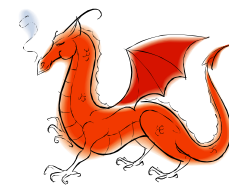


The Eye of the Dragon

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Jewelry

(Mrs. Riemens)



To design their own jewelry the 11s had to create a drawing from their ideas. In the composition of the design each artist is creating contour, detail, form, space, line and value. **Lizzie, Seung Min and Eun Bin** are using color, texture, unity and variety to find balance in their



design. Creating jewelry has been a craft as old as mankind. The 11-year-old students looked at different jewelry from different cultures. They saw photos from local artists and jewelry designers who came into the classroom and demonstrated their skills. **Mrs. Riemens** then discussed the technique with the class and the students designed their own piece of jewelry.

Locked In and Loving It!

For the first time 9 year old students had their very own social – and it was



a Lock-In. Imagine a huge slumber party with pizza, drinks, donuts and juice. Then add some fantastic locations like the Gym, the Computer Room (with 50 computers), the Game Room with foosball and ping tables, the Playroom with a Big screen TV and a funny show and then staying up till



midnight with over 50 other students! Then add some fun folks to help you have fun like **Mr. DeHart** in computers, **Mr. Argyle** in the gym, **Mrs. DeWitt** in the



Game room and **Mr. DeWitt**

everywhere. Then add all the nice and fun loving 9 year old teachers and 25 Middle School students who are only there to help you and what do you have? If you are



over 25 it may be an ulcer, but for the 9s it was a highlight of the year. Oh yeah, and, thanks to **Mr. Page**, it was all **FREE!**



After 13 hours locked up with 55 nine year old students I must say that I am very impressed with the parenting skills of QSI families. Students were fun, polite, patient, grateful and really energetic. MS students eased the burden of supervision with energy and goodwill toward the younger students they share the campus with. They were overseeing games, passing out food, checking in students, escorting them through the building and, in general, acting like the great role models they usually are. It is always a pleasure to see older students working with younger ones. It is not only a huge benefit to the younger students (and staff) it is also a vital link in the continued maturity of the older students. There are MANY more photos available of the Lock In just in case you want to see them. Here due to limited space I will just share these few.



QSI Hosts PDR Volleyball

It is hard to believe that **Mr. Kenealy** can do so many things so well. His classes are classic – not only popular with students but aimed at helping them to learn how to move, work well with others and find the confidence and determination that will empower them to succeed in life. Yet in his spare time he is coaching soccer at the secondary AND getting ready to host the PDR Volleyball Tournament. It is no surprise, if you know **Mr. K**, that he does all of these things very well! The hosts have been assigned, the schedules made, the referees arranged and organized and the other thousand things that require so much time. There is nothing that seems to escape his attention if it has to do with sports or ACE events. Be sure to give him a big thank you next time you see him – if you can get him to slow down that is! Thank you, **Mr. Kenealy**!



The Golden Dragon

In recognition of his service to the school above and beyond what is required, **Mr. Argyle** received a **Golden Dragon Award** at the assembly. Besides PE classes he subs, supervise the 9 year old Lock In, helps out with assembly activities and loves to help students

Welcome to QSI



Natalie and Kelvin Cha from Malaysia started school Wednesday. Jessica and Henry were assigned to be their mentors and make sure they don't get lost and introduce them to some new friends. Tech Onn and Tech Xing have known the newcomers since they lived in Malaysia so they start out with at least a couple of friends.

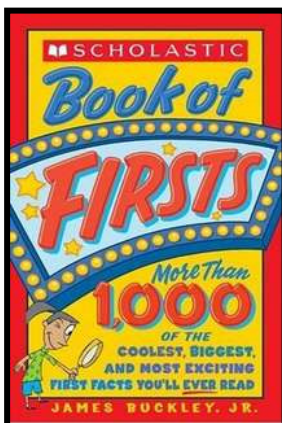


Ms. Vanessa's Chinese class has been putting some vocabulary into action with a skit about medical care. Not only did the students get to show mastery in a cool fun way, they also had the chance to do it in front of some other classes that also benefitted from the study these students did. Great job Riku, Eric and Devesh on the skit, but if I get sick I want to go see someone who looks a bit more serious!



Coordinator's Corner

Book of Firsts



Once again Sato has come through with a book to recommend that looks like a lot of fun. This book is about things that came first. For example, when was the first peanut butter made? Who went to space first? This book has answers for many of the questions "When did the first something get invented? It's not just a boring book with a whole bunch of words; it is printed in black, blue and orange with cute funny pictures and a funny introduction as well. This book is in the non-fiction section of the library and the call number is 050 Buc.

9 year Old Lock in at about 11:00



Announcements

- **Students who ride the late bus must be registered in the office ahead of time or they will not be allowed to ride the bus. Sign up in 1st floor Office.**
- **Students who wish to use the gym after school must be supervised by an adult.**
- The Main Campus Library is open after school for students to study. Students must remember to sign up for the late bus before 1:00 if they are bus riders. Students 9 – 11 need a signed permission slip to attend.
- **ACAMIS Chess is scheduled for April 23**
- **Class pictures are going to be taken March 7th**
- **MS PDRC Volleyball Tournament scheduled March 2-3 at QSI Secondary Gym – Come and watch some games!**
- **Thanks to the volunteers helping at the 9 year old lock-in!**
- **If any student wants to receive his/her own copy of the Eye of the Dragon every week please drop by the 3rd floor office and tell Joy who will sign you up or email her at joy-yang@shk.qsi.org and you will get every copy sent right to your email.**
- Every edition of the Eye of the Dragon is also available on the school website. Contact Mr. DeWitt for any photos or input for the Newsletter @ ron-dewitt@shk.qsi.org