

THE TIGER TIMES

Central Tiger for Life!

by: **Tanner Havard, Parker Lebert, and Michael Gray**

What if we told you that your TEACHER may have been a STUDENT at Central Elementary at one time? There are actually eighteen staff members that were Central Tigers when they were kids. We were able to hear some cool stories from long ago from many of them.

Mrs. Krista Howell told us of how she remembers running Tut Rd. at basketball practice and how tough Coach Sullivan was.

“We had a post office system and we were able to send letters to teachers and friends,” explained Ms. Lacey Pol. “Students even got to work the post office!”

Mrs. Heather Erkhart stated, “I am currently a TA in first grade, and my classroom was MY first grade classroom years ago!”

Mrs. Denise Gray reminisced about being allowed to walk over to the store.

“On rainy days, the cheerleaders would come to show the class's cheers,” Ms. Brandi Dement recalled.

Many teachers even told us that Mrs. Pilkington was their teacher!

Check out our Central Elementary Alumni below...



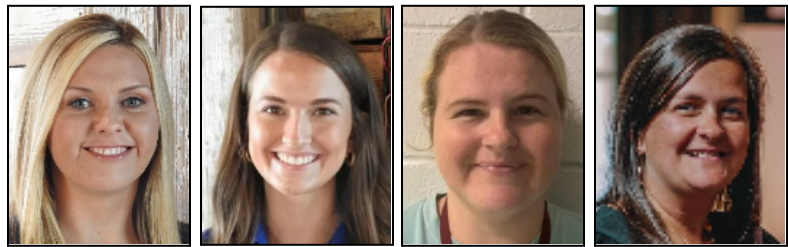
Katie Dixon Tara Waltman Emily Dixon Lacey Pol



Kathy Parker Denise Gray Krista Howell Heather Erkhart



Maranda Cochran Jenny Reeves Rachael Williams Brandi Dement



Jocelyn Saxon Kassidy Mallette Monittie Flowers Lindsay Moore



Shannon Staton Blain Fallin



AR TOP 20

1st 9 weeks

1. Olivia Pinkerton
2. Autumn Carter
3. Chloe Smathers
4. Abram Cano
5. Ameila Jane Faurot
6. Cooper Christian
7. Aria Schneider
8. Westin Havard
9. Rhett Agent
10. Henry McLeod
11. Lily Pinkerton
12. Jase Gibson
13. Bruce Regan
14. Alaina Smith
15. Graeson Wenzel
16. Cayson Whisenhant
17. Clairra Shows
18. Joel Reyes
19. Karter Palmertree
20. Mycah Waltman

Student Spotlights

by: **Sadie Davis**

Skylar Mcrae and Ledger Green are both third graders here at CES. Skylar’s favorite part of school is going outside, and Ledger’s favorite part of school is lunch. Skylar is nine years old, and so is Ledger. Skylar is so glad that her teachers are always helpful, and Ledger is happy that his teachers do WIN time. Skylar likes reading books when she is not at school, and Ledger’s hobby is fishing. Skylar enjoys when CES puts on Santa’s workshop, and Ledger loves Book Fair time. Skylar wants to be a vet when she grows up, and Ledger wants to drive a garbage truck. Be sure to give these two Tigers a shoutout if you see them!



TIGER LOW DOWN

by: Grace Woods & Kassidy Nolan

We have all been hearing a lot about the Hope Squad lately. The Hope Squad is an organization that our district has joined to bring hope to our students. The program is designed to encourage peer to peer emotional well being awareness. For example, if a classmate is feeling lonely or sad the Hope Squad is there to be a bridge to get them to someone that can help. Mrs. Katie Dixon and Mrs. Sabrina Erkhart are the Hope Squad advisors for CES.

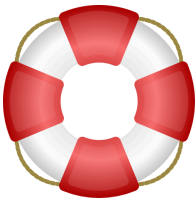


“God opened the door for me to become an advisor,” stated Mrs. Dixon.

The advisors will do many things like meeting with the members and planning events that the community can be a part of. Students in 5th and 6th grade nominated peers that are trustworthy to be Hope Squad leaders.



“I am hoping that this will help bring our school together and build trust,” commented Mrs. Erkhart.



Top row Hannah Richardson, Chloe Smathers, Olivia Pinkerton, Henry McLeod, Jase Gibson, Brentley Hart, Lane Havard, Mrs. Dixon
Bottom row: Alanis Ramirez, Paisley Morrison, Natalie Havard, Mary Ellen Ferguson, Kayden Southern, Rhett Faurot, Mrs. Erkhart
Not pictured Brantley Mounteer, Julian Mazingo, & Kylie Davis

Hope Squad leader, Julian Mazingo told us that it makes him feel good to know that people trust him.



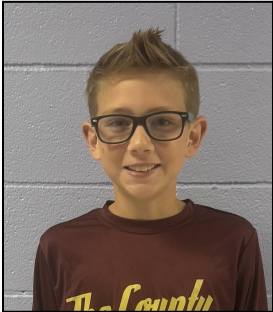
“I want to inspire kids to be better. I’m trustworthy and can help, “ stated Julian.

Kylie Davis told us she plans to help people feel better about themselves.



“It feels good to know I’m helping kids,” Kylie claimed.

We talked with Brantley Mounteer about why he feels his peers chose him to be a Hope Squad leader.



“I’m able to be a really good friend,” Brantley responded.

Central Shenanigans



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