### PARENT NEWS LETTER

#### HAYNES BRIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Haynes Bridge Middle School

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# MI/MO Program News

### Teacher Talk:

Hi Parents!

We are very excited for our last month of the 2012-2013 school year. We have a lot of fun activities planned and some special dates for you to know. We started the month of May with a great opportunity to learn about mammals, reptiles, amphibians and birds on our PetCo field trip. The PetCo Staff gave a great presentation and the students all had a good time. Another highlight this month falls on May 15<sup>th</sup>. We will be holding our annual Haynes Bridge Idol that date! All of the students have worked very hard in preparation for this event and we are so excited for their big debut. Lastly, on May 23<sup>rd</sup> we will be recognizing our departing 8<sup>th</sup> graders with an 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Awards Ceremony in the Gym. All 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents are welcome to attend.

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#### Parent Reminders:

- Help your children fight the Flu/Noro Virus by donating **Disinfecting wipes** and **Kleenex**. These are of critical need in the classrooms and any donations would be greatly appreciated.
- Regularly check your students lunch accounts to ensure a positive balance
- Practice reading, writing and math with your student over the summer.
  Continual exposure and repetition are vital ingredients for student growth and skill retention. Thank you for all of your support from home! -Mi/Mo Staff

#### Exclusive interview with ...

#### **Scott Greb**

Q: Do you have any big plans for the summer break?

A: "I do. I am really looking forward to my trip to Costa Rica. I plan on collecting many cultural artifacts and pictures to use in my Social Studies Class. I am also very excited to work as the director of a brand new summer camp for middle school students with disabilities!"- Mr. Greb



### Student Spotlight

#### **Madison Hicks:**

Madison is being spotlighted for Altruism. Madison is always helping her classmates and lending a hand to her teachers. Madison also encourages her classmates and frequently complements them on a job well done. "Students like Madison really help to create a positive learning environment for their classmates." – Mrs. Babcock

### This Month's Highlights

- May 1<sup>st</sup>- PetCo Learning Experience
- May 7<sup>th</sup>- HBMS Chorus Concert
- May 13<sup>th</sup>-Staff Appreciation Week
- May 15<sup>th</sup>- HBMS Idol
- May 17<sup>th</sup>- Special Olympics State Games
- May 23<sup>rd</sup>- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Awards Ceremony
- May 23<sup>rd</sup>- Last Day of School!

### Check Website for Updates

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