

Falling Into a Good Laugh

What did the
little turkey say
to the Big
turkey?

Peck on
someone your
own size!



Why did the
cranberry turn
red?

Because he saw
the turkey
dressing!

PES Press



Bringing the News for You November Edition

We hope everyone had a great Fall Break with a good rest and break from school. We do hope you came back with a great attitude about school and hope to work hard the remainder of this first semester.

We are thankful for a great first PBIS Big Event. We had a fun Trunk or Treat and had engaging game rotations and a dance party too. Thanks to all the teachers who helped plan the fun and to the high school administration for sharing their spaces with us.

We also want to thank our families who sent in candy and who helped with our Halloween Parties. You are such an important part of our team at PES.

Our Thanksgiving Luncheon is set for November 13th. PreK, 1st, 3rd, and 5th Grade families, we are excited for you to come and enjoy a delicious meal with our students.

Look & Find

You'll find 5 pumpkin
pies and 1 super
challenging turkey.



Do NOT count the ones
on this page.

We are proud of the
following 4th graders who
found the pumpkin on the
same day: Scarlett Miller,
Olivia Mann, and Maddyx
Martin. They each
received a big candy treat.

**We are adding a NEW
rule! From now on, you
can't work together on
the Look & Find. We will
only accept the FIRST
winner who shows Mrs.
Therrell the hidden
image first. We hope
you're up for the
challenge!**

Important News

ATTENDANCE PARTY

Our Attendance Team has been working hard to plan a day of fun to celebrate great attendance at PES!

Students who are present every day from October 1st - November 21st will be invited to participate in an AttENDANCE/Game Party!

#AttendanceMatters



ATTENDANCE
MATTERS.
ALL DAY, EVERY DAY

Our Attendance Team is working hard to celebrate great attendance!

We want all students present at school each day, but there's a special challenge October 1st - November 21st. If you are present every day during this time, you'll get to attend an AttENDANCE & Game Party with fun rotations and activities to do! What a fun way to celebrate great attendance at our school!

We hope to see you at school...everyday! Maybe just maybe you'll be one of the lucky ones attending the AttENDANCE & Game Party on November 21st!

Celebrating Leaders on Campus...Meet our SAVE CLUB!

SAVE Clubs are groups where kids work together to keep their friends, schools, and neighborhoods safe. Students are the leaders, and they use their ideas and kindness to stop violence and bullying before it happens. We are thankful for these leaders on our campus and Mrs. Ledbetter's role in leading them throughout the year.

5th Grade

Skylar Bacon
Jace Thompson
Gabby Parker
Hazle Teasley
Talon McCrory
Salter Rose Therrell
Jaecee Kennedy
Holly Hughes
Allie Kate Holyfield
Khlia Thompson
Millie Martin
Jameson Carroll
Hadley Hughes
LJ Vick

6th Grade

Dani Blair Stevens
Addison Thompson
Logan Martin
Hunter Bradshaw
Morgan Taylor
Avery McKinley
Dolly Bishop
Lila Cole
Bryson Boles
Harleigh Hopper
Avie Mae Jones
Olivia Ledbetter
Karlie Hodges
Chance Harpole
Gavin Smith
Hadley Kelly
Macy Claire Chatham
Arryuana Rhodes



Introducing a NEW monthly segment...

“Can you Guess the Younger Me?”

We are so thankful for great ideas shared with us for our newspaper. This segment idea was brought to us by Mrs. Bickerstaff’s mom, Mrs. Gwynn James. She thought it would be a fun idea to guess our faculty and staff from their younger years. We couldn’t wait to add it to our newspaper. Teachers and staff, get ready to find those younger pictures when it’s your turn!

Thank you to our teachers who were chosen to represent in our first issue. We appreciate your time and effort!

all about the younger me

WHEN I WAS A KID, I LIKED TO...
play soccer, softball, and basketball.
I also liked to read and ride my bike.

MY FAVORITE TEACHER WAS...
★ Mrs. Adcock. She was my 4th grade teacher. It was her first year of teaching, and she was young and pretty. She was the first teacher who really allowed us to work in groups and create projects to make learning more fun. She also helped me learn my multiplication facts because we had timed quizzes for fun prizes.

WHEN I WAS A KID, YOU COULD FIND ME...
on a sports field/court or playing outside with my brothers

FAVORITE SUBJECT IN SCHOOL: READING 😊
FAVORITE SNACK: COCOA KRISPIES - I STILL LOVE CEREAL AS A SNACK!
FAVORITE TV SHOW OR MOVIE: NOW AND THEN, THE SANDLOT, CASPER
FAVORITE COLOR: PINK
FAVORITE OUTFIT OR ACCESSORY: I CAN REMEMBER SPORTING MY TIMBERLAND BOOTS WITH OVERALLS LIKE A CHAMP!

“Can you Guess the Younger Me?”

all about the younger me



WHEN I WAS A KID, I LIKED TO...

I LIKED TO PLAY OUTSIDE WITH MY BEST FRIEND EMILY, SWIM IN MY SWIMMING POOL, AND PLAY SPORTS!

WHEN I WAS A KID, YOU COULD FIND ME...

- On the baseball or football field with my daddy
- At my moms beauty shop
- Outside playing

MY FAVORITE TEACHER WAS...

My first grade teacher, Mrs. Sara Means. She was so kind and had a huge part in teaching me to love school!

FAVORITE SUBJECT IN SCHOOL: MATH
 FAVORITE SNACK: DAN D'S CHICKEN
 FAVORITE COLOR: AQUA
 FAVORITE TV SHOW OR MOVIE: FULL HOUSE AND PARENT TRAP
 FAVORITE OUTFIT OR ACCESSORY: TOE RINGS, ANKLETS, WITH MY BLACK CLOGS



all about the younger me



WHEN I WAS A KID, I LIKED TO...

As a kid, I loved building clubs, riding my cousin's pony, playing softball, and climbing trees.

WHEN I WAS A KID, YOU COULD FIND ME...

- outside!
- I was either riding my bike or hot wheels, fishing or hunting with my daddy, walking in the woods by my house or playing in my grandmother's pasture. I also LOVED the skating rink!

MY FAVORITE TEACHER WAS...

My 5th grade teacher, Mrs. Peggy Finch! She took an interest in my shy student self and she is a friend of mine to this day! We still keep in touch! 😊

FAVORITE SUBJECT IN SCHOOL: PE
 FAVORITE SNACK: SNICKERS
 FAVORITE COLOR: PURPLE
 FAVORITE TV SHOW OR MOVIE: SMURFS ON SATURDAY MORNINGS AND THE DUKES OF HAZZARD
 FAVORITE OUTFIT OR ACCESSORY: CHARM NECKLACE, EARRINGS, SWATCH WATCH & JELLY BRACELETS

**Puckett Elementary
1st 9 Weeks Honor Roll**

Ruby Holyfield	Avery McKinley
Deuce Matson	Kade Palmer
Jett Means	Holden Parkman
Max Shook	Ella Peak
Harper Sullivan	Arryuna Rhodes
Paislee Tanner	Jackson Smith
Austin Wigginton	Kamryn Strack
Dolly Bishop	Hayes Thompson
Bryson Boles	Kaygan Weghorst
Hunter Bradshaw	Skylar Bacon
Madison Caves	Jameson Carroll
Tristan Devoter	Samuel Gravitt
Finley Grimes	Jack Green
Chance Harpole	Holly Hughes
Kathryn Hutson	Jaecee Kennedy
Everett Kasteler	Millie Martin
Olivia Ledbetter	Ellis Mitchener
Piper Lowery	Clara Nelson
JC May	Liam Rivers

**Puckett Elementary
1st 9 Weeks Honor Roll**

Timothy Smith	Benton Palmer
Ben Taylor	Kylan Pearson
Hazle Teasley	Kaislee Pruitt
Jace Thompson	Khylar Rawls
Khlia Thompson	Aubree Satterfield
Langston Tyrone	Emma Jaymes Smith
Raelynn Vanderford	Stella Clay Therrell
LJ Vick	Annabeth Thompson
Addy Wigginton	Mary Falon Wilson
Maisyn Baxley	Josiah Anderson
Levi Cliburn	Jace Everett
Anna Different	Lilly Horne
Tatum Donaldson	Maria Martinez
Kodi Earls	Ben Polk
Jack Fulton	James Smith
Adalyn Graham	Kambry Steverson
Kaige Graham	Brice Thompson
Libbie Jones	Lettie Ray Tullos
Callie Lauderdale	Ledger Welch
Ja'Liyah Magee	
Scarlet Miller	

**Puckett Elementary
1st 9 Weeks Honor Roll**

Jace Alford	Sophia Charczenko
Caylee Bradley	Finley Collins
Macy Claire Chatham	Layla Kay Etheridge
Lila Cole	Brantley Graham
Dean Different	Hank Harris
Karlie Hodges	Tyler Hayes
Avie Mae Jones	Isaiah Latham
Hadley Kelly	Olivia Mann
Logan Martin	Maddyx Martin
Landon Orr	Hudson Overby
Luci Rials	Joy Partridge
Gavin Smith	Caroline Smith
Dani Blair Stevens	Isabella Solis
Morgan Taylor	Zayley Allen
Addison Thompson	Eli Bowen
Angel Warren	Jadyn Easterling
Bryleigh Westbrook	Briar Harrison
Hadley Hughes	Khalee Hayes
Salter Rose Therrell	Brody Hodum
Emory Barrentine	Kaylee Holbrook

Congratulations to our 1st 9 Weeks Honor Roll students! Thanks to PTO for celebrating our students recently with a cold treat! We can't wait to see who else will join the list for 2nd 9 Weeks!

HAPPY NATIONAL PRINCIPALS MONTH.

Ms. Stanley!!



It's National Principals Month, and it's very fitting today is also **LIFESAVER** day at PES! Ms. Stanley is a real **LIFESAVER** to us! We are thankful for all the ways she leads and loves on campus.

It's always a great month when we can celebrate Ms. Stanley! As 6th graders, we can say she has been the best principal for us throughout our elementary years. She has been a principal in our district for 21 years, and we are thankful to say we have had her as our own for 10 of those years.

Thanks for going above and beyond to lead our school, Ms. Stanley! We love you!



Congratulations to Mrs. Weeks!

We are so proud of Mrs. Weeks for putting in the extra effort as a teacher to receive a classroom grant to help enhance her Social Studies lessons!

Thanks for leading by example and being a continued lifelong learner, Mrs. Weeks!

Specials Spotlight

Music - We are so grateful for Ms. Williamson and how she leads so well with all of our programs throughout the year. So far this year, she has led our 3rd graders in "American Symbols on Parade." Our 5th graders will also be performing their special Veterans' Day Program on November 11th, and first graders will be busy elves getting ready for their Christmas music program, as well. That's not all. More will be coming in the Spring! Ms. Williamson leads with positivity and love ensuring all grade levels are prepared for these special moments in the spotlight.



PES Teacher of the Year

Mrs. Tullos has received our PES Teacher of the Year Award. Mrs. Tullos puts her heart and soul into teaching her first grade students. She goes the extra mile to ensure her lessons are meaningful and engaging for her students. As students on campus ourselves, we can say we are thankful for teachers like Mrs. Tullos who go above and beyond for students. We are proud of you, Mrs. Tullos!



Mystery Staff

It's time for a new Mystery Staff Competition! Be sure and get your guess into Mrs. Therrell's Mystery Guess Box by November 19th. If your guess is correct, you'll be in the runnings for your favorite candy and drink! Our winner for last month goes to Ella Peak. She guessed correctly. Last month's Mystery Staff was Mrs. Russell.

What's your favorite color? Muted colors of almost all.

What has always been a nickname people have called you? No nickname.

What's your favorite book? The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein

What's your favorite movie/tv show? The Hunger Games is one of my favorites.

What's your favorite food? Soups! I love all sorts of SOUPS!

What's your favorite song? I can't pick just one.

If you could be any famous person in the world, who would you be and why? Hmm- this is a hard question to answer- Maybe a famous scientist, so I could discover something to help lots of people.

When you're not at school, what are some hobbies you enjoy doing? I really enjoy traveling, gardening and all sorts of outdoor activities. I also hope to start doing pottery again soon.

If you weren't a teacher or staff member here, what would another dream job be for you? Why? Well my first degree and job was in Interior Design. I'd probably do something like that because making people's homes and businesses comfortable is important and can influence their success. I might also like being a professional gardener. That would be fun too. Being able to use my creativity would be important to me.



Happy Birthday to our November Student Birthdays!

Happy birthday to all of our November birthdays!

Kambry Steverson

Asher Tullos

Jack Henry Smith

Colsen Grant

Beau Hawkins

William Welch

Harper Henderson

Ava Locke

Violet Moulds



Dean Different

Chandler Gallagher

Makyah Bland

Noah Ponder

Paisley Tanner

Maria Martinez

Jaxon Orr

Byron Russell

Knox Bowen

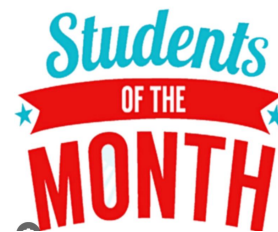




Of the Month Club

*Knowledge-learning something new,
so you can be better at whatever you do*

October Students of the Month



Landfair: Turner Chalk

Tullos: Zeno Soils

Shivers: Tatum Ren McCrory

Holyfield: Bryleigh Westbrook

Steverson: Scarlett Riels

Holyfield: Brentley Boyles

Smith: Emory Barrentine

Weeks: Karlie Hodges

Bickerstaff: Liam Via

Palmer: Jaxon Orr

Spann: Hudson Overby

Pennington: Noah Ponder

Williamson: Wyatt Wigginton

Byrd: Talon McCrory

Polk: Harper Acey

Jones: Lillian Horne

Mann: Salter Rose Therrell

Morrow: Addie Pierce

Martin: Kaylee Holbrook

Williams: Dallas Cole Murphy

Pierce: Memphis Shows

Overby: Makyah Bland

Bowen: Morgan Taylor



Teacher: Mrs. Hailey Pagart, Instructional Coach

Staff: Jennifer Russell, Bookkeeper

Parent: Dana Rankin, Pre-K Parent

Kindness Recipient: Ava Green, Kindergartener

PLEASE HELP US
WELCOME...
JOSIE HOLYFIELD
TO OUR
PES PACK IN A NEW
POSITION!



ABOUT ME

I am Mrs. Holyfield, a recent graduate from the University of Southern Mississippi. My husband and I, along with our two children, live right here in Puckett. We have a mini farm at our house, consisting of one dog, three cats, and five chickens. Life outside of school is spent making memories with my family. My favorite things consist of bowling, gardening, exercising, and watching my children grow.

EXPERIENCE

I have been in education for three years. This year will be my first year teaching in my very own classroom.

EDUCATION

- I GRADUATED FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI WITH MY BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION.

ROLE AT PES

I will teach 2nd grade.
I am so excited to see familiar faces.

SCHOOL SPIRIT

THIS YEAR, I'M MOST EXCITED ABOUT THE OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN MY STUDENTS' LIVES. I HOPE TO BUILD CONNECTIONS, CELEBRATE THEIR GROWTH, AND BE THE PERSON WHO REMINDS THEM THEY ARE CAPABLE OF GREAT THINGS.

Although these faces aren't new around PES, we wanted to welcome them again to their new positions.

Mrs. Josie Holyfield
- 2nd Grade
Teacher

Mrs. Mallory Little -
STEM Teacher

We are so excited
to have you in your
new roles at PES!
You are both
rocking it!

PLEASE HELP US
WELCOME...
MALLORY LITTLE
TO OUR
PES PACK IN A NEW
POSITION!



ABOUT ME

I graduated from Puckett High School in 2015. I received my nursing degree from Hinds and worked at Rankin Children's Group and Puckett Medical Clinic. After several years of working in the medical field, I realized my desire to become a teacher. I've worked at Puckett in the first grade for the past 2 years as an assistant. I graduated from MSU this May with my Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education. In my free time, I enjoy spending time with friends and family. I have 2 boys, ages 8 and 4. They will also both be Puckett Wolves this year! Go Wolves!

EXPERIENCE

I've worked the past 2 years as an assistant in the first grade at Puckett. This will be my first year teaching in my own classroom, and I am so excited!

EDUCATION

- BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

ROLE AT PES

STEM Enrichment for
Pre-K - 6th grade students

SCHOOL SPIRIT

I'M MOST EXCITED ABOUT GETTING TO KNOW EACH AND EVERY STUDENT AT PUCKETT ELEMENTARY! I'M ALSO EXCITED TO SEE HOW THEY ENGAGE WITH OUR NEW STEM ACTIVITIES AND LESSONS.

November Dates to Know



November 6th	Of the Month Celebration
November 7th	5th Grade Field Trip -Camp Shelby 3rd Grade Field Trip - Ag Museum
November 10th	Softball Camps K-3rd Grades
November 11th	5th Grade Veterans Day Program 8:30 a.m. in the auditorium Thanksgiving Teacher Luncheon Softball Camp 4th-6th Grades
November 12th	Progress Reports
November 13th	Thanksgiving Luncheon Pre-K, 1st, 3rd, 5th Grades
November 19th	School Spelling Bee
November 21st	AttENDANCE Party 4th Grade Field Trip - Hattiesburg Zoo
November 24th-28th	Thanksgiving Holidays



Our Newspaper Team is thankful for....



Hi, my name is Caylee Bradley, and I am so thankful for everything that God has given me. I am most thankful for my kind and beautiful family, my friends, and my pets. God has given me the best life I could ask for, and I am so very thankful.

Hey. My name is Dani Blair, and I'm thankful for the Lord and softball! 🏆 Softball is a very fun and entertaining sport! I play first base, and it is the best! I'm thankful for the Lord because He sacrificed His life to save all of us.

Hi! My name is Macy Claire, and I'm thankful for the Lord 🏆 and all of my family and friends. I'm also thankful for being able to play softball 🏆 and having so many nice people in this school. I'm also very very thankful for my newspaper team.

Hiii!! My name is Logan Martin I'm thankful for the Lord, my family, and my friends. I'm so thankful for baseball 🏆 and golf 🏌️. I'm also thankful for dirt bikes and food!

Hi! my name is Bryleigh Westbrook I am thankful for everything that the Lord 🏆 has blessed me with in my life. I am also thankful for all of my friends and family who have helped me pass obstacles and milestones throughout my life. ❤️



Hello! I'm Karlie Hodges, and I'm thankful for A LOT of things! The thing I'm most thankful for is God 🏆. He loves everyone even though we're not perfect. I'm thankful for family and friends, and I'm very thankful for candles just because they smell so good! But I can't forget about tacos! 🌮 We should all be thankful for tacos!