



SANDITE SUCCESSES!

**GREAT THINGS ARE HAPPENING IN
SAND SPRINGS PUBLIC SCHOOLS
FEBRUARY 2019**

Angus Valley Elementary

**Angus had two major fundraisers this month! The first was the Daddy Daughter Dance which raised over \$3,000.00 for Special Olympics! The second was our annual Dodgeball tournament that raised over \$1,000.00 to help fund 5th grade camp scholarships.*



**We also had our third annual Spelling Bee. Ethan Adams, a fifth grader, will be representing us at the district-wide competition in March.*



Athletics

**JT Bristow, CPHS senior, signed with Southwestern College in Winfield, Kansas to play football in the fall and also received an academic scholarship. So proud of our Sandite athletes!*



**Caden Pennington, CPHS senior, received a football scholarship to play quarterback at Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, Oklahoma. Congratulations!*

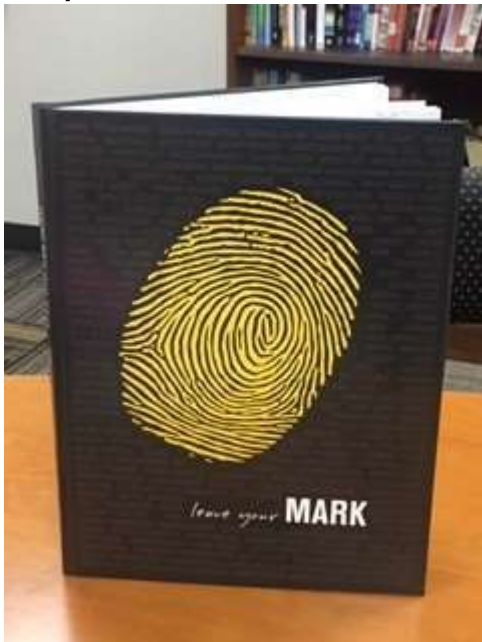


Central Ninth Grade Center (CNGC)

****Ms. Sherri McKibbin's Aviation/Aeronautics Class created a museum exhibit featuring model airplanes and other methods of flight. The students were required to dig deeper into the design and function of early flight methods compared to modern flight methods.***



****Ms. Brittany Pride's Yearbook Class and their 2018 Central Ninth Grade Center Yearbook will be featured in the 2018 Herff Jones "Portfolio" showcase collection! This is for their hard work in telling our story at CNGC.***



Charles Page High School (CPHS)

****The CPHS Debate team has 3 regional qualifiers to congratulate: Dylan Bruton for Lincoln-Douglas Debate, Haley Gramm and Sydney Dunn for Public Forum Debate.***

****The CPHS Drama Department took several prizes at the Oklahoma Thespian Festival, including Jaden Salazar who received first in the Oklahoma English Speaking Union's annual Shakespeare competition. She will travel to New York in April to perform before a national audience at the Lincoln Center; and Mason Curran who is the Oklahoma State Playworks Playwright of the Year for his play, Daydreamer.***

Clyde Boyd Middle School (CBMS)

****The Sand Springs Fine Arts Department visited 5th grade elementary students to spark interest in electives for middle school. The band played several songs, the middle school stage choir and high school choir sang, drama students taught the 5th graders a few dances steps and visual art students shared their work and drew sketches of 5th graders in the crowd. The 5th Graders are excited to come to Clyde Boyd!***



Clyde Boyd Middle School (CBMS)

***CBMS 7th & 8th grade band students competed in the OSSAA Middle School Solo and Ensemble Contest. They did an amazing job! We had 29 students who earned Superior Ratings (the highest rating possible) and 3 who earned Excellent Ratings (the second highest rating.) Great Job CBMS Band! We are so proud!**



7th Grade Band Students – Clyde Boyd Middle School



8th Grade Band Students – Clyde Boyd Middle School

Early Childhood Education Center (ECEC)

***Congratulations to Cecilia Eastham!! She is ECEC's #SanditeHero for February. She exhibited the character trait of kindness each day by sharing with friends and helping out where needed in the classroom.**



***ECEC had the annual Daddy-Daughter Dance just before Valentine's Day. The Enchanted Evening theme allowed our sweet girls to dress-up as their favorite Disney Princess or attend in a beautiful dress.**

***All the Pre-K classes had the opportunity to visit the Discovery Lab in Tulsa on a Field Trip. Kids were able to climb through a 30-foot tunnel made entirely of packing tape, learn about insects and arachnids and spend time in Animationland.**

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Garfield STEAM Academy

***State Archery Meet results---Garfield STEAM Academy finished 10th overall as a team in the Tier 1 State Shoot! Sydona Tullis placed 14th and Alicia Kemp placed 20th in the girl's elementary division! David Helt was the 8th highest score for 4th grade boys! Congratulations!!**



Indian Education

***CPHS Indian Education students attended the 26th Annual Indian Youth Career Day event at UCO in Edmond last week. Over 500 students from around the state participated in the event. Those attending from CPHS were: Sydney Palmer, Kallie Cox, Riley Magee, Reagan Conrad, Alexis Kohlmeyer, and Kelsi Tabor.**

***These students had an opportunity to tour the new STEM building and participate in various workshops designed specifically for Native American students. They also received information and advice from many college, career and tribal recruiters. The students agreed this was a very helpful and productive trip!**

Indian Education

***Indian Education hosted the "I Love My Heritage Night" for native students and their families. It was informative, cultural and yummy! Indian Health Care Resource Center and Tulsa Library's American Indian Resource Center representatives were on hand to share information on their services/programs. Former Sandite, Monie Horsechief, provided the frybread. Great turnout! Fun crafting evening!**



IT Department

***The IT Department awarded \$28,000.00 worth of technology through the District Mini-Tech Grant. Grants were submitted for technology, ranging from interactive displays & 360 degree cameras to BeeBots & coding kits. 24 teachers from Angus, Garfield, Limestone, Northwoods, Pratt, CBMS and CPHS benefited from this round of grant submissions.**

Limestone Technology Academy (LTA)

****All Limestone students took a field trip to the Tulsa Air and Space Museum as part of a grant awarded to Ms. Barbie Jackson for the Flight Night Drone Pilot Award!!***



Limestone Technology Academy (LTA)

****Jump Rope for Heart was a success at Limestone! Students had fun while also raising money for the American Heart Association!! Thank you to Ms. Kim Crosier for organizing the events!***



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Northwoods Fine Arts Academy (NFAA)

****Second grade students enjoyed learning about agriculture in Oklahoma with a weather demonstration by Travis Meyer.***



Pratt Elementary

****First Graders from Pratt had an amazing time at the Jenks Aquarium this week!***



****NFAA second grade students also visited The Philbrook Museum.***



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