

THE OAKIE DOKIE

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Working out in PE



Lining up planets in Astronomy



Having fun in Physical Science



Physics with Mr. Duehring

Getting to Know Mrs. Hall

There have been several big changes at Mighty Oaks this year. One of those changes is a new director at FBC. On September 20th, 2017 Mrs. Hall came to GBC so we could interview her and get to know her better. Mrs. Hall's favorite sports to watch are Soccer and Baseball. Mrs. Hall ran track in high school and even held some records for a while at Ottawa High School! Her hobbies include sewing, camping, reading, and giving her husband woodworking projects that she finds on Pinterest. Did you know that Mrs. Hall has been a teacher for over ten years? She has an education degree and has taught 4th grade, Kindergarten and first grade. When we asked her about her favorite subject she said she loves teaching math because she struggled with math when she was younger and wants to help others to have a better experience. Mrs. Hall got started at Mighty Oaks because God told her to quit her job teaching Kindergarten. She wasn't quite sure she heard God right so she asked Him to give her some kind of confirmation. Well, her husband flew home early from a business trip just so he could tell her that God told him that she needed to quit her job. That confirmed it! Two days later Mrs. Hall met Mrs. Davis (our former director) and they began the process of following God and His will for Mighty Oaks. Last year Mrs. Hall shadowed Mrs. Davis because she thought she was going to open a Mighty Oaks campus in Ottawa. God did not seem to be leading them to Ottawa after all, instead He was leading Mrs. Davis to step down as director and for Mrs. Hall to take over. When we asked Mrs. Hall about her favorite parts of being director of Mighty Oaks she said that being able to be at the same school and watch her kids learn and supporting other teachers were her favorites. We wanted to know if there were any challenging parts, she said right now it is a long drive, but her family is moving to Gardner! Sometimes working out the schedule with the right teachers and classes can be challenging as well as just being new and still learning. Even though there are challenges, we are excited to see how God continues to use Mrs. Hall at Mighty Oaks.

-By Mrs. Gallagher and the Journalism Class



The journalism class having fun interviewing Mrs. Hall

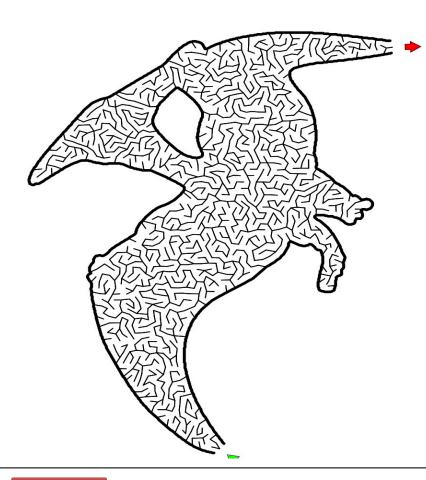
Coming Soon



School Newspaper!

The journalism class will be creating a school newspaper every month this school year and would like for you to participate. We are looking for original articles, works of poetry, short stories, classified ads, photographs and comics. If you would like to submit something to the newspaper please email Mrs. Gallagher at <u>amber.gallagher@mightyoaks.org</u> or see one of the journalism students listed at the bottom of this page. If you have suggestions for the newspaper let us know. We want our newspaper to represent every student and staff at Mighty Oaks!

Puzzle Time!



Looking Ahead:

*Oct.16/18 - School Pictures - FBC

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*Oct. 23/25 - School Pictures - GBC

*Oct. 21 - KC Kids Marathon

- 9a Run for Team Zat

-Register at <u>runforzat.com</u>

*Nov. 1 - Unit Celebration - GBC

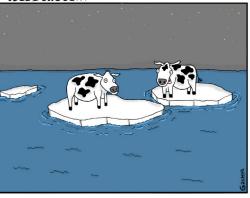
*Nov. 6 - Pizza Day!

- Crazy sock and tie day *Nov. 11 - Fall Party for GBC

Caption This:

Come up with a witty caption for the comic below and we may feature it in our next edition.

WebDonuts.



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