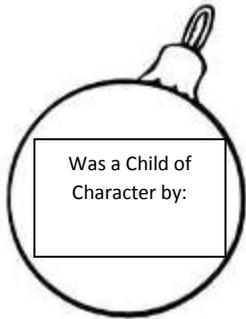


COUNSELOR'S CORNER

December is the Character Counts month of Caring! Throughout the month, the 4th grade students are being challenged to perform random acts of kindness. They are having specific lessons concerning kindness and are also journaling.



Did you receive a letter from Ms. K-P explaining how you can help with the Character Counts Program? Don't forget to fill out your child's ornament and send it in to be hung on their grade level tree. Please try to catch your child being a kid of character!

See how the turkeys from the November Character counts turned out! Pretty awesome! We also had "adults of character"! The LEAD Coyotes caught all the adults showing character and wrote about them!

In November, our month of citizenship, Hassayampa collected over **347** pounds in donations for our Food and Supplies Drive! What a tremendous effort by everyone! Mrs. Ellis' classroom came in 3rd place by bringing in 46 pounds. In 2nd place, Mrs. Brown's class brought in 68 pounds worth of donations. Our 1st place was Ms. Versetto's class! Their classroom alone brought in **112** pounds of food and supplies! Ms. Versetto's class will celebrate with a pizza party. Congratulations to these classrooms and thank you again for all the community support received. All proceeds benefited the Wickenburg CAP Office.



December is a good month to help children focus on being "kind" to others. It is important for children to know that "kindness counts" no matter how small the act. Therefore, December is a good month to talk with your children about bullying or being bullied. Our school district believes that it is the right of every student to be educated in a positive, safe, caring and respectful learning environment, and bullying in any form will not be tolerated.

The 4th grade classes are working hard on doing Random Acts of Kindness. 4th grade is exploring kindness through 8 different lessons. Parents, have you witnessed any Random Acts of Kindness at home?



Turkeys and Tables was a huge success! The Arizona Science Center joined the fun to make it extra exciting for students! There were lots of activities for everyone.

If at any time I can be of help, please call or email. I will respond as soon as possible. 928-668-5309

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