



APRIL Newsletter

Austin Elementary School

Home of the Eagles



Promises to the Earth by Grade 1/2

I promise to grow plants, save animals, pick up pollution, and love you forever and ever. ~Wally

I promise to compost any of the food scraps I see, turn off water when I am not using it. This is my promise to the special earth everyone lives on. ~Liv

I promise to take my reusable grocery bags. ~Kotaye

I promise I will pick up trash even if it's not mine. ~Stella

I will never litter. ~Blaike

I promise to throw away garbage instead of throwing it on the ground. ~Lauren

I promise to take short showers so I don't waste water. ~Chasity

I promise to reuse stuff. ~Ryder

I promise to keep water clean by not throwing garbage in lakes or rivers. ~Piper

I promise to plant trees and plants to clean the air. ~Laura

I promise to pick up garbage even if it's not Earth Day. ~Cody

My promise is to plant trees and flowers! ~Callum

I promise to take the garbage to the garbage when I am done eating my granola bar. ~Heidi

I promise I will have a bath instead of a shower. ~Zane

SHOUT OUTS TO:

Jacob for winning the Pine Creek Divisional Tournament in the Boys' Singles category.

Logan for helping with breakfast every morning.

Buck for reciting an individual poem at the Gladstone Speech Arts Festival.

The jump club team members and coaches for their dedication and hard work.

What did you like best about the visit to the Austin Woollen Mill?

My favourite part was when we first got there and we got to touch the wool on a full coat! ~Brynn

I liked when we got to feel the Alpaca wool from Iceland! ~Ally Rae

I liked watching it get dyed! ~Cydney

My favourite part was when she had that machine that twisted they yarn before she knotted it and she let all the kids have a turn on the pedal. ~Whitley

I liked the part when the machine shot the wool into another room! ~Lakelyn

I liked looking at all the new machines!! ~Luke

I liked the jobs all of the machines had, like dyeing! ~Hadleigh

When the wool went through the spinnny thing with all the gears! ~Logan

When she had us guess which yarn was naturally coloured or dyed. ~Halle

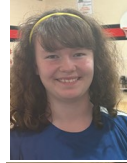


More Promises to the Earth by Grade 1/2

I promise to shut off water and plant trees and flowers. ~Tori

I promise to take care of the earth by picking up garbage even if it's not mine. I promise to plant trees. ~Lucas

I promise to pick up garbage with my grandma. ~Nefertiri



AES Jump Club by Sawyer

Some students in grades 4 to 8 are in the Jump Club. Our coaches are Avery, Avery, and Davyn, and also Ms. Bereza and Mrs. Davey. Some of the tricks we have been practicing are double dutch, 4 square, double unders, etc. We are also working on our introduction. To improve our skills, we have a lot of practices during school and after school on Mondays. Our tour day is June 12th, and we will be gone the whole day performing at different schools. Lots of people on the jump team are excited about tour day!

The Grade 3/4 class went to the Speech Arts Festival in Gladstone in April. They said their poems, Pumberly Potts Unpredictable Niece and Lullaby of the Iroquois. We had fun and we were brave. We got a good score of 87 and 86. The adjudicator was very proud of everyone. The students were quiet while waiting for other groups to say their poems.

On April 26, the class went to the MacGregor library. We signed books out. Some kids got new library cards. The class said their poems for the seniors who were there for the Seniors' Tea. The seniors liked it and clapped for them. Brody and Robert and Buck said their poems. They gave raspberry flavored Wagon Wheels, ice tea and cookies. ~By Lexi N. and Gunnar

Appreciation for our Busdrivers by the Grade 2's

We drew different pictures to put on mugs for our busdrivers. We also gave them bus-shaped cookies. They all liked their gift a lot! We took pictures of the budrivers with their mugs. Our busdrivers are kind, helpful, happy and patient!

Ashley Fehr's Presentation by Teagan

Ashley Fehr came and did a presentation at our school. Her blog is called The Recipe Rebel, and she makes lots of cool food recipes. We learned a lot about her and her job. She taught us how she takes photos of the food to make it look good, and how to get good lighting. Halle, Ivory, and Stella are her kids that come to our school. It was a fun experience to learn about her and her food career.