

The Adoption Paper

(Official Newsletter for the Nixa Adopt-A-Class Program)

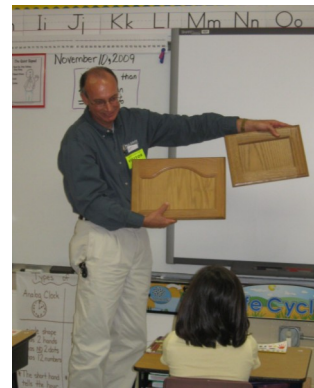
I hope everyone is having a successful experience with their Adopt-A-Class Partner. If you are having difficulty connecting with your teacher/business, please contact me and I will try to help facilitate communication.

Terri



Dr. Parker, with Nixa Chiropractic and Wellness Centre, has visited with his adopted class several times this semester. He explains to Mrs. Hines' class at Century Elementary what he does as a chiropractor and how he helps people. He even did a few demonstrations on how if your body is manipulated it will become stronger. The class will be taking a field trip December 18th to Dr. Parker's Clinic. They are really looking forward to the trip.

Mr. Dave from Paul Davis Restorations of Southwest Missouri, Inc. talked with Mrs. Slackman's class at Thomas Elementary about 3-D shapes. The class has been studying 3-D shapes and this presentation went right along with the curriculum. He has also done a short presentation on Fire Safety, complete with a hand-out for kids to take home and discuss with their parents. Thanks to Dave for great information and the willingness to participate in the Adopt-A-Class Program!



Sonic has visited with Mrs. Forrester's Kindergarten class at Espy Elementary. The students were treated to fruit sundaes! They have also established a monthly incentive to encourage reading with the students. At the end of every month, every child that has raised their independent reading level at least 1 level will get to enjoy a fruit sundae from Sonic when they visit. Thanks to Kristi Bohannon and her staff for supporting Mrs. Forrester's class and promoting literacy.

"I am thrilled to have Sonic as my partner, and welcome the support and kindness they extend to my classroom and Espy Elementary!" Becky Forrester

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