

## **Browning Public Schools**

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Dear Board Members,

The month of March saw the students at Big Sky Colony busy with their daily class work in all subjects. Students were happy to see the latter part of the month become warmer thus allowing them to be outdoors more so. A few students participated in the CRT Science testing.

Many students along with their families went on visitations to other respective colonies listed here: Hilltop, Rockport, Glacier, Camrose, Elk Creek, Hidden Lake, Seville, Clear Lake, Miami, Sovereign (Saskatchewan) & Willow Creek (Alberta), Canada. Some students accompanied parents to local towns around the hi line area to resupply supermarkets with vegetables, chickens and other products.

The students enjoyed the Park Rangers' monthly visits and, on this month's visit saw stations of constellation's and skies. Students enjoyed participating in each task and learned new information the topic. They also were made aware of the Native American ideas about the sky and constellation formations. Mr. Andreas introduced newer concepts on behavior skill building for student awareness and developing positive behaviors. They partook in a basketball game and participated in other team building activities. Students are interested in the March Madness fever and effort that college basketball teams are involved in.

The students' classroom received new whiteboards and look forward to working on them with their work and lessons. One of our main German Teachers is out of work for a while, and we hope to see him again soon. Mr. Ed Kleinsasser has resumed his duties and continues on with the other portion of the students' German education.

Our February Students of the Month were: Martha Wipf, 5<sup>th</sup> grade, Dorothy Kleinsasser, 6<sup>th</sup>, Isaak Wipf, 7<sup>th</sup>, Justina Hofer, 6<sup>th</sup>. Congratulations!

## Our March Students of the Month were: Kevin Hofer, 1<sup>st</sup> grade, Jeremy Wipf, 5<sup>th</sup>, Marcus Wipf, 6<sup>th</sup>. Congratulations!

Mr. Willie Sharp-Teacher Mrs. Carrie Spotted Bear-Teaching/SPED Assistant

