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THE VOICE OF HOPE

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LOGAN HOPE GIVES BACK

For the entire month of February, the LOGAN Hope 7th and 8th grade students organized a fundraiser to raise money to be able to provide relief and hygiene kits for refugees through Mennonite Central Committee. These hygiene kits include toothpaste, wash cloths, sanitary napkins, and other hygienic necessities that we sometimes take for granted. The students raised money through bake sales and "Penny Wars," which encouraged students to give anything they could to support the cause. In addition to money raised, products were also donated from our staff and students for these hygiene kits. The students raised over \$1,500.00. Using the money they raised, the classes purchased items and assembled hygiene kits. On March 2nd, 7th and 8th grade went to the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) to learn about the services MCC provides as well as donate the kits that they created. MCC will ship these kits to the countries who are in need.



STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

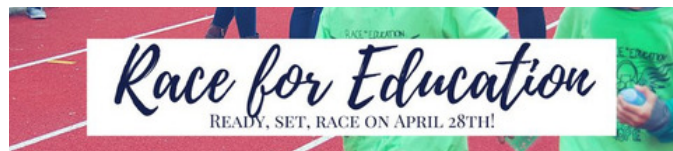
LOGAN Hope Core Values:

Humility Thankfulness Grit
Neighborly Love Integrity

In April, we are proud to announce students that represent each core value.

Grit - Bryheem
Humility - Destin
Integrity - Blessing
Thankfulness - Logan
Neighborly Love - Philip

We encourage all students to demonstrate five core values while in our building, representing our school out in the community, and at home.



We want to invite you, your family, and friends to the Race for Education Run/Walk that is supporting LOGAN Hope School. Race for Education is a run/walk on Friday April 28, 2017 at 9:00 AM at William Penn Charter School. This event encourages students to become active while raising much needed money to help fund LOGAN Hope's educational programs. By participating in the Race for Education Run/Walk for LOGAN Hope School, you will help to enhance the educational programs and activities provided to our students. You can help us reach our goal of \$25,000 by sponsoring a student, becoming a business sponsor or participating as a VIP runner/walker.

<http://www.loganhope.org/race-for-education/>

A TRIP TO THE JOHNSON HOUSE BY KAYLA SAY 4TH GRADE

It was the day, and it had finally come. It was time to go to the Johnson House! We finally arrived in Germantown to where the Johnson House is. The tour guide we had for the Johnson House was Mr. Kevin. The first place we went to was the backyard. We learned how big the Johnson's property was. Another fact we learned is the code the Johnsons and the slaves used which was "A Friend Of A Friend Sent Me". During the rest of the tour, we learned many more facts about the house. The first room we entered was where a musket ball hit 3 doors straight during the Battle Of Germantown. After seeing the rest of the house we did some activities. The first activity that we did was about maps and William Still's book of records. This recorded when a slave kept coming and where they were going next after this. The second activity was about songs. The song we sang was called "Follow the Drinking Gourd". After the trip we all thanked Mr. Kevin for being our tour guide. We walked back to the van, and talked about the trip. Finally, we arrived back to school to go eat lunch, and we had a great time together.

ALMOST GOT CAUGHT! BY DONNA TONG 4TH GRADE

One day the sheriff came by and knocked on the door of the Johnson's house who helped the freedom seekers. Mr. Johnson was meeting with the other station masters from the Underground Railroad. Suddenly, Mr. Johnson heard a knock on the door. It was the sheriff! He asked if he could come in and search the house. He said he needs to finish a prayer meeting. Mr. Johnson told the freedom seekers that they would have to go to the attic. While up in the attic they would have to open the latch that leads to the roof. After that, Mr. Johnson opened the door for the sheriff to come in. The sheriff looked in all the rooms and floors of the house, but saw nothing suspicious. The sheriff soon left. In the middle of the night the freedom seekers had to leave to the next station. The other station masters had also left. Without Mr. Johnson's quick thinking, they all would have been caught.

LOGAN HOPE UPDATES

- Our Basketball team participated in a game at Well's Fargo Center.
- John Jay Institute visited LOGAN Hope and worked with our students.
- 4th Grade and 8th Grade students visited Harrisburg and met with Representative Godshall and Representative Kinsey.



- Grace Covenant Church came to our school to bless our children with Valentine's Day treats.
- Our 8th grade students are preparing for graduation and moving on to High School.
- Music Club members are learning how to play violin, brass & woodwind instruments.
- On Martin Luther King Day of Service, students from Haverford Middle School came to LOGAN Hope to work with our students to move our library.



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