

Word Around the Webb Weekly Newsletter

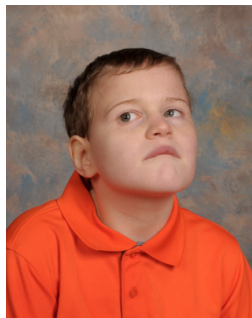
CHECK OUT WHAT'S GOING ON AROUND THE WEBB!



Congratulations to the students selected as a "Spider of the Month!" The following students were chosen to represent their grade level as an outstanding student.

Elementary Team: Colton S.

Colton is in the 2nd grade in Mrs. Birk's class. He always has a bright smile on his face when you speak to him. Colton is Mrs. Birk's recycling helper and is always eager to help with the classroom recycling chores.



Middle School Team: Landon Y.

Landon is a 7th grade student in Mrs. Hartsoe's homeroom. He enjoys music and going to the school's sensory room each day to spend time on the therapy swing.



High School Team: Victoria W.

Victoria is a 9th grade student in Mrs. Chris Miller's homeroom class. Victoria loves being in high school with her friends. She is a wonderful peer helper and is always willing to assist her teachers.



Transition Team: Christian M.

Christian is a proud Senior in Mr. Elliott's homeroom. He is a star student worker around the school. He assists in the recycling program, laundry duties, and helping Mr. Stan

SPECIAL UPCOMING EVENT:

Southminster Presbyterian Church in Gastonia will be hosting a special event called "Night to Shine Prom." This special prom is sponsored by the Tim Tebow Foundation and will be held at Southminster Presbyterian Church on Friday, February 12. Any person with special needs ages 16+ in our community are invited to attend. Volunteers are also needed for this event. Visit the Tim Tebow Foundation website for more details. Please contact your student's teacher if you need assistance with registering or have additional questions.

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Webb Street welcomes Ms. Katelyn Jones to our staff as a new teacher! Ms. Jones was a student teacher with Ms. Deal for the first part of the school year and now she is teaching a class for students with Autism. Ms. Jones was an instructional assistant in Cleveland County before obtaining her teaching degree from Appalachian State University. We are excited to have Katelyn join us at Webb Street!



BIG RED BOX – FREEBIE!

The National Autism Association is committed to those with an Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) who may be prone to wandering off or eloping from a safe environment, and may be unable to recognize danger and/or stay safe. FOUND supplies funding to search-and-rescue agencies in need of tracking technology and training, and the Big Red Safety Box is a free-of-charge toolkit given to autism families in need as a means to educate, raise awareness and share simple tools that may assist them in preventing, and responding to, wandering-related emergencies.

NAA's **Big Red Safety Box** includes the following resources:

- 1) Our [Be REDy Booklet](#) containing the following educational materials and tools: A caregiver checklist A Family Wandering Emergency Plan A first-responder profile form A wandering-prevention brochure A sample IEP Letter A Student Profile Form
- 2) Two (2) GE Wireless Door/Window Alarms with batteries
- 3) One (1) RoadID Personalized, Engraved Shoe ID Tag*
- 4) Five (5) Adhesive Stop Sign Visual Prompts for doors and windows
- 5) Two (2) Safety Alert Window Clings for car or home windows
- 6) One (1) Red Safety Alert Wristband

To apply for a Big Red Safety Box, follow the link below:

<http://nationalautismassociation.org/big-red-safety-box/>

JANUARY 18, 21, 22

NO SCHOOL! January 18 is a Holiday for students and teachers. January 21 & 22 are Mandated Teacher Workdays.

JANUARY 29

Annual Webb Street Basketball Game versus the Gaston County Sheriff's Department at 12:30pm.

FEBRUARY 15

No School for students; Optional Teacher Workday

MARCH 2

Early Dismissal at 11:30am



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