



Thor News

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First Week

Wow! What a fantastic first week of school. We would like to welcome back all our returning students and teachers and say, "Hello," to new students and teachers.

Students enjoyed the warm weather this week with a swim in the pool. Things are off to a great start for another exciting school year!



Enjoying the first week of school

Corn Roast

On September 11, 2009 Thor College held their annual corn roast. The corn roast was a great opportunity for parents to meet the teachers.

During the corn roast some activities included a bouncy castle and a book fair in the library.

Everyone enjoyed hamburgers and hot dogs and at least two pieces of delicious corn, while chatting with other

parents and teachers.

The corn roast was the perfect start to the year and I am sure they will be great in the years to come.



Enjoying some corn on the cob!

Thank you for your support of our Book Fair. With our school profit, the teachers were able to purchase \$200.00 worth of books for their classrooms.

Congratulations to Alisha W. who won the family event draw prize. Alisha and Mrs. Wilson were able to select books totaling \$25.00 each.



Winners of the 50/50 Book Fair draw

Stream Study Report

By Carter C., Gr. 8

On Wednesday, September 16, 2009, Thor College went to the Tiffin Centre. The first thing we did was learn about bogs, swamps, marshes, and ponds. Then we went to the pond to catch things. We caught lots of pond life like minnows, crustaceans, crayfish, tadpoles, water spiders, dragonfly nymphs, and few frogs!

After we caught everything we wrote about one of them and then released them back into the pond. Then we went to the outdoor classroom and played jeopardy; boys vs. girls. The boys won.

Last we played owl hunt and I was the owl. In owl hunt one person is the owl and everyone else is a mouse and has to hide. The owl has to try to find them without moving and if you are seen, you are out.

We left the Tiffin Centre at about 12:00p.m. to get back to the school and eat lunch. It was a pretty fun first field trip.



Tiffin Centre -Stream Study

Avalon Apple Orchard

By the PreK to Grade 2 classes

On September 29, 2009 the PreK to Grade 2 classes went on a field trip to Avalon Orchards.

The Kindergarten's had a great time on the Apple Orchard trip. The rain held off to the very end. We enjoyed hiking in the woods, a wagon ride, and picking fresh apples off the tree. Our trip ended sipping apple cider and singing songs in the teepee. All the students brought a bag of apples home.

Here are a few words from our students:

"I liked eating apples." – **Kathleen B.**

"I liked picking the apples from the tree." – **Lucas N.**

"I like going on the tractor ride." – **James W.**

"I liked drinking the apple cider." – **Gabi R.**

"I liked going in the teepee." – **Alisha W.**

"I liked tasting the apples." – **Matilda B.**

"I liked throwing apples up high." – **Carlos**



Enjoying fresh picked apples!