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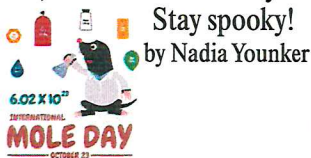
During the last week of October, the Newsletter Staff will be hosting a **DUCK HUNT**. Prizes will be awarded.



An assortment of Halloween ducks will be hidden around the Middle School. If you locate a duck, bring it to the office during recess for a prize.

Did you know?

In October, there are many unknown holidays. Some holidays consist of National Taco day on October 4th, International Mole day on October 23rd, and Mad Hatter day on October 6th.



Pet of the Month

Bandit
Owner Lilly Hankins



"Mad as a Hatter"

"Mad Hatter" is a commonly used saying, and the name of a character in "The Adventures of Alice in Wonderland", but did you know that the saying has an interesting history? Through the 18th & 19th centuries, there weren't good safety regulations related to the exposure of mercury, which is highly toxic. Workers used mercury nitrate to turn animal fur into felt for hats. Because of the mercury exposure, the workers started to go "crazy", earning them the nickname "Mad Hatter".

Source: history.com

by Autumn L.



Meet the Custodial Staff....

Building Maintenance Supervisor:

Michael Garner

Custodians:

Keaton Garner

Seth Koons

Steven Reed



What do you call a cow with no legs?



jaec punooɹɔ



Teacher of the Month



Ryan Fitzgerald, is CAM Middle School's Teacher of the Month! He teaches 7th and 8th grade Social Studies. This is his 3rd year teaching at Central A&M. He can often be spotted at a variety of sporting events, cheering on our Raiders.



Kelly Lamb was chosen as Bond's Teacher of the Month. She teaches Kindergarten at Bond Primary School. This is her 20th year at A&M. Congrats!

Upcoming Events:

October

2nd National Custodian Appreciation Day

3rd Homecoming Football

6th Mad Hatter Day - Crazy Hat Contest

7th Speaker - Corey Greenwood

17th - end of 1st quarter

31st - Halloween

November

26-28th Holiday Break -Thanksgiving



Maestro Minute

Interview by Gracie Greer



Jessica McVey is a 7th grader here at CAM Middle School, who plays the clarinet. "I like band because I get to learn how to play new music. I have been playing for 3 years" She says her favorite piece of music to play is "Dance Slav and Dragon Slayer"

The Athletic Zone

MS SOFTBALL PLAYERS ARE CONFERENCE CHAMPS, REGIONAL CHAMPS, SECTIONAL CHAMPS AND HEADED TO NORMAL ON 9/19 TO BATTLE FOR THE STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. THE RAIDERS DEFEATED LEROY IN THE 1ST ROUND, SCORED 13 RUNS AGAINST PEORIA CHRISTIAN IN THE SEMIFINALS AND WERE ABLE TO SECURE A 2ND PLACE FINISH IN THE CLASS 1A STATE TOURNAMENT.

Schedule of events are posted in the office and are available on camraiders.com

On this day in History...

by Layla Musick

Oct. 27, 1858 - Theodore Roosevelt, the 26th President of the US was born in NYC.

Oct. 28, 1636 - One of the oldest institutes of higher learning and one of the most popular Ivy League Universities was founded, Harvard University.

Oct. 31, 1952 - US detonated its 1st hydrogen bomb in the Pacific Marshall Islands.

This month's puzzle is brought to you courtesy of Aurora Jordan.

Correctly completed puzzles should be turned into the office for a chance to win. One winning puzzle will be chosen. Be sure your name and grade are written on the back of the puzzle.



*Do you have an event or special news that you would like to share with your classmates? Fill out the form in the office and a member of our Newsletter Staff will meet with you.

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FALL

WORD SEARCH

Can you find all the words related to autumn?

p	o	c	d	k	e	g	w	j	a	y	g	j	d	w
j	u	e	l	e	g	e	o	m	q	c	x	x	e	r
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r	m	s	p	n	b	o	c	c	y	r	r	r	c	w
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g	l	u	q	f	i	y	r	r	d	x	d	z	f	e
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acorn
deer

apple
owl

squirrel
scarf

cider
pumpkin

