



Reynolds Elementary School celebrates . . .

READ ACROSS AMERICA

Reynolds Elementary celebrated Read Across America with A special night and an activity each day of the week. The RAA Night was held with a PTO sponsored Book Fair, face painting, Art Williams’s display with the history of Camp Reynolds, phot opportunities with the Cat in the Hat. The Reynolds High School Entrepreneur class had “spirit wear” available for purchase in the lobby. The highlight of the evening was the students in 4th through 6th grade who were involved in the musical. This year’s musical was perfect for the celebration of Dr. Seuss’ birthday, *The Most Epic Birthday Party Ever*. The performance was outstanding, and the actors did an excellent job. Mrs. Belinda Wilson was the director, Mrs. Elizabeth Helms was the musical director, and Mrs. Suzanne Anderson was the set director.

What’s a birthday party without cake? Cake, ice cream, and milk were served following the performance, and children had an opportunity to select a free book in the Book Give-Away. While enjoying one’s cake and ice cream, the Mercer County Dairy Princess Jocelyn Snyder and Dairy Maid Rebekah Leise were available with erasers and bracelets to spread the importance of eating dairy products. The PTO Chinese Auction was the closing event of the night. Lucky winners took home themed baskets which were provided by each elementary homeroom with items donated by the students.

Special thanks go to Dean’s Dairy for donating the milk, the Reynolds PTO for purchasing the cakes, and the Mercer County Dairy Promotion Committee and McCullough’s Ice Cream for donating the ice cream. Thank-you to Mr. Tom Leczner for portraying the “Cat in the Hat!” It was quite an “epic birthday” celebration!

