



Truro Central School

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String Jamboree and the Spring Concert

Each year, some of our string ensemble students are invited to the Cape Cod Music Educator's Association's String Jamboree. It is an opportunity for our students to perform with hundreds of other students across the Cape and Islands. During the event, students gather into large string ensembles, practice pieces throughout the afternoon, and then perform a concert in the evening. Not only do students get to meet students in other districts who also share a passion for music, but this year they ran into some familiar faces as Truro Central School Alumni stopped by to say hello!

If you would like to hear some of our Truro musicians live, the **Spring Concert has been scheduled for May 24th at 6pm at the Truro Central School Gymnasium**. All are welcome!



Studying Geology

Second Grade has been working with science teacher Ms. Klimkosky and learning about landforms. On a blustery spring day, they ventured out to Bearberry Hill in Truro to see what landforms they could spot here in our hometown. They identified the ocean, a pond, hills, valleys, a river, a bog, and dunes.

Soon, fourth and fifth graders will be studying rocks and minerals. Using online interactives, they will be able to see the geological processes that make and remake our earth's crust. Take a peak at one of these interactives using this link: <http://www.learner.org/interactives/rockcycle/identifyrock/>.





T. C. S. Food Drive

During the month of April, Truro Central School ran a food drive to benefit the Truro Food Pantry. We collected more than twenty bags of fruit, dish soap, white goods, juice, ketchup, and other non-perishables.

The common misconception is that the food pantry has the greatest need in the winter, but in fact, our food pantry could use donations throughout the year, even in the summer! Our food pantry is located at the Community Center. If you would like to donate or volunteer, please contact the Truro Community Center.

April was Poetry Month

Students around Truro Central School celebrated Poetry Month by studying and composing poetry. Here are just a few of the poems written by Truro's Third Graders:





*Goodbye strategy flap book
Hello kickball on the field
Goodbye writing boring essays
Hello playing infection on the black top
Goodbye looking at a smartboard
Hello running on a field
Goodbye hard plastic chairs
Hello getting exhausted
Goodbye typing essays
Hello 15 minutes of freedom*

Space By: Isaiah

Goodbye Pluto,
The coldest, not real planet.

Hello Earth,
My favorite planet.

Goodbye Neptune,
The blue and green planet with
giant storms.

Hello Uranus,
A green planet with very thin rings
of an unknown material.

Goodbye Mars.
A planet that I do not know.

Hello Mercury,
Hottest planet in the morning
(800-300 degrees).

Goodbye galaxies
That no one knows about.

Hello black hole,
Just sitting there waiting
to suck something up!