

Heritage Elementary School

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Linda Ennis, principal

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- Outstanding School Accomplishments
 - Superior School Rating 2004 - 2009
 - PTA Reflections – 8 state winners
 - Energy Star Rating
 - Numerous competition winners – i.e. Science Expo, Letters About Literature, Fire Safety Poster, etc.



- **Current Initiatives**
 - **Health & Wellness**
 - Follow-up to Nemours Grant – “Trouble-free Playground” program
 - “Girls on the Run”
 - “Healthy Choices”
 - “Healthy Ever After”
 - Recess Walking Program
 - Healthy Heart Trivia and Jump Rope for Heart

- Current Initiatives cont'd
 - Technology
 - Technology Enrichment classes for K-2
 - Computer lab
 - Laptop cart
 - Projectors
 - Academics
 - Scott Foresman/Math Trailblazers/Science/Social Studies
 - Accelerated Reader
 - Accelerated Math
 - RTI
 - Full-time Talented and Gifted classes
 - Full-time Guidance classes and counseling
 - Full-time Music and Library; half-time Art and P.E.

- Current Initiatives cont'd

- School Climate

- School-wide rules and Eagle of the Week recognition
- Anti-bullying assemblies and guidance lessons

- Community Involvement

- Active and supportive PTA

- Family Activities
- Book Fairs
- Yearbook
- Clean-up projects
- Financial support for field trips, programs, school grounds and playground, sound system, lobby benches and welcome mat, climbing wall, etc.



- Current Initiatives cont'd
 - Community Involvement
 - Delaware Parent Leadership Institute parent participant – “Our Heritage Garden” 4th grade project



• Students Focus

- Quarterly Student Recognition Awards
- High Flying Readers parties
- Mentoring partnership with Bank of America
- Numerous assemblies and activities to support the curriculum
- Science Ambassadors partnership with Charter School of Wilmington students
- Book Buddies mentoring partnership with Skyline Middle School 6th graders and Heritage 2nd graders
- Writers' Convention
- Band, strings and chorus lessons and performances
- Earth Day paper bag activity with Acme at Pike Creek
- Recycling partnership with Meadowood students

- Students Focus cont'd
 - 5th Grade
 - Drug-free cheerleaders
 - Safety Patrol
 - Morning Announcers
 - Move-up Ceremony
 - Competitions
 - Stock Market Game
 - Geography and Numbers Bees
 - Science Olympiad (Fall, 2010)
 - Numerous state and national competitions

• Upcoming Events

- TV Turn-off Week - April 19-23
- Book Fair – April 26 – 30
- 5th Grade trip to Junior Achievement Biztown–April 26
- Writers’ Convention – April 30
- Muffins with Mom – May 5 – 7
- Strawberry Festival & Visual Arts Festival – May 13
- African Acrobats Assembly – May 20
- BMX Bike Show – May 24
- Multicultural Day and African Festival – May 27
- Spirit Walk for the Leukemia/Lymphoma Society–May 28

- Upcoming Events cont'd

- Field Day – June 1st
- Band/Strings Concert – June 3rd
- Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon – June 4th
- 4th/5th Grade Kickball Tournament in honor of Mr. Kling
- Kindergarten Orientation – June 7th
- Choral Concert – June 9th
- Choral Trip to a nursing home – June 10th
- 5th Grade Move-up Ceremony – June 11th

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