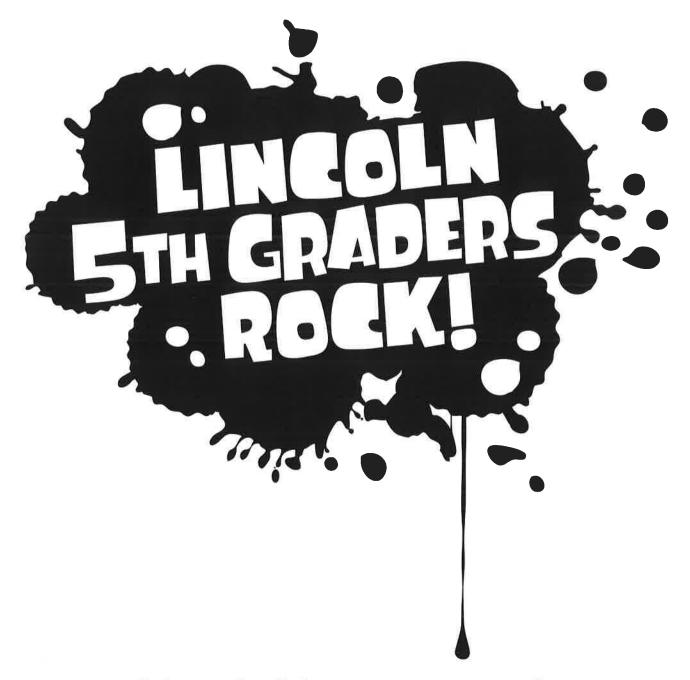


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Lincoln Lions Yearbook 2011-2012

Abraham Lincoln Elementary
Oak Park, Illinois

Well Wishes to the Class of 2012

I wish you the very best as you move on to the Middle School. It has been a pleasure and gift watching you grow throughout the years.

Always strive to be the very best you can be! Never Give Up! You will be missed...so visit often.

-- Paula Caradine



Dearest 5th Grade Students,

Seeing you leave this place will be a bitter-sweet experience, bitter because we will miss your daily presence here, but so so sweet because we have watched you grow and change and ready yourselves for this next step. What a wonderful next step you are taking, middle school.

As you leave Elementary School, remember to take Lincoln's lessons along with you. As much as you leave your mark with us, we hope that Lincoln School leaves a mark on your heart and that you share what you have learned about perseverance, teamwork, tenacity, and hope. We hope that you remember your early start here and take those tools and experiences with you to help your next school experience be a positive one.

Remember to reach out and help those in need and to stand up for what is right, even if you are standing away from the crowd. And likewise, if you need a hand remember to reach out and ask for help...we all need help once in a while.

Please make sure that you spend time outdoors, read books, write stories/poetry/letters/lyrics, practice your math, listen to music, eat healthy, and do your personal best in all you do.

The Best of Luck, Ms. Conmy



Congratulations graduating 5th graders! It has been a true pleasure having you in physical education class while you were here at Lincoln. I know you will do great things at the middle school and beyond! Always remember your Lincoln Lion Pride - best wishes for everything you do in your bright future!

-- Mrs. Madura

Dear 5th Graders,

You did it! You are on your way to middle school! I could not be prouder of all of you. You are a wonderful group of kids, and you will do great things in life. Come back and

visit! Best of luck.



To my group of 1st and 2nd Grader Loopers – I cannot believe that you are already leaving Lincoln. I loved, truly loved, being your first and second grade teacher. You were such a fun and energetic class. I have many memories of our group; I know you do too! =) I will miss you guys a lot. Please come back and visit me. Love,

Mrs. Carrera (Ms. Barrera to you guys!)



Dear Fifth Grade Students,

It was wonderful having you here at Lincoln. I've enjoyed watching many of you grow from kindergarten up to fifth grade! Please continue to be role models and set good examples in middle school and beyond. Come back to visit us here at Lincoln.

Mrs. Thompson

Dear 2012 Fifth Graders,

Even though none of you were my 1-2 "loopers", please know that I wish you the best at Brooks! Remember all the positive things you've learned at Lincoln, not only academics, but how to be kind, generous, and inclusive. "Be Responsible, Be Respectful, Be Helpful".

Sincerely and fondly, Mrs. Zillman

Dear 5th graders,

I wish you the very best as you say your final good-bye to all of us here at Lincoln. We will definitely miss your presence here at school. I have enjoyed meeting and working with you when I had you in 4th grade. You

have matured into wonderful young boys and gals. Continue to strive higher in life and try to remember everything you learned here and the friends you made. Always do your best, help someone in need and think positive thoughts. I wish you much luck in the future! You all have a "special"

place in my heart and I hope you will come back in the near future and tell me all of your wonderful accomplishments. UP AT LINCOLN!!

With love and blessings, Mrs. Miraflor Metropoulos 4th Grade Teacher

Buena suerta en Brooks! ~ Señora Jacoby



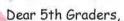
It's always amazing how fast the time goes, we'll miss all of you and wish you the best!

Joan Slanina

Dear Fifth-Graders,

I hope you learned a lot while you were at Lincoln. Best wishes to all of you as you begin a new "page" of life at Brooks!

Sincerely, Mrs. Hayes



I hope that you continue to shine as you embark on your new journey to Brooks and beyond!

All of you are so talented and have accomplished so many things. We are all very proud of you!

We hope that a little piece of Lincoln stays
with you always!

Please remember to visit us and keep us updated on all your new adventures.

A special shout out to you Big MAC alumni, keep all those "lessons" learned about teamwork and friendship close to your heart

It will serve you well all of your life!

Love,

Mrs. Wilson



Dear Class of 2012,

I hope you will always remember your days at Lincoln with fondness. I have many great memories of your time here. Remember....

Olympic Day WOW Slips

UP AT LINCOLN buttons

Talent Show

The Holiday Sing

Service Team

Field Trips

Chorus

Boys and Girls Basketball

Band and Orchestra Concerts

Challenge Classes

The Memorial Day Program

Student Council

Camp Edwards

- Canoeing
- Eco Connections
- Dutch Auction
- Archery
- Campfire

Picture Days

Hungry Minds Dinner

Book Fair

Yearbooks

Class Parties

The Awards Ceremony

I and the entire Lincoln Staff will miss you. We were lucky to have you as part of our Lincoln Family. Don't forget to visit us often!! Good luck at the middle school and beyond. Do great things with your lives and remember you are always an UP AT LINCOLN kid!!!

Ms. Hamilton



Our Fantastic Faculty And Super Staff

They are always there for us THANK YOU!!









































Ms. Fenske



















Mr. Halter Mrs. Hayes

Ms. Hull

Mrs. Jones





Mrs. White



Mrs. Wilson



Mrs. Zillman

Not pictured: Mr. Butler, Ms. Deitmayer, Mr. Delorea, Dr. Glover-Rogers, Ms. Hoover, Mr. Jacobson, Mr. Kasper, Ms. Klemp, Ms. McDermott, Ms. McEachen, Ms Province, Officer Rumoro, Ms. Ryan, Ms. Shannon, Ms. Ziegler











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Given by Carol Dudzik in appreciation for her years as principal of Lincoln School

1983 - 2002







2011-2012 FADS & FAVORITES

Favorite Actor

Will Ferrell
Taylor Lautner
Emma Watson
Josh Hutcherson

Favorite Movie

The Hunger Games Super 8

Harry Potter Twilight



Favorite Singer or Song

"Sombody That I Used to Know" Jay Z Justin Bieber Adele

Favorite Movie

The Hunger Games Super 8 Harry Potter Twilight

Favorite Candy

Reese's Peanut Butter

Cups Sour Patch Kit Kat Twix



Favorite Hobby

Playing Sports Video Games Reading Drawing

Favorite Book

The Hunger Games Series

Diary of A Wimpy Kid Harry Potter



Favorite FieldTrip

Camp Edwards Navy Pier



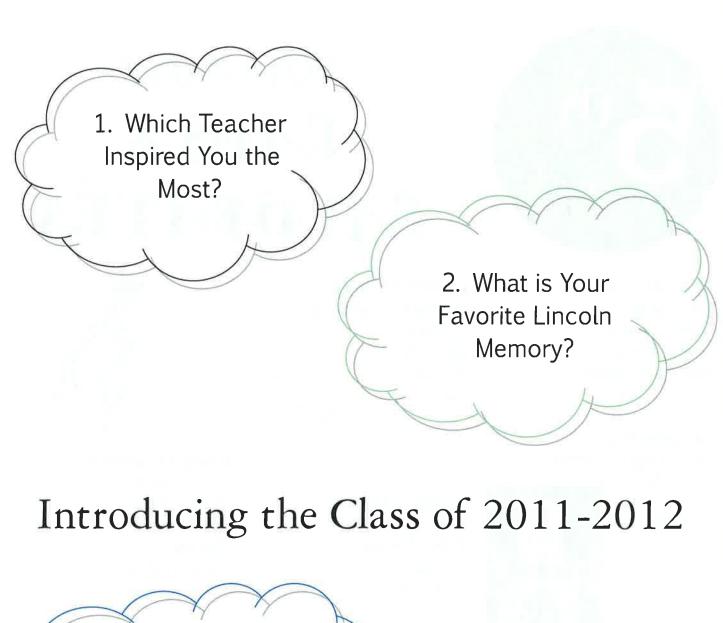
Favorite School Lunch

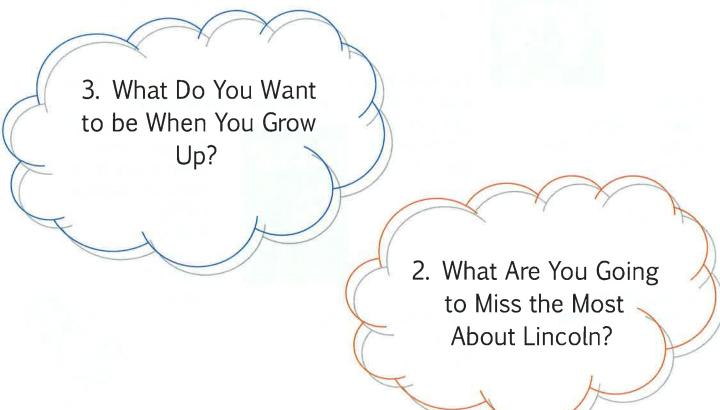
Pizza Dippers Chicken Fingers Tacos Cheese-burger

Favorite Oak Park Destination

The Lake Theatre
Pumpkin Moon
Hole In The Wall
Gina's Italian Ice
OPPL
Five Guys
Crumbs
Sugar Fixe
Lalos









Jacob Adams
1. Ms. Conmy
2. Camp Edwards
3. A Lawyer

4. Recess



Bryce Anderson



Hunter Anderson



 Mrs. Smith
 Camp Edwards
 I want to be just like my Dad
 The Teachers



1. Ms. Conmy
2. Camp Edwards
3. Softball Player
4. Recess



Ms. Burries
 Camp Edwards
 Baseball Player
 Recess



Dean Bartodziej 1. Mr. Tangorra 2. Olympic Day 3. A Chef 4. Recess



Owen Bell
1. Mrs. DeAlba
2. 4th Grade Picnic
3. Stand-Up Comedian
4. Teachers & Staff



Ethan Berleman-Paul 1. Mrs. Thomas 2. Camp Edwards 3. Video Game Creator 4. The Teachers



Mrs. Smith
 All the teacher and classmates

3. A Vet

4. My friends & teacher



Samantha Braun

1. Mr. Kuntz

2. Being the Ugly Duckling in the Big MAC play

3. Designer/Engineer

4. Trekkers and ONE Teacher per year



Eunseo Choo
1. Ms. L. Smith
2. Picnic and Olympic Day,
Navy Pier
3. A Scientist
4. The Teachers & Field

Trips



Iannis Chulos Saarinen

- 1. Mrs. Ruiz
- 2. When Mrs. Ruiz did vot vot
- 3. Designer
- 4. Socializing



Edward Clissold

- 1. Mr. Halter
- 2. Holiday Parties
- 3. Millionaire
- 4. Recess



Claire Cooke

- 1. Mrs. Comny
- 2. The Talent Show
- 3. A Singer
- 4. The support of the teachers



Joshua Czuba

- 1. Mr. Tangorra
- 2. My performing in the Talent Show
- 3. Lawyer
- 4. Halloween Parade



Patricia Delaney

- 1. Ms. McNish
- 2. My Book Buddy
- 3. A Fashion Designer
- 4. The Kindergartners



David Deyro

- 1. Mrs. Metropoulos
- 2. Recess
- 3. Vet
- 4. My firends & recess



Nicholas Diaz

- 1. Mrs. Godek
- 2. Playing an instrument at the Holiday Sing
- 3. Actor
- 4. Mrs. Godek



Owen Dispensa

- 1. Mrs. Burries
- 2. Camp Edwards
- And Artist or Pro Skate boarder
- 4. All the teachers



Tessa Durand

- 1. Mrs. Smith
- 2. Going to Camp Edwards
- 3. A Softball Coach
- 4. All the teachers



An Rhys Edwards

- 1. Ms. Smith
- 2. Camp Edwards
- 3. I have no idea
- 4. Not changing classes



Nicholas Evans

- 1. Mrs. Meisinger
- 2. Olympic Day 2011
- 3. Vet
- 4. The teachers, field trips & recess



Jonathan Myles Ferguson

- 1. Ms. Conmy
- 2. Olympic Day
- 3. Whatever Fate Leads Me
- 4. Recess



Mrs. Carrera
 Camp Edwards
 Vet, Teacher, Dog
 Trainer or Photographer
 Class, 1 Classroom &

Recess



Emily Franciszkowicz
1.Mr. Tangorra
2. 4th Grade Picnic
3. A Pro Hockey Player
4. The Haunted Bathroom



Thomas Gill
1. Ms. Smith
2. 4th Grade Picnic
3. Movie Director
4. The Teachers



Rowen
1. Mr. Tangorra, Ms.
McNish, Ms. Naples
2. Camp Edwards
3. Singer, Author or
Journalist
4. Everything



Sheridan Grant
1. Mrs. Thomas
2. Camp Edwards
3. I haven't decided yet
4. Teachers



Ms. Irons
 Going to music & knitting
 Veterinarian
 Knitting with Ms. Madura



Nicholas Guerino
1. Mr. Childress
2. Camp Edwards
3. Hockey Player
4. Picnics



 Mrs. McNish
 Raising Mealworms in 1st Grade
 A Lawyer
 Teachers & all the events



Mr. Tangorra
 Going to Camp Edwards
 Marine Biologist
 All my teachers



Mrs. Priceman
 Grade Dance Party
 DJ, Phone Creator, Car Creator, Clothes Creator
 Gran Fandango



Quentin Harlan

1. Mr. Jacobson

2. Meeting my best friend
Morgan V. on the first day
of school

3. A Biologist4. The Staff & Teachers



 Ms. Smith
 Being welcomed into the school in 3rd Grade
 Professional Game Maker
 Recess, Teachers & Staff



Payton Hill

- 2. Camp Edwards
- 3. Skate Boarder
- 4. Olympic Day



Alyssa Hirshman

- 1. Mrs. Conmy
- 2. Navy Pier Fieldtrip
- 3. I have no idea
- 4. Being in the same class as my friends



Calif Holder

- 1. Mr. Childress
- 2. Pumpkin Patch Field Trip
- 3. A Basketball Player
- 4. Less homework



Arianna Houston

- 1. Mrs. Godek
- 2. Going on the picnic
- 3. Fashion Designer
- 4. My Teacher



- 1. Mrs. Conmy
- 2. Camp Edwards
- 3 Artist/Author
- 4. All the teachers



Evan Kelly

- 1. Mr. Kuntz
- 2. Being w/ my friends & being on the chess team
- 3. An Architect
- 4. My friend Ethan Wang, Mr. Kuntz & their salsa



Brianna Killingsworth

- 1. Mr. Tangorra
- 2. When I tried out for chorus
- 3. A Vet or a Dog Show Handler
- 4. Teachers & Staff



Grant Kindler

- 1. Mrs. Burries
- 2. The Lincoln Carnival
- 3. A Soccer Player
- 4. Recess



Hailey Ledbetter

- 1. Mrs. Godek
- 2. The Class Picnic
- 3. Hair Stylist
- 4. All of my teachers



Jillian Lewis

- 1. Mrs. Conmy
- 2. Camp Edwards
- 3. Some kind of sports player
- 4. The Carnival



Kamryn Lewis

- 1. Mrs. Valverde
- 2. Camp Edward
- 3. NICU Doctor
- 4. EVERYTHING!



Emanuel Lindsey

- 1. Ms. McNish
- 2. Hiking at Camp Edwards
- 3. An Air Force Pilot
- 4. Playground & Field



Rebecca Lu 1. Mr. Kuntz 2. Camp Edwards 3. Mechanic

4. Recess



1. Ms. DeAlba 2. 4th Grade Picnic 3. A 5th Grade Teacher

4. Spanish Immersion



Mary Lynch 1. Ms. DeAlba, Mrs. Smith 2. 4th Grade Picnic 3. Engineer

4. The Teachers



James Maguire 1. Mr. Childress 2. Camp Edwards 3. Professional Soccer Player 4. How Nice the Teachers

Are



Eamon McAndrews 1. Mr. Kuntz 2. Going to Navy Pier 3. A Physicist 4. Art Class



Anne McGillen 1. Ms. Metropoulos 2. Camp Edwards 3. A Writer 4. Everything



Ian Meachum 1. Mr. Tangorra 2. I got to make new friends over the years 3. Restaurant Owner

4. Recess



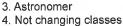
4. The Lincoln Carnival



Jose Montano 1. Ms. Burries 2. Olympic Day 3. Football Player 4. Teachers, Staff & Friends



Benjamin Moyer 1. Mr. Kuntz 2. Meeting my best friend Emanuel





1. Mrs. Carrera 2. When I met my best friend 3. An E.R. Doctor

4. All of my teachers



Paul Obrecht 1. Mrs. Conmy 2. The Lincoln Carnival 3. Actor, Director & Writer 4. Recess



Marie O'Donnell

- 1. Mr. Kuntz & Ms. Vogt
- 2. 4th Grade Picnic
- 3. Pro Softball Player or Swimmer
- 4. Being with the same classmates every year



Javlan Pascascio

- 1. Mrs. McNish
- 2. Camp Edwards
- 3. A Pro Footbal Player
- 4. Lincoln School



Kirsten Powe

- 1. Mrs. Shepley
- 2. Camp Edwards
- 3. Teacher
- 4. Everything



- Zoe Prouty
 1. Ms. Voft & Mrs.DeAlba
- 2. 4th Grade Picnic
- 4. Spanish Immersion



Shemar Ramos

- 1. Mr. Kuntz
- 2. Olympic Day
- 3. Professional Basketball Player
- 4. Picnics



Spencer Reisig

- 1. Mr. Kuntz
- 2. All of the picnics
- 3. Actor
- 4. The Teachers & Recess



Conor Roy

- 1. Mrs. Conmy
- 2. Camp Edwards
- 3. NHL Hockey Player
- 4. The Carnival



Molly Ryan

- 1. Ms. DeAlba, Ms. Para, Ms. Naples
- 2. 4th Graden Picnic, Girls on the Run
- 3. Teacher or Doctor
- 4. The Teachers



Thomas Sage

- 1. Ms. Conmy
- 2. 1st Day of Kindergarten
- 3. A Supreme Court Justice
- 4. The Teachers



Olivia Salibellas

- 1. Mrs. Conmy
- 2. Coming here in 3rd grade and making friends
- 3. A Real Estate Agent
- 4. The little kids



Holly Scott

- 1. Ms. Burries
- 2. 3rd Grade Picnic
- 3. Kindergarten Teacher
- 4. All my teachers



Arden Shorr

- 1. Mrs. Conmy
- 2. All the picnics
- 3. A Teacher
- 4. All the staff



Samantha Spillane 1. Ms. Ashford

- 2. 3rd Grade Book Club
- 3. Teacher
- 4. Everything



Phoenix Sullivan 1. Mrs. Conmy

- 2. 4th Grade Picnic
- 3. Author
- 4. Having a new teacher & classmates every year



Gabriel Termine

- 1. Ms. Caradine
- 2. The first time a touchdown
- 3. Football Player
- 4. All my memories



Malik Thomas

- 1. Ms. Conmy
- 2. Camp Edwards
- 3. Basketball Player
- 4. Recess



Noah Thompson

- 1. Mrs. Godek
- 2. Meeting all my friends
- 3. Airline pilot
- 4. The Teachers



Morgan Varnado

- 1. Ms. Burries
- 2. The day I got my Book Buddy
- 3. An Author
- 4. Only having 1 teacher



Mary Vestal

- 1. Ms. Shepley
- 2. My 1st WOW Slip
- 3. A Writer
- 4. Everything, especially the Teachers



Anandita Vidyarthi

- 1. Mrs. Buckley
- 2. 3rd Grade Halloween & Parade
- 3. Marine Scientist
- 4. The Teachers



Aliana Vietti

- 1. Everyone
- 2. Meeting my teachers and friends
- 3. Doctor and Singer
- 4. All the staff



Gilbert Vivas

- 1. Ms. Vogt
- 2. When Owen dressed up as Victoria Justice
- 3. Famous Banjo Player
- 4. El Gran Fandango



Ethan Wang

- 1. Mr. Tangorra
- 2. El Gran Fandango
- 3. A Paleontologist
- 4. The awesome people



Isabella White

- 1. Ms. Smith
- 2. Camp Edwards & Gran Fandango
- 3. Artist, Photographer
- 4. The Staff & Gran Fandango



Robert Williams
1. Mr. Robinson
2. Halloween Parade
3. Policeman
4. The Teachers



Allison Winans

1. Ms. Smith

2. When we had school outside for the whole day

3. An Author

4. The great teachers



Brandon Winters
1.
2. 4th Grade Holiday Sing
3. NBA Basketball player

4. Recess



Aliyah Young
1. Ms. Smith
2. Carnival
3. Paleontologist, Vet, Chef, or Scientist!!!
4. The Book Fairs







Do you remember being in Kindergarten?





Peace





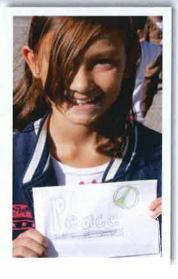
















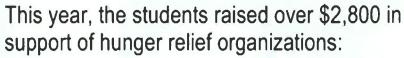
5th Annual Pasta Dinner





At Lincoln, every day is a day of learning. But this year at the 5th Annual Hungry Minds Pasta Dinner, 75 fifth grade students got an education of another sort – they learned the joy that comes from working hard with your friends for a cause greater than ourselves.

The school-wide event saw 75 fifth graders waiting on the almost 500 people who made dinner reservations. Not a glass went unfilled nor a plate of pasta un-cheesed.



- ~Wateraid (www.wateraid.org)
- ~The International Alliance to End Hunger (www.alliancetoendhunger.org)
- ~Charity Water (www.charitywater.org)
- ~Greater Chicago Food Depository (www.chicagosfoodbank.org)

Over \$400 was also raised with the sale of Food Themed Art Work and Tips!







5th Annual **Hungry Minds** Pasta Dinner















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- Perfect Dinner
- Skrine Chops
- Autre Monde
- . Bottom Lounge
- Cucina Paradise
- . DiNico's Pizzo
- Edwardo's
- Francesca's Flore
- Il Vicolo Trattoria
- · Jimmy's Place

- . The Kinderbook Tap
- · Lake St Kitchen & Bar
- Maya del Sol
- Salerno's Pizza
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Holiday Sing











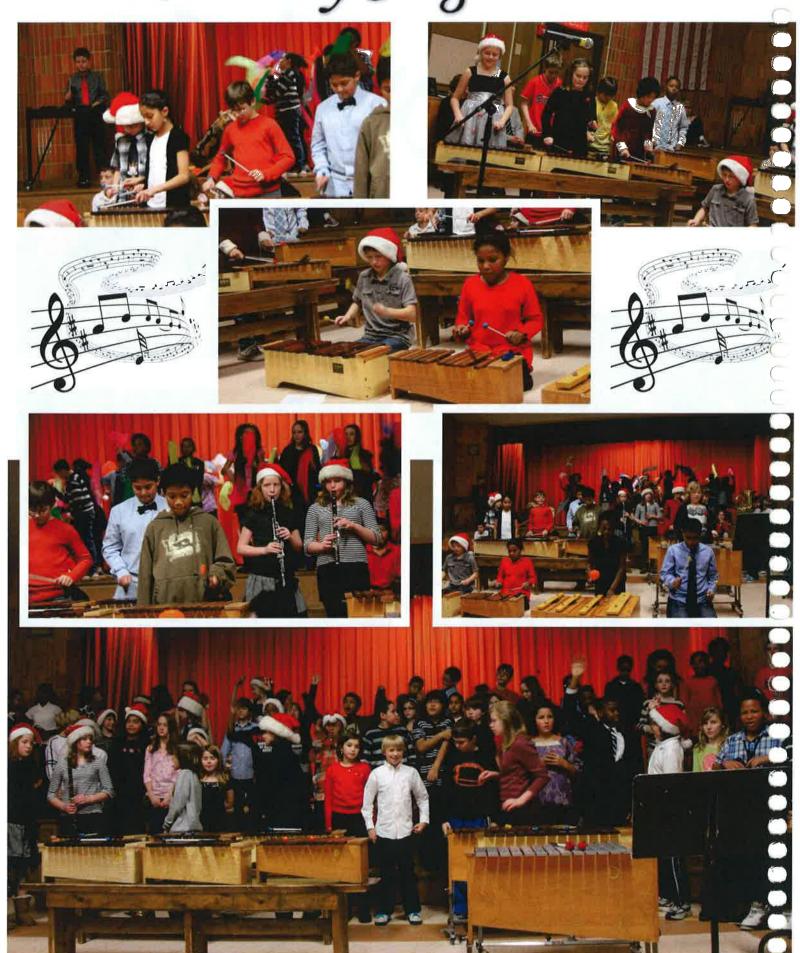








more Holiday Sing



























...and more Holiday Sing



















SPELL CHECK



100% Correct - 5th grade

Berleman-Paul, Ethan Evans, Nicholas Ferraro, Olivia Glusman, Rowen Hallab, Layla Murphy, Lauren Spillane, Samantha Sullivan, Phoenix Varnado, Morgan Winans, Allison



























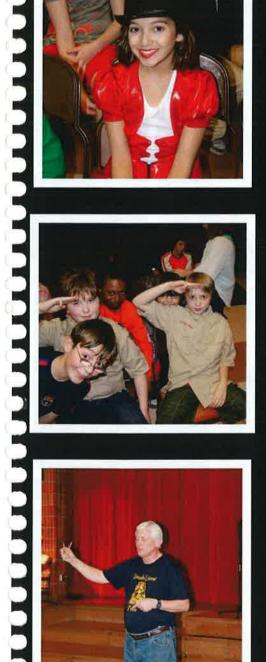


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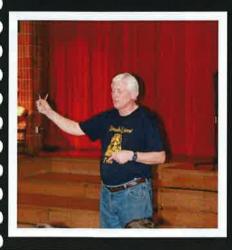


















El Gran Fandango





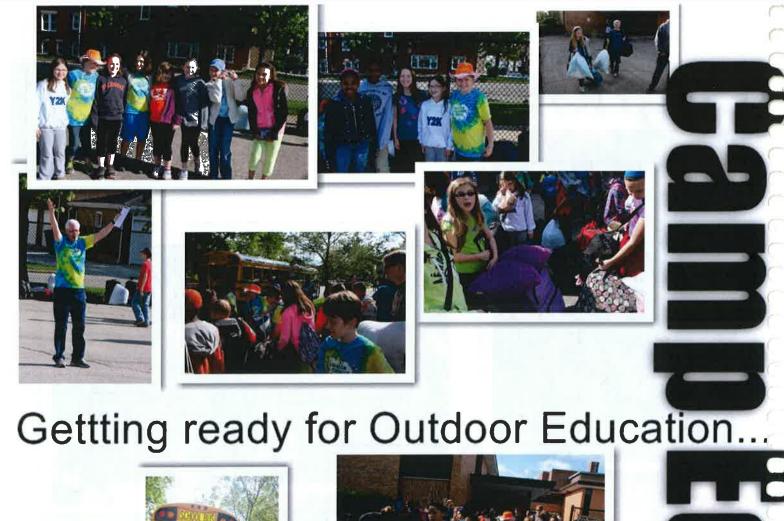


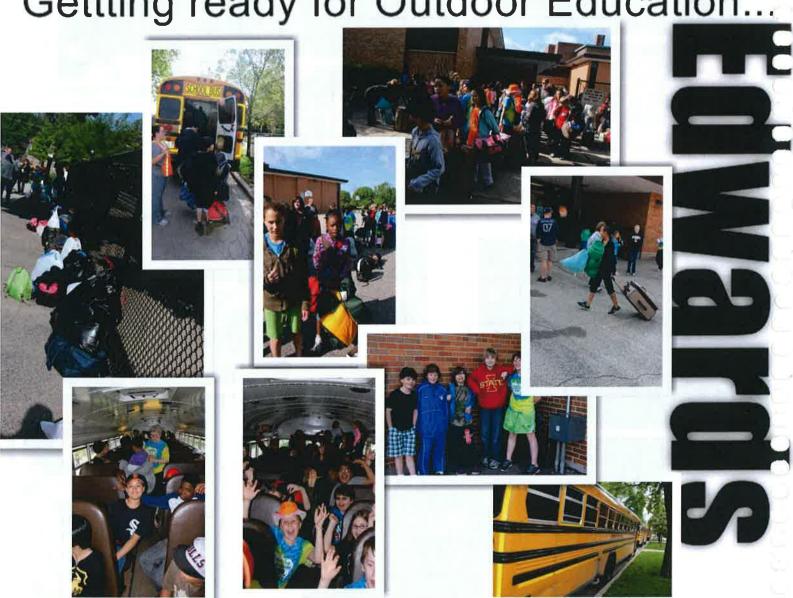






























FOOD!!









I leave you with the words of Earth, Wind & Fire.

"You're a shining star, no matter who you are. Shine bright to see, who you can truly be."



Shine bright Class of 2012! Shine so bright, we have to put our sunglasses on!

Your Abiding Cheerleader, Mrs. Burries



Abraham Lincoln Elementary School

Ms. Paula Caradine. Asst. Principal

Mrs. Burries Fifth Grade Class

2011-2012

FRONT ROW: Mary Vestal, Holly Scott, Jillian Lewis, Prachi Mehendale, Kayla Hammons SECOND ROW: Mrs. Burries, Jose Montano, Benjamin Atkins, Paul Obrecht, Alyssa Hirshman, Eamon McAndrews, Brandon Winters, Owen Dispensa THIRD ROW: Tessa Durand, Benjamin Moyer, Phoenix Sullivan, Sheridan Grant, Grant Kindler, Conor Roy, Bryce Anderson, Morgan Varnado

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Dear 5th Graders,

l can't believe the year is already over! I have enjoyed having all of you in my class. You all have done such a wonderful job, and I am very proud of each of you. You've accomplished many things this year academically, and with your personal goals. Each of you has the ability to continue the good work you have done here at Lincoln. Remember to work hard and be respectful. Make us proud! I will miss you all very much, and hope that you will come back to visit.

Mrs. Godek



Ms. Catherine Hamilton, Principal Ms. Paula Caradine, Asst. Principal

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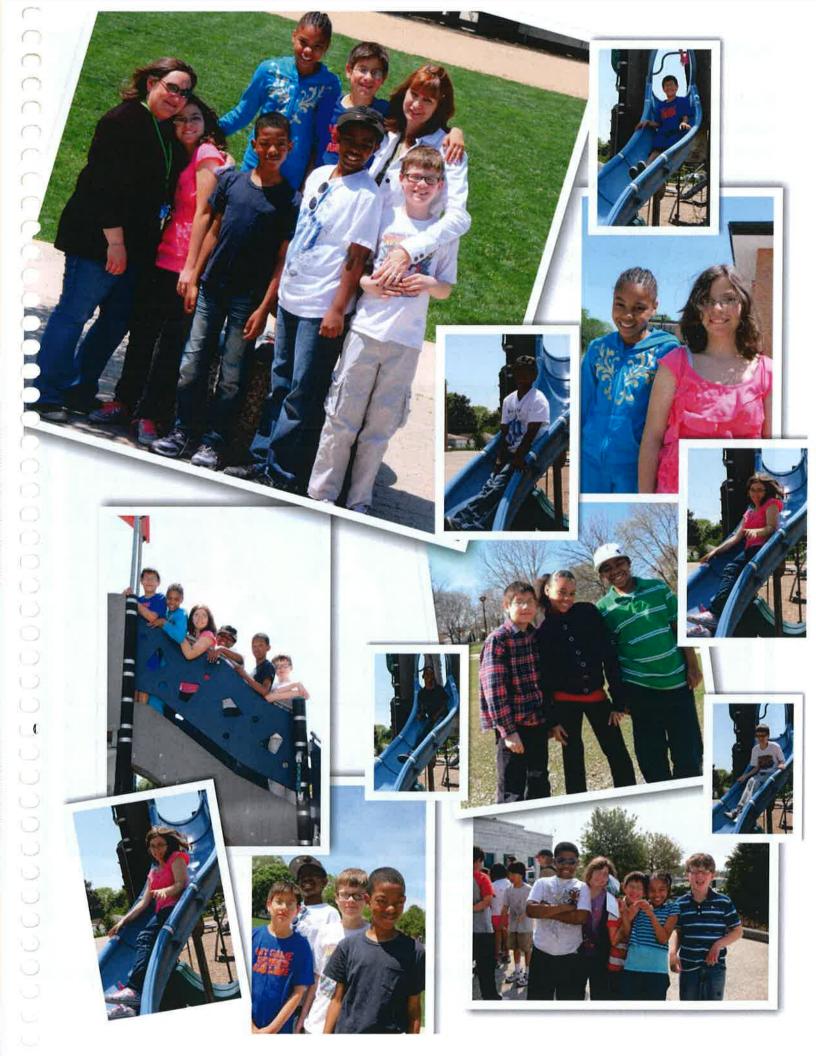
2011-2012

Mrs. Godek Third - Fifth Grade Class

Mrs. Azuma & Mrs. McGuin, Teacher's Assistants

FRONT ROW: Hai Chang Semanik, Jadyn Dale, Nicholas Diaz, Cooper Ricks, Nicholas Lubertozzi SECOND ROW: Mrs. Godek, Rodney Allen, Donyia Payne, Arianna Houston, Pierre Macklin, Mrs. Azuma THIRD ROW: Noah Thompson, Edward Clissold, Mykale Shaw, Robert Williams, Hailey Ledbetter, Mrs. McGuin NOT PICTURED: Bettye Taylor

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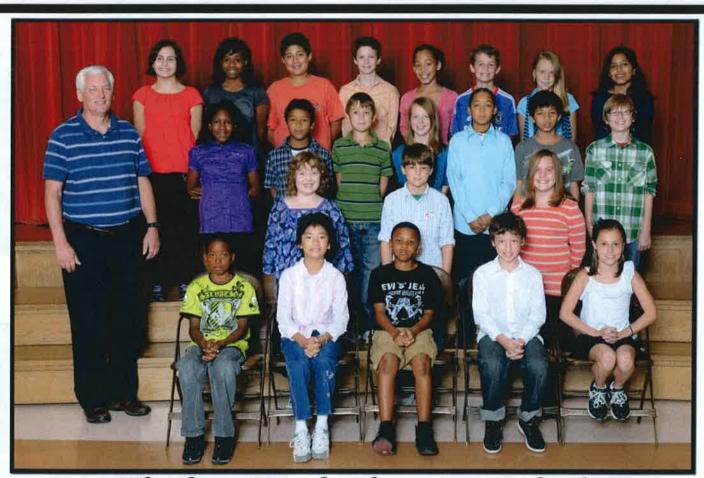
Yearbook Wish for the Class of 2012

Each year I have this opportunity to write a yearbook wish as another class leaves Lincoln. It is an important time for you, and I want to say more than just "Good Luck." My wish for you runs deeper than the hope that positive things will happen as you move ahead in school and in life. I'm hoping you will think about and remember all the good things you've learned at Lincoln, both academically and socially. Think about how much you have grown, and use that as a solid foundation for the years to come. Applying what you have learned to the choices you will make is the because I know to bring you the good luck that all of us here a Lincoln hope for you.

5TH GRADE

2011-2012

Best wishes, and "Good Luck!"
Mr. Halter



Ms. Catherine Hamilton, Principal Ms. Paula Caradine, Asst. Principal

Abraham Lincoln Elementary School

Mr. Halter Fifth Grade Class

FRONT ROW: Malik Thomas, Rebecca Lu, Shemar Ramos, Nicholas Evans, Arden Short SECOND ROW: Mr. Halter, Claire Cooke, Nicholas Guerino, Samantha Spillane THIRD ROW: Jequira Gross, Jonathan Myles Ferguson, Spencer Reisig, Anne McGillen, Payton Hill, David Deyro, Dean Bartodziej FOURTH ROW: Alice Atkins, Kirstin Powe, Evan Kelly, Ethan Berleman-Paul, Kamryn Lewis, James Maguire, Samantha Braun, Sophia Iqbal

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To my class of 2011-2012,

What an amazing group of kids you are! I have really enjoyed spending this school year with you and am so fortunate to have been your teacher. I've seen each and every one of you grow, not just physically, but emotionally, as well. If you believe in yourselves and continue to open your mind, eyes, and heart, you will accomplish so much. Make the most of your lives and know you can make a difference in this world.

Fondly, Ms. McNish

Ms. Catherine Hamilton,



Abraham Lincoln Elementary School

2011-2012

Ms. McNish Fifth Grade Class

FRONT ROW: Olivia Salibellas, Hunter Anderson, Olivia Ferraro, Quentin Harlan, Anandita Vidyarthi SECOND ROW: Ms. McNish, Layla Hallab, Gabriel Termine

THIRD ROW: Allison Winans, Henry Hernandez Atkins, Jacob Adams, Patricia Delaney, Thomas Sage, An Rhys Edwards, Lauren Murphy FOURTH ROW: Ian Meachum, Briana Killingsworth, Jaylan Pascascio, Emanuel Lindsey, Eunseo Choo, Aliyah Young, Rowen Glusman, Joshua Czuba



Queridisima clase de 2012,

What a fun year this has been. We have had a great time writing in Spanish and tracking the adventures of Queso, Pato and Pastelito. We recreated the colonies, acted out the Revolution and wrote poetry. You can now write funny limericks to make people laugh. For me, this has been of year of getting to know some of the most amazing people. You all are deep, thoughtful

and funny. You have made me laugh and given me lots to think about.

As you move into middle school and beyond I want you all to remember not to use the word "can't" but rather to think "I'll give it a try". Each and every one of you can do what you want. As you move on work hard, try new things and most of all have fun.

E. Smith

2011-2012

Con muchisimo cariño, Señora Smith

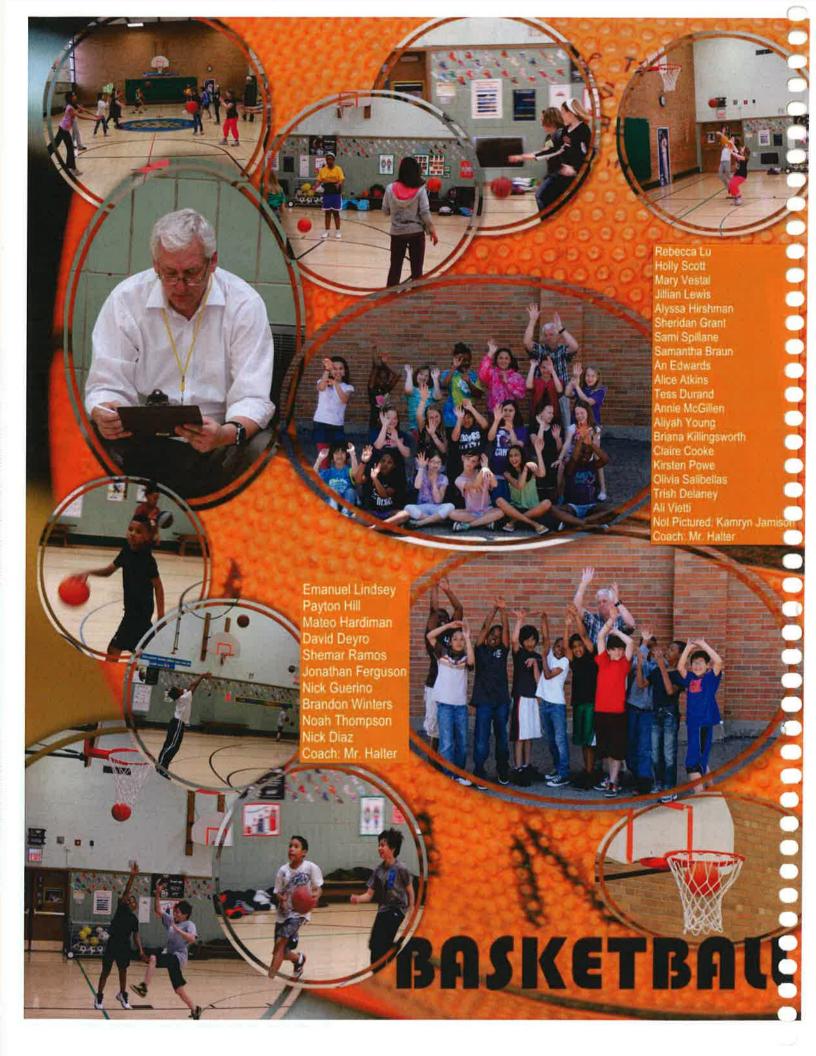


Ms. Catherine Hamilton, Principal Ms. Paula Caradine, Asst. Principal

Abraham Lincoln Elementary School Mrs. Smith Fifth Grade Class

FRONT ROW: Molly Ryan, Gilbert Vivas, Aliana Vietti, Iannis Chulos Saarinen, Emily Franciszkowicz SECOND ROW: Mrs. Smith, Grace Boughton, Owen Bell, Grace Luptak, Calif Holder, Matteo Hardiman THIRD ROW: Ethan Wang, Thomas Gill, Mary Lynch, Maire O'Donnell, Leeland Anderson, Isabella White NOT PICTURED: Zoe Prouty





Student Council





Nick Diaz, Ben Atkins, Quentin Harlan, Calif Holder Aliyah Young, Emily Franciszkowicz, Samantha Braun Rebecca Lu, Phoenix Sullivan Advisor: Ms. Conmy

Yearbook Committee





Nick Diaz, Noah Thompson, Gilbert Vivas, Layla Hallab, Ben Moyer, Spencer Reisig, Ali Vietti, Alice Atkins, Eamon McAndrews, Rowen G., Samantha Braun, Tess Durrand, Prachi Mehendale, Nick Evans, Emanuel Lindsey, Tommy Sage, Calif Holder Not Pictured: Isa White

CHESS CUB

ALICE ATKINS
AN EDWARDS
BEN ATKINS
BEN MOYER
BRANDON WINTERS



DAVID DEYRO
EAMON MCANDREWS
ETHAN BERLEMAN-PAUL
ETHAN WANG
EVAN KELLY





GABE TERMINE
GILBERT VIVAS
GRACE BOUGHTON
GRANT KINDLER
HOLLY SCOTT



IAN MEACHUM
JAMES MAGUIRE
KAMRYN JAMISON
KIRSTIN POWE
MALIK THOMAS

NICK EVANS NICKY DIAZ PAUL OBRECHT PAYTON HILL PHOENIX SULLIVAN



PRACHI MEHENDALE QUENTIN HARLAN TOMMY SAGE Instructor: Mr. Childress







World Language Program



中国话的

Isa White

Not Pictured: Kamryn Jamison

Instructor: Mr. Huang

Français



Tess Durand Mary Lynch Instructor: Ms. Lynch

Deutsch



Maire O'Donnell Sheridan Grant Instructor: Ms. Peters

Español



Olivia Ferraro Samantha Braun Mary Vestal Claire Cooke

Instructor: Senora Jacoby

Service Team



Each year the 5th grade sets a goal for each student to complete 15 hours of service to Lincoln School. In order to reach this goal, the students help teachers with organizing, bulletin boards, mail, tutoring, stacking chairs, sharpening pencils, etc. The students come before or after school and during the lunch hour to help. For Each 10 minutes of work, one sticker was awarded.

Most 5th graders participate and exceed the goal of 15 hours of service. Advisor: Ms. Burries







Tess Durrand, Molly Ryan, Holly Scott, Mary Vestal, Ali Vietti, Kayla Hammons, Gracie Boughton, Isa White, Emily Franciszkowicz, Samantha Braun, Lauren Murphy, Allison Winans, Olivia Ferraro, Alice Atkins, Jillian Lewis, Zoe Prouty, Grace Luptak, Maire O'Donnell, Mary Lynch, Annie McGillen, Sheridan Grant



WEBLOS Cub Scouts



Calif Holder, Gilber Vivas, Quentin Harlan, Eamon McAndrews, Ethan Wang, Joshua Czuba Lannis Chulos-Saarinen, Tommy Gill, Jose Montano, Ethan Berleman-Paul, Tommy Sage, Evan Kelly, Eunseo Choo

girls on the Run



BABABBBBBBBB

Claire Cook, Alyssa Hirshman, Arden Shore, Anna Vidyarthi, Ali Vietti, Kayla Hammons, Gracie Boughton, Sophia Iqba, Sami Spillane, Tess Durrand, Mary Vestal, Samanatha Braun, Alice Atkins, Kirsten Powe, Prachi Mehendale, Allison Winans, Annie McGillen, Olivia Ferraro, Holly Scott, Molly Ryan, Zoe Prouty, Maire O'Donnell



Aliyah Young, Dean Bartodziej, Prachi Mehendale, Morgan Varando, Joshua Czuba, Ethan Wang Samantha Braun, Sami Spillane, Sheridan Grant, Phoenix Sullivan, Ben Moyer, Ian Meachum



Beginning Band

Annie McGillen, Kayla Hammons, Nick Diaz, Jonathan Ferguson, Joshua Czuba, Ben Moyer, Noah Thompson, Sheridan Grant Instructor: Ms. Vogt

Intermediate Band





Owen Bell, Gilbert Vivas, Gracie Boughton, Emily Franciszkowicz, Quentin Harlan, Owen Dispensa, Calif Holder, Anna Vidyarthi, Leland Anderson Tess Durrand, Sophie Iqbal, Emanuel Lindsey, Brandon Winters, Evan Kelly, Malik Thomas, Ian Meachum, Paul Obrecht, fommy Gill, Morgan Varnado, Allison Winans, Maire O'Donnell, Zoe Prouty 'nstructor: Ms. Vogt



Chorus

Aliana Vietti
Alice Atkins
Aliyah Young
Alyssa Hirshman
Anna Vidyarthi
Arden Shorr
Ariana Houston
Ben Moyer
Briana Killingsworth
Claire Cooke
Eamon McAndrews
Edward Clissold

Ethan Wang
Evan Kelly
Gilbert Vivas
Gracie Boughton
Hailey Ledbetter
Holly Scott
Ian Meachum
Isa White
Jequira Gross
Jillian Lewis
Kamryn Jamison

Kirstin Powe Maire O'Donnell Mary Vestal Nicholas Diaz Olivia Salibellas Robert Williams Rowen Glusman Samantha Braun Sami Spillane Sheridan Grant Sophia Iqbal Trish Delaney

Instructor: Mr. Tangorra

Moving On to Brooks!





5th Grade Honors

President's Award for Educational Improvement

Gold

Leeland Anderson Benjamin Atkins Samanta Braun Eunseo Choo Josh Czuba Owen Dispensa Nicholas Evans Olivia Ferrero Rowen Glusman Sheridan Grant Layla Hallab Alyssa Hirshman Evan Kelly Grant Kindler Rebecca Lu

Grace Luptak
Mary Lynch
Eamon McAndrews
Annie McGillen
Prachi Mehendale
Benjamin Moyer
Paul Obrecht
Marie O'Donnell
Spencer Reisig
Molly Ryan
Phoenix Sullivan
Morgan Varnado
Gilbert Vivas
Ethan Wang
Allison Winans

Silver

Jake Adams	Kamryn Lewis
Ethan Berlman-Paul	Emanuel Lindsey
Claire Cooke	James Maguire
Edward Clissold	Lauren Murphy
Patricia Delaney	Zoe Prouty
David Deyro	Conor Roy
Nicholas Diaz	Tommy Sage
An Edwards	Olivia Salibellas
Tommy Gill	Arden Shorr
Quentin Harlan	Sami Spillane
Henry Hernandez-Atkins	Noah Thompson
Arianna Houston	Mary Vestal
Sophia Iqbal	Anna Vidyarthi
Hailey Ledbetter	Robert Williams
Jillian Lewis	Aliyah Young

Principal's Award

Jacob Adams

Leeland Anderson

James Maguire

Phoenix Sullivan

Optimist Club Youth Appreciation

Jillian Lewis

Lincoln School - Geography Bee

Tommy Sage-First place Rebecca Lu-Third Place

Lincoln School Directory Cover Designs

Prachi Mehendale (front) Sophia Iqbal (back)

Holiday Sing Program & DVD Cover Design

Nick Diaz

READING Olympics

Fall 2011 Winners Ben Atkins Sheridan Grant Paul Obrect



Not pictured: Ben Atkins





Spring 2012 Winners Ben Atkins Ben Moyer Paul Obrect

Extreme Competition Rowen Glusman Rebecca Lu Annie McGillen



Midwest Academic Talent Search (MATS), Center for Talent, Development Northwestern University Coordinated by: Mr. Kuntz

This year the Center for Talent Development at Northwestern University conducted its seventeenth annual search for elementary and middle school students who are academically talented. 5,400 students participated in the Midwest Academic Talent Search from several midwestern This year 10 fifth grade students from Lincoln participated in the Talent Search. These students qualified for the Northwestern program by attaining outstanding academic achievement in the math and/or verbal areas of a nationally normed achievement test. Participating students completed the EXPLORE, out of level test, in January or February. The students who participated this year from Lincoln are:

Lee Anderson Layla Hallab Alyssa Hirshman Rebecca Lu Eamon McAndrews Paul Obrecht Maire O'Donnell Molly Ryan Thomas Sage Ethan Wang

Mathematical Olympiads for Elementary and Middle School Students (MOEMS)

Students from Lincoln in grade five participated in the Mathematical Olympiad for Elementary and Middle Schools this year. They were among the nearly 135,000 students and 4,600 teams worldwide to participate this year in the Math Olympiad Program. The students participated in a series of five monthly contests consisting of five very challenging problems each.

The following students participated in MOEMS this year:

Lee Anderson Ben Atkins Ethan Berleman-Paul Samantha Braun Eunseo Choo David Devro Nicholas Evans Olivia Ferraro Sheridan Grant Layla Hallab Ouentin Harlan Alyssa Hirshman Sophia Iqbal Evan Kelly Grant Kindler Rebecca Lu

Grace Luptak James Maguire Eamon McAndrews Annie McGillen Prachi Mehendale Ben Moyer Paul Obrecht Zoe Prouty Spencer Reisig Molly Ryan Samantha Spillane Phoenix Sullivan Morgan Varnado Ethan Wang Allison Winans

The silver pin is awarded to those students in the 90th to 97th percentile of all students tested worldwide. This year at Lincoln we have 5 students who will receive this prestigious award. Students will receive a silver pin and a MOEMS patch.

Lee Anderson Samantha Braun Evan Kelly Eamon McAndrews Paul Obrecht

The MOEMS (Mathematical Olympiads for Elementary and Middle Schools) Contest was coordinated by Mr. Kuntz.

Illinois Council of Teachers of Mathematics ANNUAL MATH CONTEST

ICTM sponsors in-school contests for students from 3rd through 8th grade, along with an algebra contest for Junior High students.

Contest questions reflect the NCTM Standards spirit of problem solving and encourage the use of calculators. Team events also promote cooperation among students. Problems are written to challenge students thinking, hopefully leading to further appreciation and exploration of mathematics.

Students completed a series of three contests throughout the year- each test consisting of a team competition and an individual event. In the team competition, a small group of students work together to solve 20 challenging problems in 25 minutes. The second test is for individuals, where students work independently on 8 questions for 20 minutes. Scores of the two best teams and top 10 individuals for each competition count toward the school total.

A total of 63 students in grade 5 participated in the ICTM Math Contest this year.

Grade 5 ICTM Math Contest

The participants in the grade 5 competition were:

Jacob Adams Emanuel Lindsey Lee Anderson Rebecca Lu Alice Atkins James Maguire Ben Atkins Annie McGillen Henry Atkins Ian Meachum Dean Bartodziei Prachi Mehendale Ethan Berelman-Paul Ben Mover Samantha Braun Lauren Murphy Eunseo Choo Paul Obrecht Claire Cooke Maire O'Donnell Joshua Czuba Jaylan Pascascio Trish Delaney Kirstin Powe David Deyro Zoe Prouty An Edwards Shemar Ramos Nicholas Evans Spencer Reisig Jonathan Ferguson Molly Ryan Tommy Gill Tommy Sage Sheridan Grant Olivia Salibellas Matteo Hardiman Arden Shorr Quentin Harlan Samantha Spillane Alyssa Hirshman Phoenix Sullivan Payton Hill Malik Thomas Calif Holder Morgan Varnado Sophia Iqbal Gilbert Vivas Evan Kelly Allison Winans

Aliyah Young

Grant Kindler

Kamryn Lewis

The top scorers in grade five in the **individual** competition were:

Samantha Braun Evan Kelly Grant Kindler Rebecca Lu

Prachi Mehendale Paul Obrecht Spencer Reisig Molly Ryan Morgan Varnado

The top scorers in grade five in the **team** competition were:

Team #1: Alyssa Hirshman, Eamon McAndrews, Phoenix Sullivan, Ben Atkins and

Phoenix Sullivan, Ben Atkins

Sheridan Grant

Team #2: Alice Atkins, Samantha Braun, Claire Cooke, Sophia Igbal, and Evan Kelly

Team #3: Ethan Berelman-Paul and

Nicholas Evans

Team #4: Lee Anderson and Ethan Wang

Illinois Math League Contest

This year 47 Lincoln students participated in the Annual Illinois Math League Contest. This contest is open to all interested 5th grade students. Math League involves taking a short but challenging math test. The test consists of 30 problems, and the students had 30 minutes to solve as many problems as possible.

The participants at grade 5 this year were:

Jacob Adams	Trish Delaney	Grant Kindler	Shemar Ramos
Lee Anderson	David Deyro	Kamryn Lewis	Spencer Reisig
Alice Atkins	An Edwards	Emanuel Lindsey	Molly Ryan
Ben Atkins	Nicholas Evans	James Maguire	Tommy Sage
Henry Atkins	Jonathan Ferguson	Eamon McAndrews	Samantha Spillane
Dean Bartodziej	Nicholas Guerino	Ian Meachum	Gabriel Termine
Ethan Berleman-Paul	Quentin Harlan	Prachi Mehendale	Malik Thomas
Samantha Braun	Payton Hill	Ben Moyer	Morgan Varnado
Eunseo Choo	Sophia Iqbal	Lauren Murphy	Anna Vidyarthi
Claire Cooke	Evan Kelly	Paul Obrecht	Ethan Wang
Joshua Czuba	Briana Killingsworth	Jaylan Pascascio	Allison Winans

The top scorers in this year Illinois Math League grade 5 contest were:

Lee Anderson Evan Kelly Prachi Mehendale Ethan Wang

Ben Atkins Grant Kindler Paul Obrecht Ethan Berleman-Paul Eamon McAndrews Morgan Varnado

Kamryn Lewis

Illinois Math League Contest- Grade 6 The Illinois Math League Contest is coordinated by Mr. Kuntz.

This year 45 Lincoln students participated in the Annual Illinois Math League Contest-Grade 6. A large number of fifth grade students participated in this very difficult out of level test. The Grade 6 Illinois Math League Contest involves taking a short but challenging math test. The test consists of 40 problems and the students had 30 minutes to solve as many problems as possible.

The students that participated this year were:

Jacob Adams	Olivia Ferraro	Rebecca Lu	Molly Ryan
Lee Anderson	Emily Franciszkowicz	James Maguire	Tommy Sage
Alice Atkins	Rowen Glusman	Eamon McAndrews	Samantha Spillane
Henry Atkins	Sheridan Grant	Annie McGillen	Malik Thomas
Dean Bartodziej	Layla Hallab	Prachi Mehendale	Ethan Wang
Ethan Bereleman-Paul	Matteo Hardiman	Ben Moyer	Morgan Varnado
Samantha Braun	Payton Hill	Paul Obrecht	Gilbert Vivas
Eunseo Choo	Sophia Iqbal	Maire O'Donnell	Allison Winans
Claire Cooke	Evan Kelly	Zoe Prouty	
David Deyro	Grant Kindler	Shemar Ramos	

The top scorers in 5th Grade this year were:

Nicholas Evans

Evan Kelly Rebecca Lu Prachi Mehendale Morgan Varnado Grant Kindler Eamon McAndrews Paul Obrecht

Spencer Reisig

5th Grade Global Virtual Classroom (GVC) Project coordinated by Mr. Kuntz.

The Global Virtual Classroom Contest is a global team cooperation and website-building activity. Using Internet technologies to communicate, teams of three schools from around the world work together to build a website.

The Global Virtual Classroom (GVC) Project emphasizes collaboration and telecommunication throughout the world. Students learn effective communication with all ages and cultures. Students celebrate their varied talents and combine those talents to create a product greater than any one individual could create alone. They learn how to learn, and are taught new software products and educational themes.

After working together for the last 6 months, approximately 1,800 students from 73 schools, representing 26 countries around the world unveiled 24 websites as part of the Global Virtual Classroom Contest 2012. The Global Virtual Classroom contest is sponsored by AT&T International as well as GSBI- Give Something Back International.

The 5th grade team from Lincoln School teamed up with schools from Hungary and Russia to create a web-site entitled: If Kids Ruled the World. Students created their own worlds by using Google Sketch-Up, some examples were... If Kids Ruled the World, everything would be made out of CANDY!

While we did not win an award this year (both of our partners did not finish their parts of the website), I am very proud of the students here at Lincoln that worked hard to the end of the project.

Please check out our work at http://gvc1106.blogspot.com/ Congratulations to the 5th graders on a job well done! The fifth grade GVC participants are:

Tessa Durand Sheridan Grant Kayla Hammons Alyssa Hirschman Grant Kindler Hailey Ledbetter Jillian Lewis Eamon McAndrews Prachi Mehendale Jose Montano Ben Moyer Paul Obrecht Conor Roy Holly Scott Phoenix Sullivan Morgan Varnado Robert Williams

Alice Atkins Dean Bartodziej Ethan Berelman-Paul

Brandon Winters

Samantha Braun
Claire Cooke
Nicholas Evans
Jequira Gross
Sophia Iqbal
Evan Kelly
Kamryn Lewis-Jamison
James Maguire
Spencer Reisig
Arden Shorr
Samantha Spillane

Eunseo Choo Joshua Czuba Trish Delaney Olivia Ferraro Rowen Glusman Quentin Harlan Brianna Killingsworth Emanuel Lindsey Ian Meachum Lauren Murphy Jaylen Pascascio



Tommy Sage

Anna Vidarthi

Allison Winans

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Grace Luptak
Mary Lynch
Maire O'Donnell
Zoe Prouty
Molly Ryan
Aliana Vietti
Gilbert Vivas
Ethan Wang
Isabella White



The 2011-2012 Yearbook Staff members were instrumental in helping to create this year's yearbook! They talked about and chose the questions for both the Memories Section and the Fads & Favorites Questionnaire. They designed the front and back covers. They took pictures for the I "Spy Section". We would like to thank all of them for their dedication and efforts in helping put the book together!

Special Thanks

To all the Parents who were so kind in sending in their photos from the year's events so that we could make certain that everyone was represented.

Extra Special Thanks

To all the Teachers & Staff!
For all your Well Wishes, and for sending in your photos for the Guess Who Section.

We couldn't have done it without Mr. Kuntz & Cathy Hamilton who compiled all the information for the Honors & Awards Sections

Super Extra Special Thanks

To Mrs. Roskopf for EVERYTHING

And to Sanna Evans, because without her generosity, kindness and patience, this yearbook would not have been possible!

And to all the teachers, aides and staff that have given so much of themselves and made such a difference in our children's lives

We are eternally grateful for all your efforts.

ROW 1: MYS. O'MERYR, MS. CORMY, MYS. HRYES, MYS. ROSKOPF, MYS. Zillman ROW 2: MYS. Slawina, MY. RARA, MYS. FOYEMAN, MYS. MONISh ROW 3: MY. HALLEY, MS. CAYAdine, MYS. GODER, MS. HAMILLON, MYS. Wilson ROW 4: MY. KUNLZ, MYS. SANDOVAL, MYS. MAGUNA, MY. Childyess, MS. Chase-Vivas

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Lauren Murphy Mary Lynch - Calif Holder will, Emanuel Lindsey Landown Grace Luptak Ethan Berleman-Paul Hailey Ledbetter Jaylan Rowen Glusman Holly Scott B Pascascio Tessa Durand Molly Ryan! Rebecca Rebecca Lu Euman Mandrews Emily Franciszkowicz Annie McGillen Prochindale voe Prout-18 Ben Moyer Nicholas Evans

6 Teachers and 70+ WOW Slips Ago.. We Became Lincoln Lions.



Now It's Time To Move Up To Brooks!



We Will Miss You Lincoln School
Thanks For The Memories