

Prairie Heights Elementary School

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Twister Highlights – January 29

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TO: Prairie Heights Elementary School Parents and Patrons
FROM: Cynthia Schrader, Principal

•Three spellers from each school, Council Grove Elementary School, Council Grove Junior High, Prairie Heights Elementary School, and White City Elementary, gathered at the Council Grove Junior/Senior High Auditorium Wednesday, January 27, to determine which two spellers would represent Morris County at the state spelling bee in the spring. The three students who represented Prairie Heights Elementary were Nash Cooper – Grade 6, Brittley King – Grade 4, and Kellen Marshall – Grade 6. Two of the Council Grove Junior High team, Savannah Lillich and Brody King, are former Prairie Heights students. The contest was won by Savannah Lillich, after spelling her sixteenth word correctly. Nash Cooper was fourth in the contest. The spelling team winner with the most correctly spelled words was the Council Grove Junior High team. Joyce Heilman pronounced the words and was moderator. Marty White and Diane Bolton served as judges for the event. If you happen to see Nash, Brittley, Kellen, Savannah, and Brody, please compliment them on their spelling success.

•PHES parents, Parent Teacher Conference notices are being sent home today with your child(ren). Please look at the date and time. If for some reason this will not work for you, then contact our secretary, Nancy Furney, and we will work on another time.

•The organizations in the Prairie Heights communities are so generous. Just this week bags of supplies from the Phillip Gard Auxiliary # 289 arrived with hot-glue guns, wax sticks and Elmers glue for art classes, Kleenex, pencils, and erasers. If you know any members of this organization, please thank them for sharing supplies here at PHES.

•Thanks to parents, who attended the PTO and Site Council meetings on Monday, January 25. Your thoughts about PHES maintenance needs, landscaping, the school calendar for 2016 – 2017, the spring carnival on April 23, Bouncy Bands, and summer swim lessons were so valuable.

•Upcoming Information...

No School for Students on Monday, February 1

The February newsletter and calendar will be posted to the web site today.