

CAVENDISH TOWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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The third graders are studying "then and now" and visited the Calvin Coolidge Homestead; they took a trip to the Tings Farm after reading Sandra Stearns's book "Field Hill Farm;" and made their own "chalkboards" and learned about canning by making bread and butter pickles.



The 5th grade spent Sept. 17 honoring Constitution Day at the Museum and on Sept. 30, experienced living history with Roger Longtoe She

is the Sagamo (Chief) of the Elnu Abenaki Tribe and a talented Abenaki artist, Native m and educator.



The 6th grade once again participated in RiverSweep and helping with fall lawn chores for various community members.



The 4th grade is maintaining the flower bed in front of the school. They recently took a train ride through parts of the region as part of Social Studies.



Grades 2-6 made bracelets and several students helped sell them at the annual Honey Festival. As a result, they raised \$317 for Team Rubicon, which is providing disaster relief in the Bahamas following Hurricane Dorian



Tidbits

Reached out to Castleton, RVCC and Keene State to invite students with time in the week and on the breaks to apply to be subs. Heard back from RVCC and Castleton!

Jenn Harper, the 4th grade teacher received an invite to be part of the team representing Vermont to work on the SBAC Digital Library for teachers and students

Math and STEAM coaches Laurie Edson and Lisa Holderness introduced Student-Centered Coaching Cycles to the staff. They will be back 5 times during the year minimum.

Hired two paras for K/1 part-time!

Coffee with the Principal is a monthly event hosted by me and a guest to highlight an aspect of the programming we offer here at Cavendish Town Elementary. Last month we featured the Mentor Program which has been ably led by Kristen Billings, our school counselor. This coming Wednesday, we will highlight the Reading Intervention services we provide by talking about the Title I program. We had a huge crowd!



“Tucked in Tuesdays” is a hit!

I have been reading a bedtime story to my students every Tuesday evening then sending it home for them to watch at their leisure. Please let me know if you would like a link!

