they do a good job teaching. I also like the books in the library. They have the best books ever! I like the school system, too. It is good." Adam Littleton, 3rd

"I like attending school because I get to talk to all my friends and I have a good teacher."

Samantha Powell, 4th

"Lenjoy P.E. and Art. They are my favorite specials. I also enjoy the three hours with Mrs. Tritt and the bunny. Sometimes the food is the best food in the world. Last. but not least, the people in the office are always there to help you when you are not feeling good or just when you have a problem." Chris Harman, 5th

"I like going to White Oak because I like my teachers. I make good friends. I always have fun and learn a lot, too," Marcus Gariba, K

"We like jumping rope in P.E." Mason Flythe, 1st

"I love my school. I like to pledge allegiance to the flag. It makes me feel proud. I love my school because I learn new things." Lindsay Peterson, 1st

"I like making new friends and helping people." Emily Rose, 2nd "I feel great! I think of flower. It never loses it's touch. Every year it is more pretty." Mikala Bottomly, 2nd

"I like the janitors because they always ask if there is anybody in the bathroom before they go in. I think they do their jobs well." Gianno Petrilli, 3rd

"Art is my favorite class of the day! We get to paint and draw and make pots. This is what I enjoy at my school." Justin Poe. 4th

"My fifth grade year at WOES has been great. We have the most amazing teachers. When I switch classes I feel like I'm in high school! I make friends quicker than you can say MONKEY!

Katie Wersel, 5th



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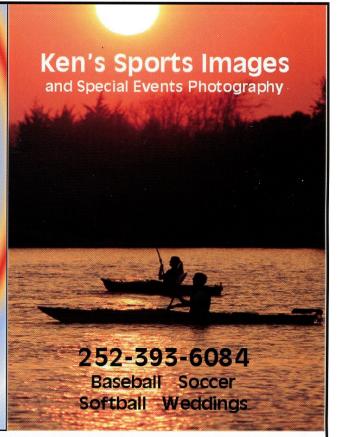


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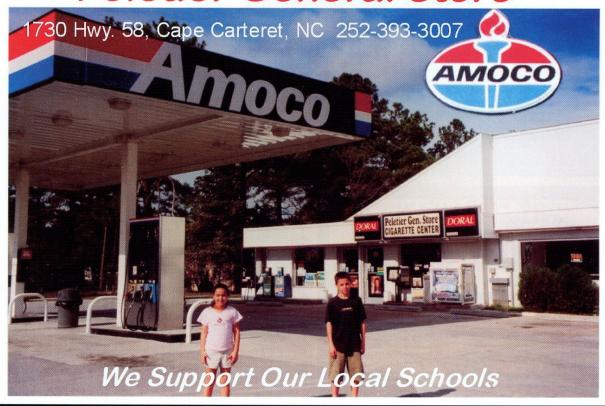
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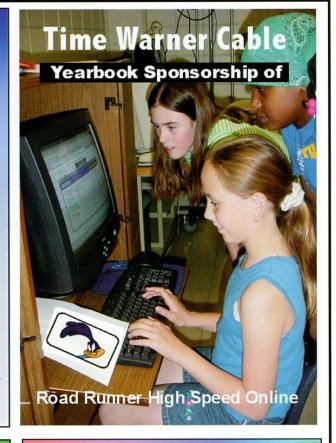
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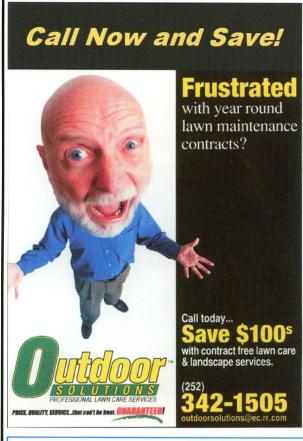
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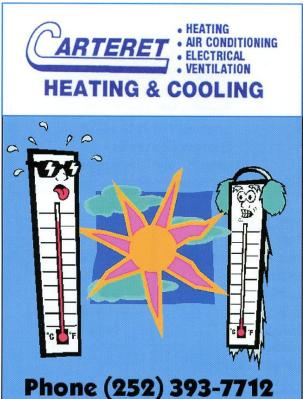
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