

# MAGNET BYTE NEWSLETTER MAY 2025

# Celebrating Our 8th Graders in Style

Our 8th graders enjoyed a memorable evening at the 8th Grade Dance, generously sponsored and organized by our amazing PTA. With thoughtful decorations, great music, and plenty of fun, it was a special way to celebrate our students as they prepare to move on to high school. Thank you to all the parent volunteers and RCMMS staff who helped make the night such a success!





### **Honor a Teacher**

We're proud to share that several RCMMS teachers were nominated for this year's Cary Chamber of Commerce Honor a Teacher Award. Ms. Raeman, Ms. Robinson, Ms. Williams, Ms. Prince, and Dr. Farnsworth were recognized as outstanding educators who support, inspire, and impact their students. We are especially thrilled to congratulate Ms. Robinson, who was selected as this year's award recipient for RCMMS!

# **RCES Step Up Night**

We represented RCMMS at the RCES Step Up Night for their rising 6<sup>th</sup> graders



Photo of Red Wolf Pups by Durham Museum of Life and Science

#### **6TH GRADE FIELD TRIP TO DURHAM**

Our 6th grade students recently visited the Museum of Life and Science in Durham. They explored handson exhibits that brought their science curriculum to life. Students had the opportunity to investigate ecosystems in the butterfly house and outdoor exhibits. Students were able to make real-world connections to what they've learned in class by exploring forces and motion in interactive displays. The trip provided a meaningful and engaging extension of our units on weather, energy, and Earth systems, sparking curiosity and deeper understanding.

#### MS. PRINCE'S DRAMATICS FIELD TRIP

Ms. Prince's Dramatics students recently had a special opportunity to visit Reedy Creek Elementary to perform original pieces they had written and developed. As part of our shared campus community, this visit was a wonderful way for our middle school students to connect with younger learners. We hope to inspire creativity through storytelling and performance. It was a proud moment to see our students using their talents to engage others, reminding us of the unique opportunities that come with sharing a campus—and sharing our passions.



## Congratulations, Aanya K.!

Each year, students across the country are invited to participate in the PTA Reflections program by submitting original works of art inspired by a shared theme. The 2024-25 theme, Accepting Imperfection, encouraged students to express themselves through Dance Choreography, Film Production, Literature, Music Composition, Photography, and Visual Arts. We are thrilled to share that Aanya K. placed at both the county and state levels in this year's competition for Visual Arts—a remarkable achievement! Congratulations to our talented artist for representing our school with such creativity and heart.

# Summer Bucket List Ideas



Raleigh Family Adventures



Discover Durham



Music in the Park



NC Go-To Guide



Visit NC this Summer

