

## Hickory Public Schools



# Week in Review

February 19, 2016

*“A snapshot of HPS good news”*

## 100th Day of School

HPS teachers and students recently celebrated the “100th Day of School” through various lesson plans reflecting the number 100. From math and science activities to writing essays and incorporating technology, the number 100 was creatively incorporated as the theme for the day! To make the celebration even more exciting, teachers and students at Southwest Elementary suddenly aged! **Turning 100 never looked so good!**



*Week in Review* is produced by the  
HPS Communications Office.  
All photography is the property of the  
HPS Communications Office.  
For photo use/media inquiries,  
contact Beverly Snowden, HPS  
director of communications:



## Hickory's Drewno Signs with Lander University

Twelve years of soccer has paid off for Marie Drewno, a senior at Hickory High School. A defender for the HHS women's soccer team, Drewno recently accepted an athletic scholarship to play for Lander University in South Carolina.

"Receiving this scholarship has validated my years of soccer," said Drewno. "I've known I wanted to play college soccer since sophomore year, so it was really about finding a school I liked academically and where I liked the overall atmosphere. Lander is the perfect fit for me!"

For the full story, [click here](#).

## Longview Elementary Recognized at State Competition

Five student representatives from the Beta Club of Longview Elementary School recently competed at the North Carolina Junior BETA State Convention in Greensboro.

For the entire story—and to read about the First Place Winner from Longview, [click here](#).

## New HPS Child Nutrition Director Selected

During a recent meeting of the Board of Education for Hickory Public Schools, a new Director of Child Nutrition was announced for the district. Tina Pottorff was selected to lead the child nutrition department for the district's nine schools.

For more, [click here](#).

