



The Blythe Gazette

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Welcome Ms. Itzhaki

By Taylor Camino and Ashley Maziarz



Ms. Itzhaki holding a real human brain!

Upcoming Events:

February 22:
Science Fact Day
February 23:
Dressy Day
February 24:
Career Day
Birthday Cake
February 27:
Pastel Color Day
February 28:
Cooperative Game Day
February 29:
Inquiry Day
Pretzel Day
March 1:
Crazy Hair Day
4th Graders to Biz Town
March 2:
Dr Seuss Day
4th Graders to Biz Town
1st Grade Dental Hygiene
Movie Night 6:00-9:00
March 5:
Spring Pictures
March 8:
World In Our Backyard-
Egypt (K)
March 9:
Multicultural Musical
March 12-15:
Shamrocks For Tyler
March 15:
Chick-Fil-A Night
March 16:
5th Grade Grandfather
Mountain
3rd Grade- Starry,
Starry Night
March 21:
Breakfast with Dad
March 23:
Mother/Son Event
Birthday Cake
March 28:
Pretzel Day
March 30:
No school

Recently, we got the chance to interview Ms. Itzhaki, our new Assistant Principal. We asked her some questions about the school and about herself. She loves to

read, walk, and loves to go to the movies. She also likes watching hockey, but she says she likes football better. She describes herself as thoughtful and energetic. The one thing she would like to see in this school is all the kids to enjoy it. Also, when she was in college she got 3 college degrees. Her favorite thing about school is that every day is different. Before she became an assistant principal, she was a teacher for almost 18 years. Other things she likes about this school is that we have nice students and hard working staff members. We are very excited to welcome Ms. Itzhaki and we look forward to getting to know her better.

News from the Principal's Desk

By Nadia Bey, Satya Khurama, and Alana Mack

A few weeks ago we interviewed Mrs. Johanson, our school principal. Although there were many things we wanted to know, we agreed on four questions: *Why do you like the saying "ignite a passion for reading"?* *Do you like being a principal?* *Do you enjoy working at an IB school?* and *Do you have any information that you would like to share?* Her answers were interesting. She first stated that she loved the saying "ignite a passion for reading" for our school because she thinks that "reading can open doors." Her response to the second was that she loved being a principal because she gets to work with all of the different staff and students. Her reply for the third question was that she believes in the philosophy of IB and that she likes it when students and teachers learn about different cultures. She then shared that she would like to have a dog at school for kids to pet to calm themselves down. It would have to be hypoallergenic and it can't bite.

Our Awesome Guidance Counselor

By Jovana Chavez Azua and Michael Boyd

Ms. Tatman has dealt with many things in her life but now she has to deal with the most important thing of all...US! When the kids are in a bad mood she has them do really fun things that always put them in a good mood. I think Mrs. Tatman is one of the best guidance counselors I have ever met! She is kind to everyone she meets. She has only been here 4 months but seems pretty cool. She has been a counselor for 4 years and was previously a teacher. So, if you see her in the hall say "Hi"! If you need to chat, feel free to make an appointment with her by stopping by the office. She'd love to hear from you!

Welcome to the Blythe Team!



Did you hear that Mr. Revak is now the Math Facilitator and Mrs. Revak is the Science Facilitator? Welcome Mrs. Revak!

Riddle me this...

What's white and black and red all over?... A newspaper

I come in tall sizes. I look like gold. I am the number one person to get things. What am I?..... A golden retriever

I'm cold, I'm soft and sometimes dangerous. What am I?.....Snow

What comes first the chicken or the egg?..... Who knows?

I'm loud. I'm pretty. I'm very bright. What am I ?.....The color yellow

I'm on trees. I'm on wood. Kids see me in they're back yards. What am I?.....A swing set

I have four legs but I never walk. I stand straight and never fall. What am I? A table

I think but am not alive. What am I?... A computer

Got a joke? We'd love to hear it! Ask your teacher to send it to Mrs. Reisig.

Have something exciting to share? Information about our newspaper...

The reason we started the newspaper is for the 5th grade students to find out how much work it takes to succeed in life. It's a great experience for us. We can enjoy working in a newspaper and make some new friends at the same time. It also allows us to work on our writing and spelling. It can open new doors for us. We can have fun while we're doing it. If you have an exciting event or news that you would like to share, or if there something you'd like to learn more about, our staff can cover many topics. Please contact our staff by sending a note to Mrs. Reisig in the fifth grade. She will make sure that our staff gets your information.



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