

# the eagles scream



## MISSION

Provide the best environment for our students to heal and become educated, productive community members.



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## Important Dates:

### October 12:

NO SCHOOL—  
Teacher In-Service

### October 22:

NO LOWER  
SCHOOL—  
Professional  
Development Day

### October 31:

HARVEST PARTY/  
HALLOWEEN  
DANCE, Time TBD

## Students, Staff, and Families had a Blast at Fall Open House

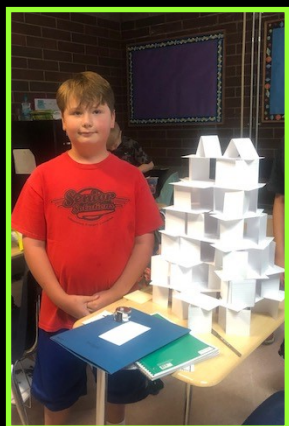


**The next  
Open House  
will be in the  
Spring, on  
May 7th**



Serendipity families and friends enjoyed pizza, perused produce from the Growing Minds Garden, and took silly pictures in the photo booth at the Fall Open House. It was a great way to welcome everyone to a new school year!

## Room 8 blows off some



Science



Technology



Engineering



Art



Math

Room 8 students are engineers! So far this year students have been designing and building all different kinds of structures such as giant towers and other buildings! Students have had to test their creation for durability which has added to the challenge. Right now students are studying the different types of bridges (beam, arch, suspension) and are using blueprints to design a bridge that can hold the weight of 100 pennies!



## GET INVOLVED!

**Submit your  
writing to the  
Eagles Scream!**



Everyone is encouraged to submit art or writing! By contributing to the school newsletter you get to have your voice heard school-wide!

## Guidelines for Submissions:

- 5-7 sentences
- Typed or handwritten
- School Appropriate
- Follows school expectations of being safe, respectful, and responsible to others (not offensive to students or staff)



## Staff Portraits

By Nick (Room 108)

Room  
113  
Staff

Room 108 Staff

Heather

Brian

Jill

Grace

Linda

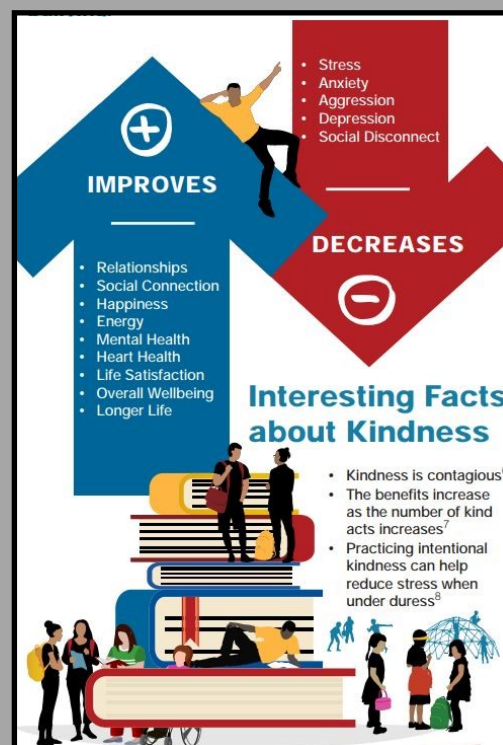
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## October is National Bullying Prevention Month

According to StopBullying.gov, "Kindness is one of the most significant contributors to positive school climate. Being kind makes others happy, makes you feel good, and helps prevent bullying."

Ways to Show Kindness at School:

- Support
- Optimism & Positivity
- Happiness
- Collaboration
- Connection & Empathy



## Learn More

about bullying and its prevention at [www.StopBullying.gov](http://www.StopBullying.gov)

## WARNING!

This year's Screaming Eagle Hot Sauce is going to be a scorcher! Last week a diligent group of high school students picked, cleaned, trimmed, salted & minced over **40 pounds of ripe hot and sweet peppers** (including Jalapenos, Habaneros and Hungarian Hot Wax), yielding nearly **4 gallons of hot sauce!** After a short **fermentation** at room temperature, it's ready to eat, but remember to start small since there's much more **capsaicin** (the oil in peppers that makes them taste spicy) in this year's batch than there was last year.



## Caught in the Moment

The moments that make Serendipity shine



Room 3 students crowd around Brittany

Nicolas and Jacob work on creating this year's batch of Screaming Eagle Hot Sauce



Tavis and Jonason playing ball in the garden

Staff and students enjoy the sunny weather on the Nike Playground



## ARTIST'S CORNER

Artist: Rylan

Title: "The Fox"

Medium: Colored Pencil on Paper

