



Seagull Spirit!

Neah-Kah-Nie School District No. 56

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To: The Neah-Kah-Nie School Board

Nehalem Elementary School would like to honor Candy Nelson as the Neah-Kah-Nie School District Volunteer of the Month. When I spoke to staff to ask who to nominate for this recognition, Candy's name came up from the teachers on the primary team. Here are some of the wonderful things staff wrote about her:

- Candy comes to the library with the kindergarten classes for book checkout and to help with keyboarding. She has such a calm, quiet manner as he lets the kids show her their cool books. She also helps students be safe and respectful in lines. In the lab during keyboarding time she is always ready to go to a raised hand, or notices students who are working hard at keyboarding with their little fingers.
- Candy has a friendly set of eyes and ears that the young children trust. We really benefit from Candy's presence!
- Candy has been a huge help in our class! She has assisted students with journal writing, word work, math games, handwriting, and lots of other practical things like helping fill backpacks or getting to swimming. I certainly appreciate all the frequent help she gives my class!
- Candy has been in our classroom almost every day since October! She is such a great help, especially when we have math. I certainly appreciate the help when we need to clarify information for students one on one. She definitely deserves to be NKN's volunteer for December!
- Candy has helped me out many times by helping small hands cut, write, and color. She is a wonderful volunteer in my class.

Thank you, Candy, for giving so much of yourself to Nehalem Elementary. We sure appreciate you!

Kristi Woika, Principal